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# PREFACE TO THE NEW EDITION.

THE present edition of a work which, now some twenty years before the public, may justly be said to have maintained a standard character, has been undertaken at the request of the author's family. The Editor takes pleasure in saying that, in the minute revision to which the book has been subjected, he has found little more to do than to carry out to a greater completeness the lines of Mr. Soule's original design. That design, not only in its general conception, but in the execution of its details, seems to him, on the whole, the best that any single work on Synonymes in our language affords, — an impression which has grown stronger during the process of comparison with the chief works of that class rendered necessary in preparing this edition, and which it is believed a like comparison on the part of readers will surely corroborate.

The judicious consulter of a synonymic dictionary will readily acquiesce in the statement that a perfect manual of that sort is impossible within the compass of a single work of convenient size and arrangement. Three distinct points of view are necessary to fulfil the wants that are sure to arise when such a work has to be consulted, — the writer, seeking for the most suitable expression, may set out from the less suitable *word;* or from the vague general *notion* that he obscurely aims to express; or, finally, from *several words of cognate meaning*, the exactly suitable one of which he would determine by a close discrimination between them. A work on Synonymes may thus have for its purpose either an alphabetic list of all the more important words in the language, with their various meanings or shades of meaning set down under them, each followed by its appropriate synonymes; or a list of general notions, duly named and properly divided and subdivided, with the words and phrases that belong to the

expression of each collected under them as fully as possible; or, again, the collocation of words allied in meaning with subjoined disquisitions on the shades of difference between them. The latter conception has been the prevailing one among English makers of synonymic dictionaries, and is represented by the well-known work of Crabb, as well as by any; the second is that of Roget's Thesaurus; while the first is that of Soule. It is safe to say that while each is indispensable to a perfect fulfilment of a writer's possible wants, the first is that which is most comprehensive, most convenient and rapid in use, and most likely to meet the requirements of the greatest number of persons.

In endeavoring to carry out Mr. Soule's plan to greater perfection, the chief aim, beyond the correction of press-errors and obvious lapses of the pen, has been to discriminate the various senses of leading words more exactly, completing the distinction where it already existed in part, and supplying it where it was lacking. Besides this, the labor has been mainly confined to enlarging the lists of synonymic words and phrases. The number of such expressions has been increased, on an average, by about a third. For this purpose free use has been made of the new editions of Roget's Thesaurus and the Imperial Dictionary.

The Editor takes pleasure in making special acknowledgment of the assistance rendered him by Miss C. N. Bynner. The primary revision of nearly one half of the text has been done by her; and the thoroughness and accurate knowledge of our vocabulary, with which she has performed her task, have rendered the labor of final revision in that portion of the book comparatively light.

In a work involving so many details, it is impossible but that errors will have been left or committed, in spite of all endeavors to the contrary. Notice of any such, detected by readers, will be received with thanks.

# PREFACE TO THE FIRST EDITION.

THE main design of this Dictionary is to provide a ready means of assistance when one is at a loss for a word or an expression that best suits a particular turn of thought or mood of the mind, or that may obviate an ungraceful repetition. Even practised and skilful writers are sometimes embarrassed in the endeavor to make a sentence more clear, simple, terse, or rhythmical, by the substitution of one form of diction for another. It is presumed that they, as well as novices in composition, will find the present work useful in overcoming difficulties of this sort.

As to the method of using it: Whenever a doubt arises in regard to the fitness of any word, and a better one is not readily suggested, let the writer turn to this word in its alphabetical place. Under it will be found the words and phrases, or some clew to the words and phrases, which, in any connection, have the same meaning as itself, or a meaning very nearly the same. That one of them which comes nearest to expressing the exact shade of thought in the writer's mind will be likely to arrest the attention and determine the choice.

In most cases, all the words that belong to any group will be found in that group. But in some instances, as when the same word falls into two or more groups that are near to each other, or when there are so many synonymes for a word that a repetition of every one of them under each in its alphabetical place would seem to be too formal and prolix, the inquirer is referred to some prominent word among them for a view of the whole. Under the word *Blockhead*, for example, reference is made to the word *Dunce*, under which will be found all the words that are synonymous with it. This example is given because it is the most marked one in our language of a multiplicity of terms for the same idea.

Many nouns ending in *ness*, and adverbs ending in *ly*, have been omitted in their alphabetical places, for the reason that their synonymes are sufficiently indicated by the corresponding adjectives.

The aim has been to present at a single glance the words or modes of speech which denote the same object, or which express the same general idea, with only slight shades of difference. There has been no attempt at elaborate discussion of the nice distinctions that obtain between words apparently synonymous; but hints of such distinctions have been given whenever it was practicable to give them briefly in a parenthetical remark.

In preparing this Dictionary, free use has been made of the following works: Roget's Thesaurus of Words and Phrases; the Quarto Dictionaries of Webster and of Worcester; Crabb's Synonymes; Graham's Synonymes; Whately's Synonymes; Platt's Synonymes; the Dictionaries of Synonymes by Fenby, Sherer, Mackenzie, and Smith; the Medical Dictionaries of Dunglison and of Thomas; and the United States Dispensatory by Wood and Bache. It contains much, however, that has been gathered from a wide field of miscellaneous reading during a long series of years.

The author is under special obligations to his friends, Mr. JUSTIN WINSOR, Mr. WILLIAM A. WHEELER, and Mr. LOOMIS J. CAMPBELL, for the interest they have manifested in the progress of the work, and for their valuable suggestions and criticisms.

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# EXPLANATORY TABLE.

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| *a.* . . . . | stands for | Adjective. |
| *ad.* . . . | " | Adverb. |
| *Alg.* . . . | " | Algebra. |
| *Anat.* . . | " | Anatomy. |
| *Arch.* . . | " | Architecture. |
| *Arith.* . . | " | Arithmetic. |
| *Astrol.* . . | " | Astrology. |
| *Astron.* . . | " | Astronomy. |
| *Bot.* . . . | " | Botany. |
| *Chem.* . . | " | Chemistry. |
| *Colloq.* . . | " | Colloquial. |
| *Com.* . . . | " | Commerce. |
| *conj.* . . . | " | Conjunction. |
| *Eccl.* . . . | " | Ecclesiastical. |
| *Eng.* . . . | " | England, or English. |
| *Ent.* . . . | " | Entomology. |
| *Fort.* . . . | " | Fortification. |
| Fr. . . . | " | French. |
| *Geol.* . . . | " | Geology. |
| *Geom.* . . | " | Geometry. |
| *Gram.* . . | " | Grammar. |
| Gr. . . . | " | Greek. |
| *Her.* . . . | " | Heraldry. |
| *Ich.* . . . | " | Ichthyology. |
| *interj.* . . | " | Interjection. |
| It. . . . . | " | Italian. |
| L. . . . . | " | Latin. |
| *Log.* . . . . . | stands for | Logic. |
| *Math.* . . . . | " | Mathematics. |
| *Med.* . . . . . | " | Medicine. |
| *Met.* . . . . . | " | Metaphysics. |
| *Meteor.* . . . . | " | Meteorology. |
| *Mil.* . . . . . | " | Military. |
| *Min.* . . . . . | " | Mineralogy. |
| *Mus.* . . . . . | " | Music. |
| *Mythol.* . . . . | " | Mythology. |
| *Naut.* . . . . | " | Nautical. |
| *n.* . . . . . | " | Noun. |
| *Ornith.* . . . . | " | Ornithology. |
| *Phys.* . . . . . | " | Physics. |
| *Physiol.* . . . . | " | Physiology. |
| *pl.* . . . . . | " | Plural. |
| *prep.* . . . . . | " | Preposition. |
| *Psychol.* . . . . | " | Psychology. |
| *Rhet.* . . . . . | " | Rhetoric. |
| *Sculp.* . . . . | " | Sculpture. |
| *sing.* . . . . . | " | Singular. |
| Sp. . . . . | " | Spanish. |
| *Surg.* . . . . | " | Surgery. |
| *Theol.* . . . . | " | Theology. |
| *U. S.* . . . . . | " | United States. |
| *v. a.* . . . . . | " | Verb Active. |
| *v. n.* . . . . . | " | Verb Neuter. |
| *Zoöl.* . . . . . | " | Zoölogy. |

*Italics*, in the printing of a word or a phrase, signify that the expression belongs to a foreign language, and is not yet completely naturalized in English, being still pronounced according to its own tongue.

When a word has more than one signification, the separate groups of synonymes, corresponding to the several meanings, are designated by figures.

Parts of synonymic phrases, enclosed in parentheses, but not italicized, are optional.

# SYNONYMES.

## A

**Aback,** *ad.* Back, backward, rearward, regressively, to the rear.

**Abaft,** *prep.* (*Naut.*) Behind, back of, in the rear of.

**Abaft,** *ad.* (*Naut.*) Aft, astern, behind, back, rearward, in the rear.

**Abalienate,** *v. a.* 1. Alienate, estrange.

2. (*Law.*) Alienate, transfer, convey, demise, make over, deliver over

**Abalienation,** *n.* (*Law.*) Alienation, transfer, demise, conveyance.

**Abandon,** *v. a.* 1. Leave, relinquish, quit, forsake, desert, evacuate, drop, abjure, forswear, give over, cast off, retire from, withdraw from.

2. Surrender, cede, yield, resign, forego, renounce, waive, vacate, deliver up, give up, part with, let go, lay down, demit. See ABDICATE.

**Abandoned,** *a.* 1. Relinquished, deserted, forsaken, cast away, rejected, discarded, given up, given over, cast off, cast aside, thrown overboard, demitted.

2. Depraved, corrupted, corrupt, profligate, vicious, sinful, wicked, dissolute, reprobate, graceless, shameless, unprincipled, lost, obdurate, hardened, impenitent, incorrigible, irreclaimable, demoralized, lost to shame, dead to honor.

**Abandonment,** *n.* 1. Abandoning, relinquishment, desertion, dereliction.

2. Renunciation, surrender, cession, resignation, abnegation, abjuration, rejection, demission. See ABDICATION.

**Abase,** *v. a.* 1. Depress, detrude, lower, reduce, drop, sink, stoop, cast down, let down, throw down, let fall.

2. Degrade, humble, disgrace, dishonor, humiliate, debase, bring low, take down.

**Abasement,** *n.* 1. Depression, detrusion, reduction, lowering, fall, deterioration, degradation, debasement, degeneracy, degeneration, vitiation, perversion, depravation.

2. Abjectness, abjection, vileness, baseness, contemptibleness, despicableness, ignominy, turpitude, infamy.

3. Humiliation, condescension, submission, submissiveness, resignation, humility, meekness, humbleness, lowliness, self-abasement.

**Abash,** *v. a.* Shame, mortify, confuse, confound, disconcert, discompose, cow, humiliate, humble, snub, put to shame, make ashamed, put down, put out of countenance, take down, send away with a flea in one's ear. See DISCOUNTENANCE.

**Abashment,** *n.* Confusion, shame, mortification, embarrassment.

**Abate,** *v. a.* 1. Lessen, diminish, decrease, reduce, lower, relax, slacken.

2. Remit, allow, bate, rebate, deduct.

3. Moderate, assuage, mitigate, soothe, soften, qualify, alleviate, mollify, allay, appease, pacify, compose, tranquillize, temper, attemper, quiet, quell, calm, dull, blunt.

4. Batter down, beat down, demolish, raze, lay low.

5. (*Law.*) Remove, suppress, terminate, put an end to.

**Abate,** *v. n.* 1. Decrease, diminish, lessen, subside, sink, wane, decline, fall away, fall off, fade, fade away, ebb, intermit, slacken.

2. (*Law.*) Be defeated, frustrated, *or* overthrown, fail.

**Abatement,** *n.* 1. Diminution, decrease, decrement, lessening, mitigation, moderation, assuagement, extenuation, remission.

2. Subsidence, decline, lowering, sinking, settling, wane, fading, evanishing, evanishment, ebb.

3. Discount, allowance, rebate, deduction, reduction, drawback.

**Abattoir,** *n.* Slaughter-house, slaughter-pen, shambles.

**Abbey,** *n.* Monastery, convent, cloister, priory, nunnery.

**Abbreviate,** *v. a.* Shorten (*by cutting off*), curtail, reduce, contract, retrench, condense, compress, epitomize, cut short, cut down. See ABRIDGE.

**Abbreviation,** *n.* Shortening (*by cutting off*), curtailment, contraction, reduction, condensation, compression, brief, compend, compendium, abstract, epitome. See ABRIDGMENT.

**Abdicate,** *v. a.* Resign (*an office* or *dignity*), surrender (*a right*), cede, forego, renounce, relinquish, abandon, quit, vacate, give up, part with, lay down, renounce all claim to.

**Abdicate,** *v. n.* Resign, relinquish office, (*especially that of a king*), vacate the throne, retire to private life, go into retirement.

**Abdication,** *n.* Abdicating, resignation, surrender, renunciation, abandonment.

**Abdomen,** *n.* Belly, paunch, ventral region, visceral region, visceral cavity.

**Abdominal,** *a.* Ventral.

**Abdominous,** *a.* Large-bellied, great-bellied, big-bellied, pot-bellied, tun-bellied, paunchy.

**Abduce,** *v. a.* (*Anat.*) Withdraw, draw away, pull back, retract.

**Abduct,** *v. a.* Take away (*surreptitiously* or *forcibly*, or both), kidnap, carry off, run away with, run off with, spirit away, drag away.

**Abduction,** *n.* I. Withdrawing, withdrawal, withdrawment, drawing away.
2. Kidnapping, etc. See ABDUCT.

**Abductor,** *n.* I. Kidnapper, etc.
2. (*Anat.*) Muscle drawing from the axis.

**Aberdevine,** *n.* Siskin (*Carduelis spinus, Fringilla spinus*).

**Aberrance,** *n.* Deviation, departure, wandering, roving, roaming, error, aberrancy. See ABERRATION.

**Aberrant,** *a.* I. Deviating, wandering, rambling, diverging, divergent, devious, erratic, out of the right way.
2. Irregular, abnormal, unnatural, unusual, singular, peculiar, anomalous, unconformable, exceptional, strange, anomalistic, eccentric, erratic, out of the way, disconnected, inconsequent, idiotic, monstrous, preternatural.

**Aberration,** *n.* I. Deviation, divergence, wandering, rambling, departure.
2. Irregularity, eccentricity, singularity, peculiarity, strangeness, unconformity, anomaly, abnormity, monstrosity.
3. Illusion, delusion, hallucination, monomania, self-deception.

**Abet,** *v. a.* I. Aid, assist, help, support, succor, second, sustain, uphold, back, co-operate with, take part with, give support to, embolden, subsidize.
2. Favor, encourage, sanction, countenance, advocate, connive at, be *or* become subsidiary to.
3. (*Law.*) Instigate (*to commit a crime*), stimulate, incite, foment.

**Abettor,** *n.* I. Assistant, helper, aider, coadjutor, co-operator, ally, auxiliary.
2. Advocate, adviser, promoter, instigator.
3. Confederate, accomplice, accessory, *particeps criminis, socius criminis.*

**Abeyance,** *n.* I. (*Law.*) Expectation, prospect, expectancy, waiting, anticipation, calculation, contemplation.
2. Suspense, suspension, suspendedness, reservation, intermission, remission, dormancy, quiescence, suppression, sublation.

**Abhor,** *v. a.* Hate, abominate, detest, loathe, nauseate, shrink from, recoil from, revolt at, shudder at, view with horror.

**Abhorrence,** *n.* Abomination, horror, detestation, hatred, loathing, disgust, antipathy, aversion.

**Abhorrent,** *a.* I. Hating, detesting, abominating, loathing.
2. Odious, offensive, shocking, repugnant, hateful, loathsome, revolting, nauseating, horrifying, horrible, repellent, repulsive.

**Abide,** *v. n.* I. Stay, sojourn, tarry, lodge, rest, keep, take up one's quarters, pitch one's tent.
2. Dwell, reside, live, inhabit, settle, plant one's self, get a footing, get a foothold.
3. Remain, continue, persist, persevere, go on, keep on, be steadfast, be constant. See SUBSIST.
4. Endure, last, be enduring, be indestructible, be permanent, be immutable.

**Abide,** *v. a.* I. Await, attend, wait for, be in readiness for, be in store for.
2. Endure, tolerate, bear, brook, suffer, bear with, put up with, sustain.

**Abide by.** Act up to, conform to, persist in, keep, fulfil, discharge (*of promises, and the like*).

**Abiding,** *a.* Permanent, lasting, durable, constant, continuing, stable, changeless, unchangeable, immutable.

**Ability,** *n.* I. Power (*to execute anything*), ableness, force, potency, might, vigor, efficiency, efficacy, strength, energy, skill, skilfulness, dexterity, address, adroitness, cleverness, ingenuity, talent, aptitude, aptness, knack, expertness, facility, quickness, readiness.
2. Qualification, competency, sufficiency.
3. Capability, capableness, faculty, gift, parts, genius, endowment, calibre, forte, turn. See CAPACITY.

**Abject,** *a.* Base, vile, mean, low, despicable, contemptible, beggarly, paltry, dirty, squalid, grovelling, pitiful, ignoble, degraded, worthless, poor, servile, slavish, menial, cringing, sneaking, sordid, shabby, scurvy, miserable, wretched, low-minded, base-minded, earth-born, earth-bred.

**Abjection,** *n.* I. (*Rare.*) Humbling, humiliation.
2. Abasement. See ABJECTNESS.

**Abjectness,** *n.* Meanness, servility, vileness, baseness, abasement, abjection, contemptibleness. See ABJECT.

**Abjuration,** *n.* I. Renunciation (*upon oath*), relinquishment, rejection, abandonment, abnegation, repudiation, discarding, disowning.
2. Recantation, retraction, revocation, repeal reversal, recall, disavowal, disclaiming, disclaimer.

**Abjure,** *v. a.* I. Renounce (*upon oath*), relinquish, forego, reject, forswear, abandon, give up, cast off, discard, repudiate, disown.
2. Retract, revoke, recant, recall, withdraw, disavow, disclaim, take back.

**Able,** *a.* I. Clever, accomplished, talented, adroit, ingenious, expert, dexterous, adroit, apt, quick, skilful, efficient, proficient, good, versed, practical, *au fait.*
2. Qualified, fitted, competent.
3. Capable, gifted, powerful, strong, mighty, highly endowed, of talent, of great talents.
4. Masterly, effective, telling, nervous, vigorous.

**Ableness,** *n.* See ABILITY.

**Ablution,** *n.* Washing (*especially of the body, as a religious rite*), lavation, bathing, wash, purification, cleansing, baptism.

**Abnegate,** *v. a.* (*Rare.*) Deny, reject, renounce, abjure.

**Abnegation,** *n.* Denial, renunciation, rejection, abandonment, surrender. See ABJURATION.

**Abnormal,** *a.* Irregular, anomalous, anomalistic, unusual, unnatural, singular, peculiar, unconformable, exceptional, heteroclite, aberrant, divergent, eccentric, erratic, strange, monstrous, preternatural.

**Abnormity,** *n.* Abnormality, irregularity, unconformity, anomaly, peculiarity, idiosyncrasy, singularity, deformity, monstrosity.

**Aboard,** *ad.* On board, in the ship, in the vessel, on, inside, within.

**Abode,** *n.* I. Habitation, dwelling, lodging, domicile, home, house, seat, place, quarters, headquarters, place of residence.
2. (*Rare.*) Continuance (*in a place*), stay, residence.

**Abolish,** *v. a.* I. Abrogate, annul, disannul, repeal, rescind, revoke, cancel, nullify, quash, vacate, invalidate, set aside, make void.
2. Destroy, overthrow, subvert, obliterate, extirpate, eradicate, annihilate, extinguish, suppress, do away, put an end to, make an end of, batter down, raze to the ground, not to leave one stone upon another, crush out, stamp out, squelch (*colloq.*). See DISESTABLISH.

**Abolition,** *n.* I. Abrogation, annulment, annulling, nullification, rescinding, revocation, cancellation, cancelling, repeal, rescission.
2. Destruction, overthrow, subversion, obliteration, extirpation, eradication, annihilation, extinction, extinguishment, suppression. See DISESTABLISHMENT.

**Abominable,** *a.* I. Hateful, odious, detestable, horrid, horrible, execrable, nefarious, damnable, cursed, accursed, hellish.

2. Loathsome, loathly, offensive, obnoxious, foul, nauseous, nauseating, disgusting, sickening, repulsive, revolting, shocking.
3. Vile, wretched, sorry, scurvy, shabby, utterly bad.

**Abominate,** *v. a.* Abhor, detest, execrate, hate, loathe, nauseate, shrink from, recoil from, revolt at, shudder at, view with horror.

**Abomination,** *n.* 1. Abhorrence, detestation, execration, hatred, loathing, disgust, antipathy, utter aversion.
2. Contamination, pollution, defilement, taint, uncleanness, impurity, foulness, loathsomeness, odiousness, corruption, corruptness.
3. Nuisance, annoyance, plague, infliction, torment, curse, great evil, hateful thing.

**Aboriginal,** *a.* Primitive, primeval, primordial, pristine, primary, prime, original, first, native, indigenous, autochthonal, autochthonous, of eld.

**Aborigines,** *n. pl.* Natives, aboriginals, primitive inhabitants, autochthones, indigenes, indigenous population.

**Abortion,** *n.* 1. Miscarriage, premature labor, premature delivery.
2. Failure, disappointment, want of success, vain effort *or* attempt.

**Abortive,** *a.* 1. Miscarrying, failing, untimely, immature, incomplete, stunted, rudimentary, rudimental.
2. Unavailing, vain fruitless, useless, bootless, ineffectual, ineffective, inoperative, unsuccessful, profitless, futile, unprofitable, idle, nugatory, in vain, of no account.

**Abound,** *v. n.* 1. Teem, swarm, superabound, swell, flow, increase, multiply, be in great plenty, be numerous, be very prevalent.
2. Exuberate, luxuriate, revel, wanton, be well furnished, be well supplied.

**About,** *prep.* 1. Around, round, encircling, surrounding.
2. Near, near to, not far from.
3. Concerning, touching, respecting, relating to, relative to, with respect to, with reference to, in regard to, with regard to.
4. Through, over, all over, in all parts of.

**About,** *ad.* 1. Around, hind part before, end for end, in an opposite direction.
2. Hither and thither, here and there, from one place to another, in various places.
3. Nearly, near, approximately, not far from, almost, well-nigh.
4. Ready, on the point, on the eve.

**Above,** *prep.* 1. Higher than, on top of, atop of.
2. Over, exceeding, more than, greater than.
3. Beyond, superior to.
4. Too high for, too proud for, of rectitude too great for, too magnanimous for.

**Above,** *ad.* 1. Overhead, aloft, on high, in a high place, in heaven, in the heavenly heights, *in excelsis.*
2. Before, in a former part, previously.
3. Of a higher rank *or* order.

**Above all.** Chiefly, in the first place, first and foremost, as the chief end, as the main object, before all other considerations.

**Above-board,** *ad.* Openly, candidly, ingenuously, frankly, sincerely, fairly, in open sight, without artifice, without concealment, without equivocation, without guile, without disguise, without mental reservation.

**Abrade,** *v. a.* Wear away, wear off, rub off. See SCRAPE.

**Abrasion,** *n.* Friction, attrition, rubbing, disintegration, wearing away, wearing off, rubbing off, rubbing down, wearing down. See CONFRICATION.

**Abreast,** *ad.* 1. Alongside, side by side, in one line, in alignment, aligned, bow to bow, stem to stem.
2. Against, off, on a line with, opposite to.

**Abridge,** *v. a.* 1. Shorten, epitomize, condense, compress, make an abstract of.
2. Diminish, reduce, contract, curtail, lessen, retrench, cut down. See ABBREVIATE.
3. Deprive of, dispossess of, divest of.

**Abridger,** *n.* Epitomizer, writer of an epitome.

**Abridgment,** *n.* 1. Shortening, compression, condensation, compacting, contraction, diminution, reduction, curtailment, retrenchment. See ABBREVIATION.
2. Compendium, compend, epitome, summary, abstract, digest, synopsis, syllabus, breviary, brief, conspectus, outline, bird's-eye view.
3. Deprivation, dispossession, limitation, restriction.

**Abroach,** *ad.* 1. Broached, tapped, on tap, flowing, aflow, running.
2. A-going, diffused, diffusive.

**Abroad,** *ad.* 1. Widely, at large, expansively, in all directions, unrestrainedly, ubiquitously.
2. Forth, out of the house, out of doors, in the open air.
3. In foreign lands, away from one's country, over sea, beyond seas, on one's travels.
4. Extensively, before the public, publicly.
5. Confused, dazed, at the end of one's wits, all at fault, quite confounded, off the scent, on the wrong track, aside of the mark, off the course, without the least clew.

**Abrogate,** *v. a.* Annul, disannul, repeal, revoke, rescind, cancel, abolish, nullify, quash, vacate, invalidate, overrule, set aside, do away, void, make void.

**Abrogation,** *n.* Repeal, rescission, rescinding, abolition, annulment, annulling, revocation, voidance, voiding, making void, cancelling, cancellation, setting aside.

**Abrupt,** *a.* 1. Broken, cragged, craggy, rough, rugged, jagged.
2. Steep, precipitous, acclivous, acclivitous.
3. Sudden, unexpected, unanticipated, precipitate, hasty, unseasonable, ill-timed, unlooked for, unannounced.
4. Short, blunt, unceremonious, curt, brusk (*or* brusque), rude, rough, inconsiderate, uncomplaisant, discourteous.
5. Inelegant (*as style*), stiff, cramped, harsh, disconnected, unconnected.

**Abscess,** *n.* Sore, ulcer, fester, imposthume, pustule, gathering, boil.

**Abscond,** *v. n.* 1. Withdraw, flee, fly, decamp, escape, elope, retreat, bolt, make off, steal away, slink away, slip away, run away, run off, sneak off, pack off, effect one's escape, make off with one's self, give the slip, take French leave, give leg bail (*Am.*).
2. Hide, secrete one's self, lie concealed.

**Absence,** *n.* 1. Non-attendance, non-appearance.
2. Inattention, abstraction, preoccupation, distraction, revery, musing, brown study, absence of mind.
3. Want, deficiency, lack, default, defect.
4. Privation, negation.

**Absent,** *a.* 1. Away, gone, not present.
2. Abstracted, preoccupied, inattentive, dreaming, musing, lost, napping, absent-minded, in a brown study.

**Absent-minded,** *a.* Abstracted, preoccupied. See ABSENT.

**Absent one's self.** Be not present, stay away, keep away, keep aloof, hold aloof.

**Absolute,** *a.* 1. Independent, unrestricted, unqualified, unlimited, unconditional, unconditioned, complete, perfect, self-existent, self-determined, ideal, supreme, *causa sui.*
2. Despotic, arbitrary, tyrannical, tyrannous,

imperious, imperative, authoritative, autocratic, dictatorial, irresponsible.

3. Positive, actual, real, veritable, determinate, decided, genuine, categorical, unequivocal, unquestionable, certain.

**Absolutely,** *ad.* I. Completely, unconditionally, without limit, definitely.

2. Truly, actually, positively, indeed, really, in fact, in reality, in truth, unquestionably, indubitably, beyond peradventure, infallibly.

**Absoluteness,** *n.* I. Despotism, arbitrariness. See ABSOLUTISM.

2. Positiveness, reality, actuality, perfection, ideality, supremeness, etc. See ABSOLUTE.

**Absolution,** *n.* Acquittal, remission, discharge, release, liberation, deliverance, clearance, forgiveness, pardon, shriving, shrift. See INDULGENCE, JUSTIFICATION.

**Absolutism,** *n.* Absoluteness, arbitrariness, despotism, tyranny, autocracy, personal government, Cæsarism, the "man on horseback."

**Absolutory,** *a.* Clearing, acquitting, releasing, pardoning, forgiving, absolvatory.

**Absolvatory,** *a.* See ABSOLUTORY.

**Absolve,** *v. a.* Acquit, clear, release, liberate, free, discharge, loose, deliver, exculpate, exonerate, excuse, forgive, pardon, shrive, set free. See JUSTIFY.

**Absorb,** *v. a.* I. Imbibe, take in, take up, suck in, suck up, drink in, appropriate, assimilate.

2. Consume, exhaust, destroy, engorge, devour, engulf, swallow up.

3. Engross, engage, immerse, occupy, arrest, fix, rivet.

**Absorbent,** *a.* Absorbing, imbibing.

**Absorption,** *n.* I. Absorbing. See ABSORB, 1 and 2.

2. Engrossment, occupation, engagement, immersion.

**Abstain,** *v. n.* Refrain, forbear, desist, deny one's self, hold *or* keep one's self back, stay one's hand, keep one's self from indulgence.

**Abstemious,** *a.* Abstinent (*by habit*), sober, moderate, habitually temperate, sparing in diet. See ABSTINENT.

**Abstemiousness,** *n.* Temperance (*as a habit*), abstinence.

**Abstergent,** *a.* (*Med.*) Cleansing, purifying, purgative, cathartic.

**Abstinence,** *n.* I. Abstaining, refraining, keeping aloof, avoidance.

2. Abstemiousness, soberness, temperance, moderation, non-indulgence, self-restraint, self-denial.

**Abstinent,** *a.* I. Abstaining, fasting.

2. Abstemious, sober, temperate, self-restraining, self-denying, not indulgent of appetites.

**Abstract,** *v. a.* I. Separate, disunite, disjoin, dissociate, isolate, detach, disengage, take out of context, take out of its proper whole, view partially, view one-sidedly, regard without reference to relations, consider in bare thought, think without the definiteness of sense-perception, think vaguely.

2. Take, seize, appropriate, steal, purloin.

3. Abridge, abbreviate, epitomize, make an abstract of, outline, make synopsis of.

**Abstract,** *a.* I. Separate, isolated, not concrete, out of context, unrelated, simple, by itself, *per se.*

2. Occult, recondite, subtile, refined, abstracted, vague. See ABSTRUSE.

**Abstract,** *n.* Abridgment, epitome, summary, conspectus, compend, compendium, synopsis, syllabus, outline, digest, brief, breviary, sum and substance, concise statement, gist, drift, general contents.

**Abstracted,** *a.* I. Subtile, refined, abstract, abstruse.

2. Inattentive, preoccupied, lost, dreaming, musing, absent, absent-minded, in a revery, in a brown study.

**Abstraction,** *n.* I. Separation, disconnection, disjunction, isolation, partial view, consideration without completeness, severing from context, ignoring of relations, blindness to the proper whole.

2. Preoccupation, inattention, revery, musing, muse, absence, absence of mind, brown study.

3. Taking, abduction, seizure, appropriation, stealing, purloining, pilfering.

**Abstruse,** *a.* Recondite, remote, occult, profound, hidden, transcendental, obscure, difficult, dark, vague, indefinite, enigmatical, mysterious, mystic, mystical, high, abstract, abstracted, subtile, refined, attenuated, rarified.

**Absurd,** *a.* Unreasonable, irrational, foolish, nonsensical, ridiculous, incongruous, senseless, unwise, silly, stupid, preposterous, ill-judged, ill-advised, contrary to reason, contrary to the dictates of common sense, self-contradictory, self-annulling, nugatory, self-cancelling.

**Absurdity,** *n.* I. Unreasonableness, irrationality, foolishness, folly, foolery, extravagance, absurdness, nugacity, fatuity, idiocy, drivelling.

2. Absurd thing, drivel, *hysteron proteron.* See PARADOX, MARE'S NEST, CART BEFORE THE HORSE.

**Absurdness,** *n.* See ABSURDITY.

**Absurd story.** Cock-and-bull story, fiddle-faddle, neither rhyme nor reason, old wives' tale, pure drivel.

**Abundance,** *n.* Flow, flood, overflow, exuberance, luxuriance, fertility, copiousness, profusion, richness, largeness, ampleness, wealth, affluence, store, more than enough, plenty, plenteousness.

**Abundant,** *a.* Abounding, flowing, overflowing, plentiful, plenteous, copious, much, exuberant, luxuriant, replete, full, large, ample, good, liberal, bountiful, lavish, rich, teeming, thick.

**Abuse,** *v. a.* I. Misuse, misemploy, misapply, pervert, prostitute, desecrate, dishonor, profane, pollute, make an ill use of, deceive, impose on, betray, cajole, seduce by cajolery.

2. Maltreat, harm, injure, hurt, ill-treat, ill-use.

3. Revile, reproach, vilify, slander, traduce, defame, asperse, inveigh against, carp at, malign, blacken, disparage, berate, rate, betongue, upbraid, calumniate, lampoon, satirize, lash, *pasquinade,* rail at, sneer at, speak ill of, calumniate, treat with contumely, pour contumely on. See VITUPERATE.

4. Violate, outrage, ravish, deflour.

**Abuse,** *n.* I. Misapplication, misuse, misemployment, dishonor, dishonoring, profanation, prostitution, desecration, pollution, perversion, ill-use.

2. Maltreatment, outrage, ill-treatment, bad treatment.

3. Corrupt practice, malfeasance, malversation.

4. Vituperation, railing, reviling, vilification, defamation, aspersion, disparagement, rating, upbraiding, contumely, obloquy, opprobrium, insult, scurrility, ribaldry, foul invective, rude reproach, billingsgate.

**Abusive,** *a.* Reproachful, opprobrious, scurrilous, ribald, contumelious, vituperative, condemnatory, damnatory, invective, carping, calumnious, denunciatory, injurious, offensive, reviling, insulting, insolent.

**Abut against.** } Meet (*end to end* or *side to side*),
**Abut upon.** } be contiguous, adjoin, be adjacent to, terminate at *or* upon, be conterminous with, be juxtaposed.

**Abutment,** *n.* I. Abutting, being contiguous *or* adjacent, adjoining, adjacency, contiguity, juxtaposition.

2. Shore-pier, end-pier, terminal pier, terminal support.

**Abuttal,** *n.* I. Adjacency, contiguity, nearness, juxtaposition, being next, boundary, terminus, limit, termination.

2. Terminal land, adjacent ground, contiguous estate, next holding, adjoining property.

**Abyss,** *n.* I. Gulf, gorge, great depth, deep pit, abysm, depth, deep, chasm, profound.

2. Hell, limbo, purgatory, the pit, bottomless pit, the nadir, gehenna, fire unquenchable, the lake that burneth forever.

**Academic,** } *a.* I. Scholastic, literary, lettered,
**Academical,** } collegiate, of the college, of the university.

2. Platonic, of Plato, platonistic.

**Academy,** *n.* School, seminary, institute, gymnasium, high school, college, scientific body, association of artists, *littérateurs*, or *savants*.

**Acarpous,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Unfruitful, sterile, barren, fruitless, unproductive.

**Accede,** *v. n* I. Consent, agree, assent, acquiesce, comply, yield assent, give assent.

2. Succeed (*as heir*), come to inherit, ascend the throne.

3. Be joined, be added, unite itself.

**Accelerate,** *v. a.* Hasten, expedite, hurry, quicken, speed, precipitate, despatch, urge forward, push forward, push on, press on, urge on.

**Acceleration,** *n.* Hastening, increase of velocity. See preceding verb.

**Accent,** *n.* I. Intonation, cadence, tone, modulation of voice.

2. Stress (*on a certain syllable*), ictus, cadence, tone, beat.

**Accent,** *v. a.* Accentuate, lay stress upon, pronounce with accent, put the ictus on.

**Accents,** *n. pl.* Language, words, tones, expressions, utterances, mode of speech.

**Accentuate,** *v. a.* I. Mark with accent, put the mark of accent upon.

2. Accent, lay stress upon, pronounce with accent, put the ictus on.

**Accept,** *v. a.* I. Take (*what is offered*). See RECEIVE.

2. Admit, assent to, agree to, accede to, acquiesce in, accommodate one's self to, approve, acknowledge, avow.

3. Estimate, regard, value, interpret, construe, put a sense upon.

**Acceptable,** *a.* Welcome, pleasing, pleasant, agreeable, grateful, gratifying.

**Acceptance,** *n.* I. Accepting, taking, reception, receipt, acknowledgment.

2. Favorable reception, approbation, approval, gratification, satisfaction, pleasure.

3. (*Com.*) Accepted bill (*of exchange*).

**Acceptation,** *n.* I. Meaning, signification, significance, sense, import, interpretation, construction, mode of explanation, understanding.

2. Approval, adoption, cordial reception, favorable regard.

**Access,** *n.* I. Avenue, approach, passage, way, passage-way, way of approach, entrance, entrance-way, adit, entry.

2. Admission, admittance, means of approach, liberty to approach, audience, interview, entrance.

3. Accession, addition, increase, aggrandizement, enlargement, gain, increment, more.

4. Attack (*of disease, etc.*), onset, fit, paroxysm, recurrence.

**Accessary,** *a.* Accessory, assisting, aiding, abetting, helping, subsidiary, ancillary, auxiliary, additional, additive, supplemental, supplementary, subordinate, of detail, of minor importance, concerning minutiæ.

**Accessary,** *n.* I. Confederate, accomplice, abettor, accessory, assistant, helper, coadjutor, associate (*in a crime*), *particeps criminis, socius criminis.*

2. Accessory, detail, minor particular, minor part, subordinate element, subsidiary, accompaniment, attendant, concomitant, supporting member, minutia.

**Accession,** *n.* I. Addition, increase, enlargement, augmentation, extension.

2. Coming into power (*as a new dynasty*).

**Accessory,** *a.* Same as ACCESSARY.

**Accessory,** *n.* I. Confederate. See ACCESSARY.

2. Accompaniment, attendant, concomitant. See ACCESSARY, 2.

**Accidence,** *n.* Inflection, grammatical variation, variation of stems, application of case-endings *and* conjugation-endings, inflectional etymology, changes undergone by lingual roots.

**Accident,** *n.* I. Casualty, chance, fortuity, mischance, misadventure, calamity, mishap, miscarriage, misfortune, hap, hazard, contingency, unforeseen *or* fortuitous event. See CONTRETEMPS.

2. Property, quality, modification, affection, mode, condition, state, change, alteration, attribute, contingent attribute, modalization.

**Accidental,** *a.* I. Casual, fortuitous, contingent, that happens by chance, not designed, not planned, unintended, chance, undesigned, not purposed.

2. Incidental, adventitious, non-essential, immaterial, dispensable, not absolutely requisite, *de facto* but not *de jure*, that has merely happened to be.

**Accidentalness,** *n.* Accidentality, contingency, fortuity, fortuitousness, etc. See ACCIDENTAL.

**Accipitres,** *n. pl.* [L.] (*Ornith.*) Raptors, raptorials, rapacious birds, birds of prey. See RAPTORES.

**Acclaim,** *n.* (*Poetical.*) See ACCLAMATION.

**Acclamation,** *n.* Applause, plaudit, shouting, cheer, cry, outcry, *éclat*, acclaim, shout of applause, loud homage, gratulation, salutation, hosanna, *te deum, gloria in excelsis*

**Acclimate,** *v. a.* Acclimatize, inure *or* habituate to a climate.

**Acclimation,** *n.* Acclimature, acclimatization, acclimatation, acclimatement, inurement to climate, adjustment to climate.

**Acclimatize,** *v. a.* Same as ACCLIMATE.

**Acclivity,** *n.* Ascent, upward slope, rising ground, steep, hill, height, up-hillway.

**Accommodate,** *v. a.* I. Oblige, serve, supply, furnish, do a service for, supply the wants of, minister to the convenience of, make comfortable, contain, hold, furnish room for.

2. Fit, suit, adapt, make conform, make conformable, make consistent, make correspond.

3. Reconcile, adjust, settle, compose, harmonize.

**Accommodate with.** Furnish, supply, afford, spare, give.

**Accommodation,** *n.* I. Advantage, privilege, convenience, supply of wants, provision of conveniences. See EASEMENT.

2. Agreement, adaptation, fitness, suitableness, conformity.

3. Reconciliation, adjustment, pacification, settlement, harmony, harmonization, harmonizing.

**Accompaniment,** *n.* Appendage, concomitant, attendant, adjunct, attachment, appurtenance.

**Accompany,** *v. a.* Attend, escort, convoy, follow, wait on, be associated with, keep company with, go with, go along with, consort with, go hand in hand with.

**Accomplice,** *n.* Confederate, accessary, abettor, associate (*in a crime*). See PARTICEPS CRIMINIS, SOCIUS CRIMINIS.

**Accomplish,** *v. a.* I. Complete, achieve, effect, execute, perform, do, consummate, compass, carry, carry into effect, carry through, carry out,

get through, bring about, work out, turn out, turn off.

2. Finish, end, conclude, terminate.

3. Fulfil, realize, effectuate, bring to pass.

4. (*Rare.*) Equip, furnish, supply.

**Accomplished,** *a.* 1. Instructed, educated, practised, experienced, finished, consummate, ripe, thorough-bred, versed, qualified, proficient, able, clever, apt, adroit, expert, skilful.

2. Polished, refined, polite, elegant, fashionable, fine.

**Accomplishment,** *n.* 1. Completion, performance, execution, achievement, consummation, fulfilment. See ACCOMPLISH.

2. Acquirement, attainment, proficiency, stock of knowledge, mental resources, embellishment (*of mind* and *manners*), ornamental acquisition, ornament, adornment, grace.

**Accord,** *v. a.* Grant, concede, yield, give, allow, vouchsafe, deign.

**Accord,** *v. n.* Harmonize, correspond, agree, tally, quadrate, be in unison, be harmonious, square.

**Accord,** *n.* Accordance, agreement. See next.

**Accordance,** *n.* Accord, concord, agreement, concurrence, concordance, conformity, conformation, harmony, unison, unanimity.

**Accordant,** *a.* Agreeable, agreeing, suitable, in accord (with), consonant, congruous, symphonious, harmonious.

**Accordingly,** *ad.* 1. Agreeably, suitably, conformably.

2. Consequently, therefore, hence, wherefore, whence, thence, then, thus, so, and so, as a natural consequence, as proper to the circumstances *or* the occasion.

**According to.** By, in accordance with, conformably to, agreeably to.

**Accost,** *v. a.* Come alongside, confront, approach, draw near, address, salute, greet, speak to, make up to.

**Accouchement,** *n.* [Fr.] Child-bearing, childbed, child-birth, delivery, confinement, lying-in, parturition, labor, travail, being in the straw.

**Accoucheur,** *n.* [Fr.] Man-midwife, obstetrician.

**Accoucheuse,** *n.* [Fr.] Midwife, howdy (*or* howdie).

**Account,** *n.* 1. Record, register, inventory, score.

2. Bill, charge, registry of debt and credit.

3. Reckoning, computation, calculation, enumeration, tale, count.

4. Description, statement, narration, recital, rehearsal, relation, narrative, chronicle, history, delineation, representation, portrayal, detail, word, tidings, report.

5. Explanation, exposition, clearing up, elucidation, exhibition of causes, reference to grounds, exploration into principles, philosophy.

6. Consideration, regard, motive, reason, ground, sake.

7. Consequence, importance, worth, distinction, dignity, repute, reputation, note.

8. Profit, advantage. See BENEFIT.

**Account,** *v. a.* Esteem, regard, deem, judge, believe, take for, think, hold, consider, view, reckon, rate, estimate, look upon.

**Account,** *v. n.* [With *with* or *to* before persons, and *for* before things.] 1. Render an account, answer in judgment, answer responsibly.

2. Explain, elucidate, expound, trace to causes, give the philosophy of, clear up, exhibit the grounds, give a reason, show the reason, render a reason, assign the cause, make explanation of.

**Accountability,** *n.* Accountableness, responsibility, liability, obligation, bond of duty, the having to answer for, amenability.

**Accountable,** *a.* Responsible, answerable, amenable, liable, in duty bound.

**Accountableness,** *n.* See ACCOUNTABILITY.

**Accountant,** *n.* Book-keeper, expert in accounts.

**Accoutre,** *v. a.* [Written also *Accouter.*] Dress, equip, furnish, fit out, arm and equip, array in mail, array in military harness, harness, array for the field, equip for the fight.

**Accoutrements,** *n. pl.* [Written also *Accouterments.*] Dress, equipage, equipments, trappings, gear, harness, array.

**Accredit,** *v. a.* Credit, give trust *or* confidence to, give credit *or* honor to, receive as an envoy, receive as commissioned, empowered, *or* authorized, authorize, empower, commission, depute, send with credentials.

**Accretion,** *n.* 1. Growth (*by accession of parts*), accumulation, increase by adhesion.

2. (*Med.*) Growing together, adhesion.

3. (*Law.*) Gradual accumulation (*of soil, as at the mouth of a river*).

**Accrue,** *v. n.* Result, proceed, come, arise, issue, follow, flow, ensue, be added, be derived, be gained, be got, come in, accumulate (intrans.).

**Accumbent,** *a.* Leaning, reclining.

**Accumulate,** *v. a.* 1. Pile, amass, aggregate, collect, collect together, gather up, pile up, heap up, bring together, heap together, scrape together.

2. Store, garner, husband, treasure up, garner up, lay up, lay by, lay in, set by. See HOARD.

**Accumulate,** *v. n.* Increase, grow, be accumulated, be heaped up, accrue.

**Accumulation,** *n.* Collection, pile, heap, aggregation, mass, accretion, amount accrued, store, hoard, hoarding.

**Accuracy,** *n.* Accurateness, exactness, exactitude, correctness, precision, niceness, nicety, truth, accurateness, fidelity, faithfulness, carefulness, correctness, closeness, strictness.

**Accurate,** *a.* Exact, correct, precise, true, truthful, faithful, strict, close, rigorous, severe, just, nice, unerring.

**Accurateness,** *n.* See ACCURACY.

**Accursed,** *a.* 1. Cursed, unsanctified, unholy, diabolic, devilish, hellish, infernal, doomed, damned.

2. Detestable, execrable, hateful, abominable, odious, horrid, horrible, damnable, revolting. See ABOMINABLE.

**Accusation,** *n.* Crimination, impeachment, arraignment, indictment, charge. See ACCUSE.

**Accuse,** *v. a.* Charge, impeach, arraign, indict, criminate, incriminate, inculpate, tax, inform against, call to account, take to task, blame, censure.

**Accuser,** *n.* Informer, informant, plaintiff, complainant, prosecutor.

**Accustom,** *v. a.* Habituate, inure, use, harden, familiarize, train, discipline, drill, break in. See ADDICT.

**Accustomed,** *a.* Usual, habitual, wonted, habituated, customary, familiar, common, frequent, regular, ordinary, every-day.

**Ace,** *n.* 1. Single point (*in cards* or *in dice*), single pip, single spot, one-spot, head of suit.

2. Particle, item, atom, jot, iota, bit, tittle, whit, grain, scrap, mite, corpuscle, scintilla, trifle, fig.

**Acephalous,** *a.* Headless, without organization, disorganized, confused, anarchical, disorderly, lumbering, aimless, shapeless, amorphous.

**Acerbity,** *n.* 1. Sourness, astringency, roughness, acidity, acidness, tartness, acridity, acridness, bitterness.

2. Acrimony, acrimoniousness, severity, harshness, sternness, asperity, bitterness, venom, rancor, crabbedness, churlishness, moroseness, sullenness, ill-temper.

**Acetic acid.** See VINEGAR.
**Ache,** *n.* Aching, dull pain, continued pain, pain, anguish, agony.
**Ache,** *v. n.* I. Be in pain, feel *or* suffer pain.
2. Be painful, give pain, be anguished, sorrow, grieve, suffer.
**Achieve,** *v. a.* I. Accomplish, perform, execute, do, complete, finish, compass, consummate, effect, realize, bring about, bring to pass, carry through, carry out, work out, bring to a close, bring to conclusion, bring to consummation *or* perfection, actualize.
2. Obtain, acquire, procure, gain, win, get.
**Achievement,** *n.* I. Performance, accomplishment, completion, attainment, realization, consummation.
2. Exploit, feat, deed, work.
3. Escutcheon, shield, ensign armorial.
**Aching,** *n.* Pain, ache, continued pain.
**Achromatic,** *a.* Colorless, uncolored, untinged, hueless, free from color, perfectly transparent.
**Achromatism,** *n.* Absence of color, want of color, freedom from color, perfect transparency, freedom from iridescence.
**Achromatize,** *v. a.* Deprive of color, render non-iridescent, make perfectly transparent, render purely translucent.
**Acicular,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Aciculate, aciform, needle-shaped.
**Aciculate,** *a.* (*Bot.*) See ACICULAR.
**Acid,** *a.* Sour, tart, sharp, pricking, stinging, pungent.
**Acidity,** *n.* Acidness, sourness, tartness, sharpness.
**Acidness,** *n.* See ACIDITY.
**Acidulous,** *a.* Sourish, somewhat acid, slightly acid, sub-acid, somewhat sour.
**Aciform,** *a.* (*Bot.*) See ACICULAR.
**Acinaciform,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Cimeter-shaped.
**Acknowledge,** *v. a.* I. Recognize, take cognizance of, be aware of, hold in remembrance.
2. Admit, grant, concede, allow, accept, indorse, subscribe to, agree to.
3. Confess, own, avow, profess.
4. Express gratitude for, give thanks for.
5. Own *or* admit the validity of.
**Acknowledgment,** *n.* I. Recognition, recognizance.
2. Admission, avowal, concession, allowance, acceptance, indorsement.
3. Expression of thanks *or* gratitude.
**Acme,** *n.* Summit, top, apex, vertex, zenith, peak, pinnacle, utmost height, highest point, culmination, culminating point, climax.
**Acolyte,** *n.* Follower, attendant, under-clergyman, satellite, henchman, retainer, acolythe, acolyth. See ADHERENT.
**Aconite,** *n.* Wolfsbane, monks-hood.
**Acquaint,** *v. a.* I. Familiarize, make familiar.
2. Inform, apprise, tell, notify, make aware, make known to, mention to, communicate to, signify to, give notice to, send word to, write word to, advise of, advertise of, send advices to.
**Acquaintance,** *n.* I. Familiarity, familiar knowledge.
2. Friend (*with whom one is not intimate*), circle known, visiting circle, round of one's social intercourse, person *or* persons known.
**Acquainted with.** I. Familiar with, versed in, *au fait* in.
2. A friend of (*without being intimate with*), in social relations with, knowing personally.
**Acquiesce,** *v. n.* I. Yield, comply, submit, bow, rest, resign one's self, be reconciled, be resigned, be satisfied, rest satisfied, repose, rest content.
2. Assent, consent, agree, accede, concur, yield assent, give consent, fall in, go with the stream, go with the current.
**Acquiescence,** *n.* I. Compliance, submission, resignation, satisfaction, contentment.
2. Assent, consent, agreement, concurrence.
**Acquiescent,** *a.* Complying, yielding, submitting, etc. See ACQUIESCE.
**Acquire,** *v. a.* I. Gain, obtain, achieve, attain, procure, earn, win, get, secure, have, make, get possession of, get into one's hands. See PURCHASE.
2. Master, learn thoroughly, make one's self master of.
**Acquirement,** *n.* I. Acquiring, gathering, gaining, mastery.
2. Accomplishment, attainment, acquisition, stock of knowledge, mental resources.
**Acquisition,** *n.* See ACQUIREMENT.
**Acquisitive,** *a.* Acquiring, disposed to acquire, eager for gain.
**Acquisitiveness,** *n.* Love of acquiring, desire to acquire, eagerness for gain.
**Acquit,** *v. a.* Discharge (*from an accusation*), clear, release, absolve, exonerate, exculpate, excuse, pardon, forgive, quit, set free.
**Acquit one's self.** Act, behave, conduct one's self, bear one's self, demean one's self.
**Acquittal,** *n.* Discharge, release, deliverance, liberation, exoneration, exculpation, clearance, absolution, acquittance.
**Acquittance,** *n.* I. Discharge. See ACQUITTAL.
2. Receipt, receipt in full, quittance.
**Acrid,** *a.* I. Sharp, biting, pungent, hot, burning, poignant, caustic, corrosive, bitter.
2. Severe, harsh. See ACRIMONIOUS.
**Acridity,** *n.* See ACRIDNESS.
**Acridness,** *n.* I. Acridity, sharpness, pungency, poignancy.
2. Severity, harshness, hardness. See ACRIMONY, 2.
**Acrimonious,** *a.* I. (*Rare.*) Corrosive, caustic, sharp.
2. Severe, harsh, hard, acrid, sarcastic, bitter, virulent, malignant, censorious, crabbed, snarling, snappish, testy, pettish, petulant, cross, sour, tart, splenetic, peevish, ill-tempered, ill-natured, rancorous, spiteful, envenomed, galling, grinding, biting, mordacious.
**Acrimony,** *n.* I. Sharpness, corrosiveness, causticity.
2. Severity, harshness, hardness, sourness, tartness, acridity, acridness, asperity, virulence, bitterness, acerbity, rancor, venom, crabbedness, moroseness, churlishness, ill-temper, spite, spitefulness, abusiveness
**Acroamatic, Acroamatical, Acroatic,** *a.* Esoteric, esoterical, secret, private, abstruse, deep, profound, difficult, interior, obscure, arcane, adytal, for the initiate.
**Acrobat,** *n.* Rope-dancer, funambulist, high-vaulter, lofty-tumbler, flying-trapezist, aerial athlete, equilibrist, aerosaltant.
**Acrospire,** *n.* Shoot, sprout, plumule.
**Across,** *prep. and ad.* Athwart, over, from one side of to the other, thwart, transversely.
**Act,** *v. n.* I. Work, move, carry anything into effect, execute a purpose, be in action, be active, be in process, keep going, energize.
2. Behave, conduct one's self, demean one's self, acquit one's self, deport one's self.
3. Operate, have influence, be efficient, be efficacious, work, have effect, be operative.
4. Play a part, play, feign, dissimulate, pretend, make believe, dissemble.
5. Play parts, represent characters, make impersonations.
**Act,** *v. a.* I. Do, perform, execute, carry into execution.

2. Personate, impersonate, represent, play, simulate, enact, play the part of, take the part of.
3. Be, realize, actualize, do the duties of, display the qualities of, have the essential character of.

**Act,** *n.* 1. Deed (*viewed as a single exertion of power*), performance, proceeding, exploit, feat, achievement, turn. See ACTION, 2.
2. Statute, enactment, ordinance, edict, decree, law, bill.
3. Fact, reality, actuality, real existence.
4. Stage in the action (*in a drama*).

**Acting,** *n.* 1. Deed, performance, action.
2. Personation, representation, simulation.

**Actinolite,** *n.* Strahlstein, ray-stone.

**Action,** *n.* 1. Activity, spontaneous process, exercise, motion, movement, play.
2. Deed (*viewed as requiring a continued exertion of power*), performance, feat, exploit, achievement, procedure, proceeding, acting, turn.
3. Agency, operation, force, energy, influence, instrumentality, process.
4. Battle, engagement, conflict, contest, combat, rencontre, encounter, skirmish, brush, affair.
5. Gesticulation, gesture.
6. Acting, performing, performance, enacting, representing, representation, putting on the boards, playing.
7. Subject, fable, plot, series of events.
8. (*Law.*) Suit, lawsuit, process, case, prosecution.

**Active,** *a.* 1. Operative, operant, influential, efficient, effective, effectual, efficacious, living, vigorous, in action, in operation, in actual process, in force, in vitality, valid.
2. Busy, diligent, assiduous, industrious, indefatigable, unremitting, laborious, sedulous, notable, at work, hard at work, diligently employed, busily engaged.
3. Alert, nimble, agile, supple, brisk, dapper, stirring, smart, quick, prompt, ready, lively, sprightly, spirited. See SPRY.
4. Enterprising, energetic, strong, efficient, in earnest, vigorous, full of life, animated, ebullient, fervent.
5. Drastic (*as medicine*), powerful, potent, effective, efficacious.
6. (*Gram.*) Transitive.

**Activity,** *n.* 1. Action, exercise, mode of action, mode of exercise.
2. Alertness, agility, nimbleness, smartness, briskness, sprightliness, spryness, etc. See ACTIVE, 3.
3. Intensity, energy, strength, force, power, vigor.
4. Enterprise, efficiency, alert endeavor.

**Actor,** *n.* 1. Doer, operator, agent, participant.
2. Player, performer, comedian, tragedian, stage-player, dramatic artist, histrionic artist.

**Actual,** *a.* 1. Real, veritable, true, substantial, objective, determinate, decided, categorical, positive, absolute, certain, genuine, very, not merely imagined, not imaginary, not merely supposed or fancied, not fictitious, that exists in deed and in truth, *de jure* as well as *de facto*, ideal (*in pregnant sense*), really ideal, ideally real, *bona fide*, thorough, thoroughgoing, in entelechy, entelechic.
2. Present, now existing, now in being, sensibly real, sensible, perceptible, *de facto*, in hard fact, at this moment, here and now, just this present, un-ideal, in act, *in actu*, in process, energizing, energic, in energy, ἐν ἐνεργείᾳ.

**Actually,** *ad.* Really, truly, absolutely, positively, verily, indeed, in fact, in reality, as a matter of fact, in truth. See ACTUAL.

**Actuary,** *n.* Agent, superintendent, supervisor, overseer, clerk, registrar, computing manager, manager, executive agent.

**Actuate,** *v. a.* Induce, impel, move, prompt, instigate, persuade, incite, act upon, prevail upon, work upon, urge, drive, dispose, incline.

**Act upon.** 1. Influence, effect, have influence upon.
2. Induce, actuate.

**Act up to.** Abide by, conform to, persist in, live up to, practise, carry out in practice, adhere to, be faithful to, fulfil.

**Acumen,** *n.* Acuteness, shrewdness, sagacity, astuteness, sharpness, ingenuity, perspicacity, discernment, penetration, mother-wit, quick parts.

**Acuminate,** } *a.* (*Bot.*) Sharp, acute, pointed,
**Acuminated,** } cuspidate, cuspidated.

**Acute,** *a.* 1. Sharp, pointed, acuminate, cuspidate.
2. Keen, shrewd, discerning, knowing, quick, sharp, smart, bright, sage, sagacious, intelligent, astute, ingenious, subtle, penetrating, piercing, clear-sighted, sharp-witted, long-headed.
3. Severe, violent, intense, poignant, distressing, fierce, piercing, exquisite, pungent.
4. High, shrill, high-toned.
5. (*Med.*) Sudden, violent, temporary, limited, not chronic.

**Acuteness,** *n.* 1. Sharpness, pointedness.
2. Acumen, shrewdness, penetration, sagacity, sagaciousness, astuteness, sharpness, brightness, perspicacity, discernment, ingenuity, mother-wit, quick parts.
3. Severity, intensity, poignancy, violence.
4. Highness, shrillness.

**Adage,** *n.* Proverb, saying, saw, dictum, aphorism, apothegm, maxim, by-word, sententious precept.

**Adamant,** *n.* Diamond, crystallized carbon, infrangible mineral, indestructible stone, eternal rock.

**Adamantean,** *a.* Adamantine, hard as adamant, very hard, infrangible, indestructible, imperishable.

**Adamantine,** *a.* 1. Made of adamant.
2. Adamantean, very hard, hard as adamant.

**Adam's-needle,** *n.* Yucca, bear-grass, Spanish bayonet.

**Adapt,** *v. a.* Adjust, accommodate, suit, proportion, qualify, prepare, fit, temper, fashion, match, make, conform, make conformable *or* suitable.

**Adaptability,** *n.* Adaptableness, suitableness. See ADAPTATION.

**Adaptation,** *n.* 1. Fitness, suitableness, appropriateness, aptness, adaptability, conformableness, conformability, accommodation, harmony.
2. Fitting, process *or* act of fitting, adjustment, accommodation, suiting, etc. See ADAPT.

**Add,** *v. a.* 1. Join, subjoin, annex, affix, adject, adjoin, append, superadd, tag, tack on, connect, say further.
2. Sum, sum up, cast up, add together, aggregate, reckon up, count up, foot up.

**Addendum,** *n.* Addition, appendix, appendage, adjunct, appurtenance, attachment.

**Addict,** *v. a.* Accustom (*commonly in a bad sense*), habituate, dedicate, devote, apply (*habitually*), give, give up.

**Addiction,** *n.* (*Rare.*) Addictedness, habit, habituation, absorption, absorbedness, surrender, devotion, devotedness, enslavement, immersion.

**Addition,** *n.* 1. Adding, joining, etc. See ADD.
2. Accession, increase, augmentation, enlargement, extension. See ADD TO.
3. Appendage, adjunct, appendix. See ADDENDUM.

**Additional,** *a.* Superadded, adscititious, supplemental, supplementary, extra, more.

**Additive,** *a.* To be added. See ADD, 1.

**Addle,** *a.* 1. Addled, spoiled (*as eggs*), rotten, putrid, corrupt.

2. Barren, unfruitful, fruitless, abortive, unproductive, unprolific, unfertile, sterile, infecund, addled.

**Addle,** *v. a.* 1. Corrupt, spoil, render barren. See preceding.

2. Accumulate gradually, earn, lay up, save.

**Addled,** *a.* See ADDLE.

**Addle-head,** *n.* Simpleton, noodle. See DUNCE.

**Addle-headed,** *a.* Foolish, stupid, dull, muddled, doltish, brainless, shallow, soft, sappy, witless, blockish, weak-headed, muddle-headed, weak-minded, feeble-minded, half-witted, short-witted, shallow-brained, dull-witted, thick-skulled, addle-pated.

**Addle-pated,** *a.* See ADDLE-HEADED.

**Address,** *v. a.* Direct (*words, etc.*), accost, speak to, apply to, invoke, court, pay court to, make suit to, direct (*a letter, etc.*), indite, consign.

**Address,** *n.* 1. Appeal, invocation, petition, entreaty, request, imploration, application, solicitation, suit.

2. Discourse, speech, oration, harangue.

3. Skill, art, adroitness, readiness, dexterity, expertness, cleverness, ingenuity, ability, tact, management.

4. Superscription, direction.

5. Manner (*in speaking to another*).

6. Place by the post *or* mail, post-office, place for receiving correspondence.

**Addresses,** *n. pl.* Courtship, suit.

**Address one's self to.** Direct one's speech *or* discourse to, speak to, apply to, give attention to, turn attention to, direct efforts to *or* upon, set to work upon, endeavor to, set about, go at.

**Add to.** Increase, augment, enlarge, greaten, make greater, aggrandize.

**Adduce,** *v. a.* 1. Advance, offer, present, allege, assign, give, bring forward.

2. Name, mention, cite, quote, introduce.

**Adept,** *n.* Master, proficient, expert, genius, veteran, old hand, practised hand, good hand, master hand, capital hand, nice hand, doctor, dab, dabster.

**Adept,** *a.* Skilled, versed, experienced, practised, proficient, good, at home, dab, *au fait.*

**Adequacy,** *n.* Adequateness, sufficiency, sufficingness, completeness, competence, competency, enough.

**Adequate,** *a.* Sufficient, sufficing, enough, commensurate, proportionate, correspondent, equal, suitable, fit, competent, adapted.

**Adequateness,** *n.* See ADEQUACY.

**Adhere,** *v. n.* 1. Stick, cling, cleave, hold, cohere, take hold, be firmly fixed.

2. Belong, pertain, appertain, be appurtenant, be intimately related.

3. Be faithful, be devoted, be attached, stand by, be true.

**Adherence,** *n.* 1. Tenacity, fixedness.

2. Attachment, constancy, fidelity, devotion, adhesion.

**Adherent,** *a.* Adhering, sticking, clinging.

**Adherent,** *n.* Follower, partisan, disciple, sectary, votary, supporter, dependant, vassal, retainer, henchman, satellite, acolyte, acolythe, acolyth.

**Adhesion,** *n.* 1. Adhering, sticking, clinging, tendency to adhere.

2. Attachment. See ADHERENCE.

**Adhesive,** *a.* 1. Sticking, clinging, tending to adhere.

2. Sticky, tenacious, viscid, viscous, glutinous, gummy.

**Adieu,** *ad.* Farewell, good-by, fare-you-well, God bless you.

**Adieu,** *n.* Farewell, valediction, leave-taking, parting, good-by.

**Adipose,** *a.* Fat, fatty, unctuous, oily, sebaceous, greasy.

**Adjacence,** } *n.* Nearness, vicinity, juxtaposition,
**Adjacency,** } neighborhood, proximity, contiguity.

**Adjacent,** *a.* Adjoining, conterminous, neighboring, near, close, bordering, marching, contiguous, in proximity, in juxtaposition.

**Adjective,** *n.* (*Technical term of the grammarian.*) Qualifying word *or* term, descriptive name, attributive name, attributive, attribute, connotative name, adnoun. See EPITHET.

**Adjoin,** *v. a.* Be contiguous to, lie near to, lie close to, border upon, be adjacent to, march on *or* with, lie next, be juxtaposed to.

**Adjoin,** *v. n.* (*Rare.*) Border together, lie near together, lie close together, be contiguous, be adjacent.

**Adjourn,** *v. a.* 1. Postpone, defer, delay, procrastinate, put off.

2. Suspend, interrupt, close, end, prorogue, dissolve.

**Adjourn,** *v. n.* Suspend *or* postpone session, take recess, dissolve.

**Adjournment,** *n.* 1. Postponement, delay, putting off.

2. Prorogation, etc. See ADJOURN, 2.

**Adjudge,** *v. a.* 1. Award (*judicially*), assign, allot.

2. Determine, settle, decide, decree (*by judicial authority*), adjudicate.

**Adjudicate,** *v. a.* Determine. See ADJUDGE.

**Adjudicate,** *v. n.* Judge, decide, determine, arbitrate give judgment, pass judgment, sit in judgment.

**Adjudication,** *n.* 1. Act of deciding judicially. See ADJUDICATE.

2. Sentence, decision, determination, decree, award, arbitrament.

**Adjunct,** *n.* Addition, appendage, appurtenance, dependency, attachment, addendum, something added, modifier, subordinate part, accessary, accessory, minor detail.

**Adjuration,** *n.* Entreaty (*as if to one bound by oath*), solemn charge, act of adjuring, adjuring, solemn appeal, oath.

**Adjure,** *v. a.* 1. Entreat (*as if under oath*), conjure, obtest, beseech, pray, supplicate, beg, implore, invoke, enjoin solemnly.

2. Swear by, invoke (*by oath*), take oath upon.

**Adjust,** *v. a.* 1. Arrange, dispose, rectify, trim, put *or* set in order, put *or* set to rights, put in tune, put in good *or* proper trim.

2. Regulate, set.

3. Settle, compose, pacify, reconcile, make up.

4. Fit, adapt, suit, proportion, accommodate, measure, make conform, make conformable (followed by *to* or *with*).

**Adjustment,** *n.* 1. Arrangement, adjusting, putting in order, putting in good trim, setting to rights, disposal.

2. Regulation, setting, putting right, state of regulation, good order, accurate arrangement.

3. Settlement, reconciliation, pacification, agreement, understanding, mutual understanding.

4. Fitting, adapting, accommodation, making suitable *or* conformable, conformity, suitedness.

**Adjutant,** *n.* 1. (*Rare.*) Assistant, helper, aid, adjurant.

2. (*Mil.*) Order-aide, subordinate in charge of orders, subordinate through whom orders are issued and reports received.

3. Adjutant-bird (*Ciconia argala, Leptoptilus argala*).

**Admeasurement,** *n.* I. Measurement, measuring, measure, dimensions, ascertained dimensions.
2. (*Law.*) Partition, ascertainment of shares.

**Administer,** *v. a.* I. Dispense, give, distribute, supply, contribute, deal out, give out, afford, furnish.
2. Direct, manage, conduct, control, superintend, preside over.
3. Tender, offer, proffer.

**Administer,** *v. n.* I. Contribute, conduce, be helpful. [With *to.*]
2. (*Law.*) Act as administrator. [With *upon.*]

**Administration,** *n.* I. Dispensation, distribution, giving.
2. Management, conduct, direction, control, superintendence.
3. Executive department (*of a government*), President (or *other chief magistrate*) and cabinet, the Government, the ministry, the cabinet.
4. (*Law.*) Management of an estate (*of an intestate*).

**Admirable,** *a.* I. (*Rare.*) Wonderful, surprising, striking, astonishing.
2. Excellent, praiseworthy, astonishingly good, fine, rare, superb, worthy of admiration.

**Admiration,** *n.* I. (*Rare.*) Wonder, surprise, astonishment, amazement.
2. Liking, love, high regard, high opinion.

**Admire,** *v. a.* I. (*Rare.*) Wonder at, be surprised at, be astonished *or* amazed at.
2. Esteem great, regard with pleasure, think fine, count brilliant, like much, think highly of, have a high opinion of, prize *or* value highly.

**Admire,** *v. n.* (*Rare.*) Wonder, marvel, be surprised *or* astonished.

**Admirer,** *n.* Appreciator, one that esteems another great *or* excellent, one that greatly values, lover, gallant, suitor, sweetheart, beau, *cicisbeo.*

**Admissible,** *a.* Permissible, allowable, lawful, proper, justifiable, warrantable, possible, probable, quite likely, not unlikely, not impossible.

**Admission,** *n.* I. Admittance, introduction, access, entrance, initiation, *entrée*
2. Allowance, avowal, concession, acknowledgment, assent, acceptance.

**Admit,** *v. a.* I. Receive, grant entrance to, let in, take in, open the door to, give access to.
2. Concede, accept, grant, acknowledge, own, confess, take for granted, agree to, accede to, acquiesce in.
3. Permit, allow, bear, admit of, be capable of.

**Admit of.** Admit, permit, allow, bear, be capable of.

**Admittance,** *n.* I. Admission, entrance, introduction, *entrée.*
2. Access, means of approach, liberty to approach, permission to enter, lodgment, acceptance, reception, welcome.

**Admixture,** *n.* I. Mixture, mingling.
2. Spice, dash, infusion, sprinkling, touch, seasoning, smack, taste, tincture, tinge, hint, suggestion, flavor, suspicion, *soupçon.*

**Admonish,** *v. a.* I. Reprove (*gently*), censure, warn of a fault, rebuke.
2. Advise, counsel, caution, forewarn, warn, enjoin.
3. Instruct, inform, teach, apprise, acquaint, notify, make acquainted, make aware, remind.

**Admonition,** *n.* I. Hint of a fault, gentle reproof, mild censure, slight rebuke, remonstrance.
2. Advice, counsel, caution, warning, monition, instruction, reminder.

**Admonitory,** *a.* Admonishing, monitory, cautionary, warning, counselling, admonitive.

**Ado,** *n.* I. Trouble, difficulty, travail, toil, labor, pains.
2. Bustle, stir, flurry, fuss, hubbub, noise, tumult, turmoil, pother, bother, botherment, bothe-ration (*colloq.*), confusion, commotion, excitement, to-do (*colloq.*).

**Adolescence,** *n.* Youth, juvenility, minority, juniority, nonage, teens, springtime of life, dayspring of life, adolescency, growing, growing time, period of growth, growing up, prime of life, flower of life, bloom of life.

**Adolescent,** *a.* Youthful, juvenile, young, growing, in the teens, etc. See ADOLESCENCE.

**Adopt,** *v. a.* I. Appropriate, take to one's self, take *or* select as one's own, assume.
2. Approve, accept, avow, espouse, support, maintain.
3. Affiliate, father, take as one's own child, treat as one's own child.

**Adoption,** *n.* I. Appropriation.
2. Approval, acceptance, avowal, espousal, support, maintenance.
3. Affiliation, adopting, fathering.

**Adorable,** *a.* I. Divine, to be adored, worthy of adoration, deserving of worship, to be worshipped, worshipable, demanding divine honors.
2. Estimable, venerable, worthy of love *or* honor, admirable, worthy of the utmost love, supremely good.

**Adoration,** *n.* I. Worship, devotion, act of adoring, adoring.
2. Homage, reverence, veneration, exalted regard, idolizing, idolatry, being enamoured, incense.

**Adore,** *v. a.* I. Worship.
2. Revere, venerate, idolize, honor, pay homage to.

**Adorer,** *n.* I. Worshipper.
2. Idolater, great admirer.

**Adorn,** *v. a.* Embellish, decorate, enrich, beautify, ornament, deck, bedeck, emblazon, set, beset, set round, stick, bestick, stud, bestud, gild, trim, betrim, grace, crown, garnish, array, set out, set off, varnish, bedizen, trick out, dress out, dress up, dress.

**Adroit,** *a.* Dexterous, expert, skilful, apt, handy, ready, quick, clever, able, masterly. See ADEPT.

**Adscititious,** *a.* Supplemental, supplementary, superadded, adventitious, superfluous, redundant, alien, artificial, spurious, smuggled. See ADDITIONAL, ACCESSARY.

**Adulation,** *n.* Flattery, cajolery, honeyed words, flummery, excessive praise, extravagant compliment, fulsome praise, over-laudation, blandishment, blandiloquence, fawning, sycophancy, incense.

**Adulatory,** *a.* Flattering, smooth, oily, full of compliments, servile in compliment, fawning, cringing, obsequious, unctuous, sycophantic, sycophantish, parasitic, blandishing, cajoling.

**Adult,** *a.* Mature, grown up, full grown, of age, of mature age, ripe, ripened.

**Adult,** *n.* Person of mature age, grown-up person.

**Adulterate,** *v. a.* Debase, corrupt, contaminate, vitiate, deteriorate, make impure, sophisticate, alloy, dash with, mix *or* mingle with.

**Adulteration,** *n.* Debasement, corruption, deterioration, sophistication, etc. See ADULTERATE.

**Adulterous,** *a.* Guilty of adultery, committing adultery, advouteous, impure, debased, illicit, spurious, corrupt, unchaste, rakish, dissolute.

**Adultery,** *n.* Violation of the marriage-bed, infidelity, breaking of the marriage-vows, advoutry, criminal conversation, *crim. con.*

**Adumbrate,** *v. a.* I. Shadow, foreshadow, shadow out, shadow forth, dimly outline, indicate, hint at, approximate, represent approximately, suggest, trace vaguely, faintly delineate.

2. Typify, represent, symbolize, show, denote, stand for, image, figure, prefigure, allegorize, image forth, be a parable of.
3. Darken, bedarken, dim, bedim, obscure, hide, conceal, overcast, overshadow, enshade, enshadow, disillumine, obumbrate, becloud, send into partial eclipse, send into a penumbral light.

**Adumbration,** *n.* I. Shadowing forth, faint sketch, faint representation, indistinct image, shadowy outline, dim approximation.
2. Type, image, shadow, symbol, premonition, dark prophecy, foreshadowing, prefiguring, presage, prototype, mystery

**Aduncous,** *a.* Crooked, hooked, bent, curved.

**Adust,** *a.* Burned, scorched, fiery, parched, dried up, shrivelled, brown, bronzed.

**Advance,** *v. a.* I. Push, send, *or* set forward *or* onward, propel, bring forward, move toward the front.
2. Promote, aggrandize, exalt, elevate, dignify, raise to preferment, raise to higher rank.
3. Forward, further, promote, improve, strengthen, benefit, make better, encourage the progress of.
4. Allege, adduce, propose, offer, assign, propound, bring forward, lay down.
5. Pay beforehand, supply beforehand, furnish on credit, lend, loan.
6. Increase (*as price*), enhance, augment, raise, make greater, make higher.

**Advance,** *v. n.* I. Proceed, progress, make progress, make way, get forward, go forward, get on, go on, get along, come on, gain ground, rise.
2. Improve, grow, thrive, prosper, make improvement.

**Advance,** *n.* I. Progress, progression, procedure, movement to the front, march, way, moving forward.
2. Improvement, growth, advancement, rise, enhancement, progress, promotion, preferment.
3. Payment beforehand, anticipated payment, loan.
4. Tender, offer, proposal, proposition, proffer, overture, addresses.
5. Increase (*of price*), enhancement, rise, appreciation.

**Advance-guard,** *n.* Vanguard, van.

**Advancement,** *n.* I. Progress, progression, proficiency.
2. Promotion, preferment, elevation, furtherance, exaltation, aggrandizement.
3. Improvement, advance, growth. See ADVANCE.

**Advantage,** *n.* I. Favorable opportunity, vantage-ground, superior situation *or* condition, best estate, best plight.
2. Superiority, ascendency, pre-eminence, upper-hand.
3. Benefit, avail, profit, gain, emolument, return, utility, expediency, good, weal, service, blessing.
4. Behalf, behoof, account, interest.
5. Privilege, prerogative, convenience, accommodation. See EASEMENT.

**Advantage,** *v. a.* Benefit, profit, serve, help, avail, advance the interest of, be of advantage to, be of service to.

**Advantageous,** *a.* Beneficial, profitable, helpful, useful, convenient, serviceable, salutary, favorable, expedient, good, well, gainful, opportune, for one's advantage, for one's interest, for one's good.

**Advent,** *n.* I. Arrival, coming, approach, visitation, appearing, accession.
2. Coming of Christ, the appearing of the Lord.

**Adventitious,** *a.* Accidental, incidental, extrinsic, extraneous, foreign, non-essential. See ADSCITITIOUS.

**Adventure,** *n.* I. Chance, hazard, fortuity, contingency, risk, venture, stake, experiment, trial.
2. Hazardous enterprise, bold undertaking.
3. Event, incident, occurrence, transaction, passage, crisis, contingency.
4. (*Com.*) Speculation.

**Adventure,** *v. a.* Hazard, venture, risk, peril, imperil, put to hazard, put at risk, put in danger, expose to peril *or* risk.

**Adventure,** *v. n.* Dare, venture, take the risk, run the risk, incur the hazard.

**Adventurous,** *a.* I. Bold, daring, courageous, venturesome, adventuresome, adventureful, venturous, chivalrous, doughty, enterprising.
2. Rash, reckless, precipitate, headlong, foolhardy, full of hazard
3. Hazardous, dangerous, exposed to danger, perilous, full of peril, uncertain, full of risk.

**Adversaria,** *n. pl.* Notes, memoranda, remarks, note-book, journal, commonplace-book, *index rerum*, diary.

**Adversary,** *n.* 1. Enemy, foe, antagonist, opponent, opposer, counter-litigant, adverse party.
2. [With *The* prefixed.] Satan, Apollyon, the Tempter, the Evil One, the Devil, the Deuce, the Fiend, the Foul Fiend, the Old Serpent, the Prince of Darkness, Beelzebub. See DEVIL.

**Adverse,** *a* I. Contrary, opposing, counteracting, conflicting, head (*as head wind*).
2. Hostile, inimical, antagonistic, unpropitious, unfavorable, injurious, harmful.
3. Unprosperous, untoward, unlucky, unfortunate, calamitous, disastrous.

**Adversity,** *n.* Misfortune, calamity, affliction, trouble, suffering, woe, disaster, distress, misery, ill-luck, bad luck, broken fortunes, hard life, frowns of fortune, reverses of fortune, hard times, ill-fate, ills of life, a sea of troubles.

**Advertence,** } *n.* Attention, heed, regard, observance, observation, notice, consideration, heedfulness, mindfulness.
**Advertency,** }

**Advertise,** *v. a.* I. Announce, publish, declare, promulgate, trumpet, proclaim, make known, spread abroad, noise abroad, give notice of, lay before the public, bring to the notice of the public, make proclamation of.
2. Offer for sale.
3. Apprise, inform, give notice to, notify.

**Advertisement,** *n.* Announcement, notification, information, notice, proclamation, promulgation, trumpeting.

**Advert to.** I. Observe, remark, regard, heed, consider, notice, mark, view, give heed to, take notice of, pay attention to, attend to, look to, see to, give heed to, have an eye to, give a thought to, look after.
2. Refer to, allude to, mention, touch upon.

**Advice,** *n.* I. Counsel, suggestion, instruction, recommendation, admonition, warning, caution, exhortation, earnest persuasion.
2. Intelligence, information, notice, notification, tidings, word.
3. Deliberation, care, counsel, aforethought, forethought, considerate purpose.

**Advisability,** *n.* Expediency, advisableness, propriety, judiciousness, prudence, desirability, desirableness

**Advisable,** *a.* Expedient, proper, fit, prudent, desirable, fit to be advised, judicious, advantageous.

**Advise,** *v. a.* I. Counsel, admonish, suggest, recommend to, give counsel to, give advice to.
2. Inform, acquaint, apprise, notify, make known to, give notice to, send word to, write word to.

**Advise,** *v. n.* Confer, consult, deliberate, take counsel, hold a conference.

**Advisedly,** *ad.* Deliberately, heedfully, purposely, by design, with consideration. See ADVICE, 3.

**Advisement,** *n.* Consultation, deliberation, consideration.

**Adviser,** *n.* Counsellor, instructor, guide, director, mentor, monitor.

**Advocacy,** *n.* Defence, vindication, support, countenance.

**Advocate,** *v. a.* Defend, support, vindicate, justify, countenance, uphold, maintain, favor, plead in favor of, stand up for, promote, propagate.

**Advocate,** *n.* 1. Counsellor, counsel, barrister, lawyer, attorney, solicitor, attorney-at-law, limb of the law.

2. Defender, vindicator, supporter, upholder, maintainer, propagator, promoter, countenancer, favorer, apologist, friend, patron.

3. Intercessor, comforter, paraclete, Holy Spirit, Spirit of Truth.

4. [With *The* prefixed.] Christ.

**Ægis,** *n.* 1. Shield, buckler.

2. Defence, protection, safeguard, shelter.

**Aerate,** *v. a.* Aerify, fill with air, infuse air into, permeate with air *or* gas.

**Aeration,** *n.* Aerification, permeation with air *or* gas.

**Aerial,** *a.* 1. Atmospheric.

2. Aeriform, gaseous, vaporous, ethereal, airy, light, empyreal, empyrean.

3. High, lofty, empyreal, empyrean, aery.

**Aerie,** *n.* 1. Nest (*of a bird of prey*).

2. Brood (*of birds of prey*). See EYRIE.

**Aeriform,** *a.* Gaseous, ethereal, vaporous, airy, aerial, air-like.

**Aerolite,** *n.* Meteoric stone, meteorite, aerolith.

**Aeronaut,** *n.* Balloonist, aerial navigator.

**Aeronautics,** *n.* Aerostation, ballooning, aerostatics.

**Aerostation,** *n.* Aeronautics, ballooning, aerostatics.

**Æsthetic,** } *a.* Tasteful, gratifying to taste,
**Æsthetical,** } beautiful, becoming, fit, appropriate, in good taste, referring to taste, concerning æsthetics, founded on the idea of beauty.

**Æsthetics,** *n.* [Sometimes written *Esthetics.*] Science of the beautiful, philosophy of the fine arts, theory *or* philosophy of taste.

**Afar,** *ad.* Far away, far off, a long way off, afar off, wide away, a great way off, at a distance, to *or* from a distance, remote, remotely.

**Affability,** *n.* 1. Sociability, sociableness.

2. Courtesy, courteousness, complaisance, graciousness, condescension, accessibility, approachableness, conversableness, conversability, ease, easiness, civility, politeness, urbanity, comity, amenity, suavity, amiability, good manners, good-breeding, obliging manner.

**Affable,** *a.* 1. Conversible, communicative, free, frank, unreserved, open, accessible, approachable, familiar, easy, free and easy, sociable, social, cordial.

2. Courteous, complaisant, civil, polite, obliging, urbane, debonair, benign, gracious, mild, condescending, well-bred.

**Affair,** *n.* 1. Business, concern, function, duty, office, matter, circumstance, question, subject.

2. Event, occurrence, incident, transaction, proceeding, performance.

3. Battle, engagement, combat, conflict, contest, encounter, rencontre, collision, skirmish, brush.

**Affair of honor.** Duel.

**Affairs,** *n. pl.* 1. Administration, public business, matters of state, relations, practical concerns, active relations, matters of action.

2. Finances, estate, business, property, pecuniary relations.

**Affect,** *v. a.* 1. Influence, act upon, work upon, modify, alter, change, transform.

2. Concern, interest, regard, relate to, bear upon.

3. Touch, move, impress, melt, subdue, overcome, pierce.

4. Crave, yearn for, aspire to, aim at, desire, like, be drawn toward, be attracted by, take pleasure in.

5. Assume, adopt, take on, feign, arrogate, put on, make a show of, pretend to.

**Affectation,** *n.* Pretension, airs, affectedness, mannerism, assumed manners, affected manner, pretence, false pretence, artificiality, unnaturalness, stiffness, finical air, mincingness, foppery.

**Affected,** *a.* 1. Assumed, feigned, unnatural, artificial, insincere, canting.

2. Assuming, pretending, pretentious, conceited, vain, coxcomical, foppish.

**Affectedness,** *n.* See AFFECTATION.

**Affecting,** *a.* Moving, touching, pathetic, piteous, impressive.

**Affection,** *n.* 1. Feeling, passion, inclination, propensity, proclivity, disposition, predisposition, bent, bias, turn of mind, cast *or* frame of mind.

2. Attribute, quality, property, character, characteristic, mark, note, accident, modification, mode.

3. Love, heart, attachment, kindness, partiality, fondness, liking, tenderness, endearment, regard, good-will, devotion, tender passion.

4. (*Med.*) Disorder, malady, disease

**Affectionate,** *a.* Loving, fond, attached, devoted, warm, tender, kind, sympathetic, tender-hearted, warm-hearted.

**Affiance,** *v. a.* Betroth, engage, plight.

**Affidavit,** *n.* Testimony (*in writing, signed and sworn to before a magistrate, but given without cross-examination*), evidence. See DEPOSITION.

**Affiliate,** *v. a.* 1. Adopt, take *or* treat as one's own child.

2. Connect, associate, unite, join, annex, graft in *or* upon, incorporate, bring into close relation, make resemble.

**Affinity,** *n.* 1. Relationship (*by marriage*), propinquity, connection. See KIN, CONSANGUINITY.

2. Resemblance, likeness, relation, correlation, analogy, connection, similarity, similitude, parallelism, correspondence, parity, sympathy, attraction.

3. (*Chem.*) Attraction.

**Affirm,** *v. a.* 1. Declare, aver, assert, maintain, asseverate, avouch, vouch, allege, say, profess, protest, pronounce, predicate, state, depose, testify, bear witness to.

2. Confirm, ratify, approve, establish, indorse.

**Affirm,** *v. n.* Make solemn declaration, make asseveration, make averment, pledge one's word. [Distinguished from SWEAR, make oath, which see.]

**Affirmable,** *a.* Predicable.

**Affirmation,** *n.* 1. Assertion, declaration, asseveration, word, averment, protestation, avowal, allegation, saying, statement, pronouncement, announcement, predication, testimony, deposition.

2. Confirmation, ratification, approval, establishment, indorsement.

3. (*Law.*) Solemn declaration (*instead of oath*), solemn avowal *or* averment, legal pledge.

**Affirmative,** *a.* 1. That affirms, assertory, assertorical, declarative, declaratory, asseverating, avouching.

2. Confirmative, confirmatory, ratifying, approving, establishing, indorsing.

3. (*Alg.*) Positive, not negative, additive, not subtractive.

**Affix,** *v. a.* Join, subjoin, annex, attach, fasten, connect, set to, unite to the end.
**Affix,** *n.* Postfix, suffix.
**Afflatus,** *n.* Inspiration, supernatural influence, theopneusty, beatific vision, ecstasy.
**Afflict,** *v. a.* Grieve, distress, trouble, try, torment, agonize, plague, pain, hurt, harass, wound, exercise, grind, persecute, smite, make sorrowful.
**Afflicting,** *a.* Grievous, painful, troublous, tormenting, harassing, harrowing, sorrowful, piteous, distressing, calamitous, disastrous, afflictive, sad, unhappy, unfortunate, unlucky, wretched, dire, deplorable, sore, woful, severe, hard, trying, hard to bear.
**Affliction,** *n.* 1. Calamity, adversity, misfortune, disaster, visitation, stroke, ill, reverse, reverse of fortune.
2. Grief, sorrow, distress, woe, depression, tribulation, trial, plague, scourge, trouble, heartache, heartbreak, broken heart, heavy heart, bitterness, misery, wretchedness.
**Afflictive,** *a.* Afflicting. See AFFLICT.
**Affluence,** *n.* Wealth, riches, opulence, fortune, plenty, abundance, exuberance, affluency, ample store, ample means.
**Affluent,** *a.* 1. Abundant, exuberant, plenteous, bounteous, abounding.
2. Opulent, wealthy, rich, moneyed.
**Affluent,** *n.* Tributary, feeder, branch, confluent.
**Afford,** *v. a.* 1. Supply, furnish, yield, produce.
2. Confer, impart, grant, bestow, offer, lend, give, communicate, spare
3. Bear (*the cost* or *expense of*), endure, support.
**Affray,** *n.* Brawl (*in a public place*), quarrel, conflict, personal conflict, struggle, contest, strife, row, fray, tussle, scuffle, set-to, fisticuffs, fracas, scrimmage, encounter, collision, broil, fight, *affray*, tumult, disturbance, outbreak, riot, *émeute*, breach of the peace, rumpus (*colloq.*), mill (*colloq.*), skirmish, rencontre, etc. See AFFAIR, 3.
**Affray,** *v. a.* Affright, frighten, terrify, alarm, strike terror into, dismay. See next.
**Affright,** *v. a.* Frighten, terrify, alarm, scare, daunt, appall, dismay, shock, confound, dishearten, dispirit, fright, intimidate, startle, overawe, put in fear.
**Affright,** *n.* Terror, fear, fright, alarm, dismay, consternation, panic.
**Affront,** *v. a.* 1. Insult, abuse, outrage.
2. Offend, displease, irritate, provoke, chafe, fret, vex, annoy, pique, nettle, anger, gall, miff (*colloq.*), give offence to, make angry, put to shame, confound, bring to confusion, put out of countenance, shame.
3. Meet, strike upon, strike, come in contact with, smite, smite upon.
**Affront,** *n.* 1. Insult, abuse, contumely, indignity, outrage, injury, wrong, ill-treatment, ill-turn.
2. Provocation, offence, vexation, irritation, annoyance.
3. Shame, disgrace, degradation, sense of shame.
**Affusion,** *n.* Sprinkling, bedewing.
**Afoot,** *ad.* 1. On foot.
2. Preparing, forthcoming, in preparation, in course of preparation, on the carpet, on the tapis, on the anvil.
**Aforementioned,** *a.* See AFORESAID.
**Aforesaid,** *a.* Said before, aforementioned, beforementioned, fore-named, above-mentioned, above-named.
**Aforethought,** *a.* Premeditated, prepense, deliberate, considerate, well-considered, with forethought, sober, collected, calm, reflective.
**A fortiori.** [L.] With stronger reason, for a still stronger reason, all the more, still more surely, by so much the more.
**Afraid,** *a.* Fearful, haunted with fear, filled with fear, timid, apprehensive, distrustful, anxious, alarmed.
**Afresh,** *ad.* Anew, newly, again, over again, *de novo*.
**Aft,** *ad.* (*Naut.*) Abaft, astern, behind, back, rearward, in the rear.
**After,** *prep.* 1. Subsequent to, later than.
2. Following, behind, in the rear of.
3. About, in relation to, for.
4. In imitation of, in the pattern of, on the model of, for, from.
**After,** *ad.* Afterward, afterwards, subsequently, later.
**After,** *a.* 1. Succeeding, subsequent, following, later.
2. Hind, hinder, posterior, rear, back.
**After-ages,** *n. pl.* Posterity, descendants, succeeding times, succeeding generations.
**After all.** Eventually, finally, ultimately, upon the whole, when all has been considered, when all is said, at last, in the end, notwithstanding, in spite of that.
**After-birth,** *n.* Secundines, placenta, after-burden.
**After-come,** *n.* Sequel, consequence, result, effect, outcome, outgrowth.
**Aftercrop,** *n.* Second crop of the year, aftergrowth, etc. See AFTERMATH.
**Aftergrowth,** *n.* Later growth, outgrowth, consequence, etc. See AFTER-COME.
**After-life,** *n.* 1. Subsequent life, later life.
2. Future state, the hereafter, eternity.
**Aftermath,** *n.* Lattermath, rowen, rowett, eddish, eadish, earsh, eagrass, etch, fog, after-crop, aftergrowth.
**Aftermost,** *a.* Hindmost, sternmost, rearward.
**Afterpiece,** *n.* Farce, low comedy.
**After-thought,** *n.* After-wit, subsequent reflection, later *or* too late meditation.
**Afterward,** } *ad.* Subsequently, after, later,
**Afterwards,** } thereafter, in the sequel.
**After-wit,** *n.* After-thought, wisdom out of time.
**Again,** *ad.* 1. Afresh, anew, once more, another time, *de novo*.
2. Moreover, besides, further, furthermore, in addition.
3. On the other hand, on the contrary, contrariwise.
4. In return, back, in restitution, in answer.
5. Anywhere else, in any other place, at all
**Again and Again.** Repeatedly, often, frequently, over and over, with frequent repetitions.
**Against,** *prep.* 1. Opposed to, in opposition to, contrary to, adverse to, counter to.
2. Facing, fronting, off, opposite to, over against, close up to, in contact with.
3. In provision for, in expectation of, in preparation for, in anticipation of, for.
4. In compensation for, to counterbalance, in countervail to, in equalization of, to counterpoise, to match, in requital for *or* of.
**Against the grain.** 1. Against the fibres (*of wood*).
2. Against the natural disposition, against one's inclination, the wrong way.
**Agalloch,** } *n.* Agillochum, lign-aloes, aloes-
**Agallochum,** } wood, agal-wood, eagle-wood, calambac.
**Agape,** *n. pl.* [L.] Love-feasts.
**Agape,** *ad.* 1. Yawning, with mouth wide open, with open chasm, wide asunder.
2. Wondering, gazing eagerly, staring with open mouth, amazed, dumfounded, dazed, stupefied, thunderstruck.

**Agaric,** *n.* I. Mushroom.
2. Touchwood, spunk, punk.
3. Mountain-milk, mountain-meal, native carbonate of lime.
4. Tuscan lime-stone, material for floating-brick.

**Age,** *n.* I. Duration of existence, time of life, period of life, stage of life.
2. Period, date, epoch, time.
3. Century, a hundred years.
4. Old age, decline of life, vale of years, verge of life.
5. Maturity, mature years, years of discretion.

**Aged,** *a.* I. Old, elderly, stricken in years, advanced in life, with one foot in the grave.
2. Having lived, of the age of, old.

**Agency,** *n.* I. Intervention, instrumentality, mediation, means, action, operation, force, influence, procurement.
2. Charge, direction, management, superintendence, supervision.

**Agent,** *n.* I. Actor, doer, operator, performer, executor.
2. Active element, cause, force, modifying cause *or* force, power, effective principle.
3. Deputy, attorney, factor, representative, substitute, proxy, go-between, procurator, middleman, commissioner, vicegerent.
4. Hand, employé, operative.

**Agglomerate,** *v. a.* Mass, mass together, gather in a ball *or* mass, gather together, lump together, heap up, pile up.

**Agglomeration,** *n.* Conglomeration, accumulation, lump, heap, pile, mass, aggregation.

**Agglutinate,** *v. a.* Unite, glue, cement, fasten together, attach to each other, conglutinate.

**Agglutination,** *n.* Cohesion, union, sticking together.

**Aggrandize,** *v. a.* Exalt, dignify, honor, elevate, promote, make great, raise to higher rank. See ADVANCE.

**Aggrandizement,** *n.* Exaltation, elevation, promotion, advancement, preferment. See ADVANCEMENT.

**Aggravate,** *v. a.* I. Heighten (*in evil*), increase, make worse, worsen, render more serious.
2. Exaggerate, overstate, magnify, color.
3. (*Of questionable propriety.*) Provoke, irritate, exasperate, enrage, tease.

**Aggravation,** *n.* I. A heightening (*of something evil*).
2. Exaggeration.
3. (*Of questionable propriety.*) Provocation, irritation.

**Aggregate,** *v. a.* Amass, collect, accumulate, pile, bring together, gather up, sum up, pile up, heap up, scrape together.

**Aggregate,** *a.* Collected, total.

**Aggregate,** *n.* Whole, total, totality, gross, lump, sum, amount, body, mass, gross amount, sum total, footing.

**Aggregation,** *n.* I. Aggregating, act *or* process of collecting *or* combining *or* collocating. See AGGREGATE, *v.*
2. Collection, mass, pile, heap, accumulation.

**Aggress,** *v. n.* Make the first attack, be the first to attack, be the aggressor, encroach.

**Aggression,** *n.* Attack, assault, invasion, hostile encroachment, injury, offence.

**Aggressive,** *a.* Attacking, assaulting, assailing, assailant, invading, offensive, prone to be the assailant, inclined to take the initiative.

**Aggressor,** *n.* Assailant, assaulter, attacker, assailer, invader, first offender.

**Aggrieve,** *v. a.* I. Pain, grieve, afflict, wound the feelings of, cause sorrow to.
2. Wrong, injure, oppress, maltreat, abuse, bear hard upon, ill-treat, ill-use, impose upon.

**Aghast,** *a.* I. Horror-struck, dismayed, horrified, appalled, terrified, frightened, panic-stricken, struck with horror.
2. Amazed, astounded, startled, astonished, dumfoundered, dumfounded (*colloq.*), thunder-struck.

**Agile,** *a.* Lively, nimble, brisk, smart, active, quick, ready, prompt, alert, sprightly, supple, winged. See SPRY.

**Agility,** *n.* Liveliness, nimbleness, briskness, smartness, activity, quickness, readiness, promptness, promptitude, alertness, sprightliness, suppleness.

**Agio,** *n.* (*Com.*) Premium.

**Agiotage,** *n.* (*Com.*) Stock-jobbing.

**Agitable,** *a.* I. Movable, capable of being shaken, that can be disturbed.
2. Debatable, that can be discussed, investigable.

**Agitate,** *v. a.* I. Shake, jar, toss, betoss, rock, disturb, trouble (*by brisk motion*), convulse.
2. Excite, ruffle, rouse, ferment, disturb, perturb, betoss, toss, stir up, work up.
3. Fluster, flurry, hurry, confuse, disconcert.
4. Discuss, controvert, canvass, debate, dispute, investigate, examine, ventilate.
5. Revolve, consider on all sides, meditate, excogitate, deliberate, contrive, plan, devise.

**Agitate,** *v. n.* Engage in discussion, keep discussion going.

**Agitation,** *n.* I. Agitating, shaking, shake, concussion.
2. Disturbance, jarring, commotion, convulsion, ferment, storm, tumult, turmoil.
3. Excitement, emotion, perturbation, trepidation, discomposure, distraction, ruffle, flutter, flurry, hurry, tremor, fever, fret.
4. Discussion, disputation, debate, controversy, canvassing, ventilation.

**Agitator,** *n.* I. Urgent advocate, active reformer, exciter of active discussion.
2. Incendiary, firebrand, stirrer up of strife.

**Agnostic,** *n.* Sceptic, doubter, Pyrrhonist, phenomenalist, sceptical idealist, negative idealist, unbeliever in the absolute reality of knowledge, empiricist, positivist.

**Agnostic,** *a.* Sceptical, phenomenalistic, etc.

**Agnosticism,** *n.* Scepticism, Pyrrhonism, negative idealism, empiricism, positivism.

**Ago,** *ad.* Past, gone, agone, since.

**Agog,** *a.* Eager, impatient, excited, wrought up, worked up, on tiptoe, with open mouth.

**Agoing,** *ad.* In motion, moving, in operation, at work, in action.

**Agonize,** *v. a.* Torment, torture, rack, wring, distress, pain severely, put in great pain.

**Agonize,** *v. n.* Be tormented, be tortured, suffer great pain, struggle (inwardly *or* outwardly) with pain *or* sorrow, writhe with pain.

**Agony,** *n.* Anguish (*especially of the body*), pangs, torture, torment, distress, rack, throe, severe pain, extreme suffering. See ANGUISH.

**Agree,** *v. n.* I. Accord, harmonize, concur, unite, be in unison, be of one mind, come to the same conclusion.
2. Assent, consent, accede, acquiesce, comply, subscribe, yield assent, give consent, fall in with.
3. Stipulate, bargain, promise, engage, undertake, contract, make an agreement, plight one's word, pass one's word, pledge one's word, give assurance, take upon one's self, bind one's self.
4. Compromise, compound, come to an understanding, come to an agreement
5. Suit, match, tally, correspond, coincide, cohere, comport, conform, square, quadrate.

**Agreeable,** *a.* [With *to.*] I. Suitable, fitting, fit, proper, meet, appropriate, befitting, conformable, correspondent, accordant, concordant, consonant.
2. Pleasing, pleasant, pleasurable, grateful, gratifying, acceptable, welcome, good, goodly, delightful, charming, delectable, delicious, dulcet, sweet, to one's taste, to one's mind, after one's fancy.
**Agreeably to.** According to, conformably to, in accordance with, in pursuance of, pursuant to.
**Agree with.** I. Chime in with, fall in with.
2. Be wholesome for, be healthful for, be good for, promote one's health, conduce to one's health.
3. Make a bargain with, strike hands with, be reconciled to.
**Agriculture,** *n.* Tillage, husbandry, farming, culture, cultivation, geoponics.
**Agriculturist,** *n.* Husbandman, farmer, tiller of the ground, cultivator of the soil, agriculturalist.
**Aground,** *ad.* I. Ashore, not afloat, stranded.
2. Stranded, brought to a stop (for ideas, means, etc.), exhausted in resources, run out.
**Ague,** *n.* I. Chilliness, cold, chill, shiver, shivering, shivering-fit, shakes.
2. Intermittent fever, fever and ague, chills, chills and fever.
**Ague-weed,** *n* Thoroughwort, boneset, fever-root, Indian sage (*Eupatorium perfoliatum*).
**Ahead,** *ad.* I. Onward, forward, in advance, in front.
2. (*Naut.*) In opposition (*said of the wind*), against us, in our teeth.
**Ai,** *n.* Three-toed sloth (*Bradypus tridactylus* or *torquatus*).
**Aid,** *v. a.* I. Assist, help, support, serve, speed, second, back, befriend, prosper, abet, co-operate with, take part with, give support to, minister to, take turn with, relieve. See SPELL.
2. Succor, relieve, do kindness to, supply the necessities of, give alms (to).
**Aid,** *n.* I. Assistance, help, furtherance, co-operation, patronage, support, helping hand, good offices. See LIFT.
2. Succor, relief, alms, bounty, subsidy.
3. Helper, assistant. See AIDER.
4. Aide-de-camp.
**Aide-de-camp,** *n.* [Fr.] (*Mil.*) Aid.
**Aider,** *n.* Helper, assistant, associate, coadjutor, co-operator, ally, auxiliary, abettor, subordinate, accessary, accessory, retainer, henchman, follower, satellite, acolyte.
**Ail,** *v. a.* Pain, trouble, afflict, be the matter with.
**Ail,** *v. n.* Suffer, be in pain, feel pain, be ill, peak, pine.
**Ail,** *n.* Disease. See AILMENT.
**Ailing,** *a.* Sickly, sick, ill, indisposed, unwell, diseased, feeble, infirm, weakly, poorly, delicate, languishing, unhealthy, in a feeble *or* bad way, out of sorts (*colloq.*), on the sick list, peaked, pining.
**Ailment,** *n.* Disease, ail, illness, sickness, ailing, indisposition, malady, distemper, disorder, complaint, infirmity, weakness.
**Aim,** *v. a.* Direct, level, point.
**Aim,** *n.* I. Direction, course, bearing, tendency, bent, proclivity.
2. Intention, intent, purpose, design, scheme, reason, view, object, end, scope, drift, target, mark, goal, point, final cause, endeavor, effort, attempt, undertaking.
**Aim at.** I. Take aim at, point at, level at, direct toward.
2. Intend, purpose, design, mean, be at.
3. Crave, desire, want, wish, long for, seek, look after, affect, yearn for, aspire to, aspire after, endeavor after, be after, drive at, propose to one's self, have in view, have in one's eye, have an eye to, strive for, attempt to reach.
**Aimless,** *a.* Purposeless, objectless, random, chance, without aim *or* end.
**Air,** *n.* I. Atmosphere, atmospheric air, common air.
2. Gas, aeriform fluid.
3. Breeze, zephyr, gentle wind, breath of air, current of air.
4. Weather, open air, open atmosphere.
5. Appearance, aspect, mien, manner, look, cast, demeanor, conduct, carriage, bearing, deportment, behavior, port.
6. Tune, melody, song, treble *or* soprano, poem.
**Air,** *v. a.* I. Expose to air, ventilate, change the air of.
2. Expose, display, spread abroad, make ostentation of.
**Air-bladder,** *n.* Sound (*of a fish*).
**Air-bubble,** *n.* Bleb, blob.
**Air-engine,** *n.* Caloric engine, heat engine.
**Airiness,** *n.* I. Openness, exposure to air.
2. Lightness, buoyancy, grace, gracility, gracefulness, flexibility, pliancy, litheness.
3. Gayety, levity, sprightliness, vivacity, liveliness, etc. See AIRY, 3.
**Airing,** *n.* I. Ride, drive, walk, promenade, stroll, excursion, out-door exercise.
2. Exposure to air, admission of air, ventilation.
3. Display, ostentatious exhibition, free exposure, diffusion.
**Air-pipe,** *n.* Vent, spiracle, blow-hole, air-tube.
**Airs,** *n. pl.* Pretension, mannerism, affectedness, affected manner, assumed manner. See AFFECTATION.
**Air-tight,** *a.* Hermetic, hermetical, impenetrable to air, impervious to air.
**Air-tube,** *n.* See AIR-PIPE.
**Airy,** *a.* I. Unsubstantial, aerial, ethereal, aeriform, thin, rare.
2. Light, subtile, sublimated.
3. Sprightly, buoyant, vivacious, volatile, jocund, jolly, jovial, lively, gay, wanton, merry, blithe, light, light-hearted, light of heart, in spirits, in good spirits, of good cheer.
4. Light, buoyant, graceful, flexible, pliant, lithe.
5. Showy, gaudy, flaunting, jaunty, garish, fine.
6. Windy, empty.
**Aisle,** *n.* Passage, walk.
**Aitchbone,** *n.* Edgebone, natchbone, rump-bone.
**Ajar,** *ad.* Partly open (*as a door*), on the turn.
**Ajutage,** *n.* Spout (*of a fountain*), nozzle, ventage, vent.
**Akin,** *a.* I. Kin, related, allied, kindred, cognate, of one blood, of the same stock, consanguineous, consanguineal.
2. Similar, congenial, analogous, parallel, like, corresponding, of a piece, cognate, connected, related.
**Alack,** *interj.* Alas, lackaday, alackaday, welladay, woe 's me.
**Alacrity,** *n.* I. Readiness, promptitude, eagerness, alertness, agility, activity, quickness.
2. Sprightliness, gayety, cheerfulness, hilarity, vivacity, liveliness, high spirits, good spirits.
**À la mode.** [Fr.] Fashionable, in the fashion, in vogue.
**À la mode.** [Fr.] Fashionably.
**Alarm,** *n.* I. Alarum, larum, tocsin, summons to arms, alarm-bell, alarm-gun, beat of drum, sound of trumpet, notice of danger, signal of distress

2. Fear, apprehension, terror, fright, affright, consternation, dismay.

**Alarm,** *v. a.* 1. Call to arms, summon to arms.

2. Terrify, frighten, affright, startle, scare, daunt, appall, put in fear.

**Alarm-bell,** *n.* Tocsin, etc. See ALARM.

**Alarum,** *n.* See ALARM.

**Alas,** *interj.* See ALACK.

**Alate,** *a.* (*Bot. and Anat.*) Winged.

**Albacore,** } *n.* Bonito, horse mackerel, (*Thynnus*
**Albicore,** } *pelamys*).

**Albata,** *n.* White-metal, British plate, German silver.

**Albeit,** *ad.* Although, notwithstanding.

**Alchemy,** } *n.* Magic, black art, thaumaturgy.
**Alchymy,** }

**Alcohol,** *n.* Spirits of wine, pure spirit, highly rectified spirit.

**Alcove,** *n.* Recess.

**Alehoof,** *n.* Gill, ground-ivy (*Glechoma hederacea, Nepeta glechoma*).

**Alert,** *a.* 1. Watchful, vigilant, circumspect, wary, heedful, on the alert, on one's guard, on the watch, on the lookout, on the *qui vive*.

2. Active, brisk, nimble, agile, smart, lively, sprightly, spirited, supple, quick, ready, prompt. See SPRY.

**Alertness,** *n.* 1. Watchfulness, vigilance, circumspection, wariness.

2. Activity, agility, nimbleness, briskness, smartness, sprightliness, quickness, spryness, promptness, readiness.

**Algebra,** *n.* Analysis (*by means of letters and other symbols*), calculus, analytics.

**Alias,** *ad.* Otherwise.

**Alias,** *n.* Assumed name.

**Alien,** *a.* 1. Foreign, not native, not naturalized.

2. Estranged, differing, remote, unallied, separated, unconnected, strange, inappropriate, irrelevant, not pertinent.

**Alien,** *n.* Foreigner, stranger.

**Alienate,** *v. a.* 1. Abalienate, transfer, demise, consign, assign, convey, devolve, make over, deliver over.

2. Estrange, disaffect, wean, withdraw the affections of, make unfriendly.

**Alienation,** *n.* 1. Abalienation, transfer, demise, conveyance.

2. Estrangement, disaffection, variance, division, rupture, breach.

**Alienation of mind.** Insanity, aberration, derangement, hallucination, delusion, lunacy, madness, frenzy, craziness, delirium, mania, imbecility.

**Alight,** *v. n.* 1. Stop *or* rest (*after flight*), perch, drop, settle, lodge.

2. Dismount, descend, get down.

**Alight from.** Get off, get out of.

**Alike,** *a.* Similar, like, resembling, resemblant, analogous, allied, equal, of a piece.

**Alike,** *ad.* Equally, in the same manner, form, *or* degree, together, in common, both. See AKIN.

**Aliment,** *n.* Nourishment, nutriment, food, sustenance, subsistence, provision, fare, diet, regimen, victuals, meat, meat and drink, viands, cheer, pabulum, rations, feed, provender, fodder, forage, prog. See FOOD.

**Alimentary,** *a.* Alimental, nourishing, nutritious, nutritive.

**Alimentation,** *n.* Nutrition, nourishment, sustentation.

**Aliped,** *a.* Wing-footed.

**Alive,** *a.* 1. Living, breathing, live, not dead, in life, above ground, quick.

2. Sensitive, susceptible, with keen perceptions.

3. Active, in force, in existence, in operation, operative.

4. Cheerful, sprightly, lively, joyous, brisk. See ALERT.

**All,** *a.* The whole of, every one of, every part of.

**All,** *ad.* Altogether, entirely, totally, completely, wholly, quite.

**All,** *n.* Whole, total, totality, aggregate, everything.

**All at once.** Suddenly, instantaneously, in an instant, without warning.

**Allay,** *v. a.* 1. Repress, restrain, check, subdue, lay, silence, appease, pacify, compose, calm, quiet, still, lull, hush, tranquillize, smooth.

2. Assuage, alleviate, soothe, soften, mitigate, solace, moderate, mollify, temper, attemper, lessen, lighten, abate, qualify, relieve, ease, dull, blunt, palliate.

**All-devouring,** *a.* All-destroying, all-engulfing, overwhelming, annihilating.

**Allegation,** *n.* 1. Declaration, affirmation, averment, assertion, statement.

2. Excuse, plea.

**Allege,** *v. a.* 1. Declare, affirm, assert, aver, predicate, profess, asseverate, maintain, say. See AFFIRM.

2. Adduce, assign, advance, plead, produce, cite, quote, bring forward, lay down.

**Allegiance,** *n* Fealty, fidelity, loyalty, homage, duty, obligation, obedience.

**Allegorical,** *a.* Figurative, typical, metaphorical, not literal.

**Allegory,** *n.* Fable (*in which what is stated as a fact is figuratively applied*), parable, apologue, story, tale, myth. See PARABLE.

**Alleviate,** *v. a.* Lighten, mitigate, assuage, moderate, soothe, soften, mollify, quiet, still, quell, abate, lessen, diminish, relieve, palliate, ease, dull, blunt. See ALLAY.

**Alleviation,** *n.* Mitigation, palliation, relief, etc. See preceding.

**Alley,** *n.* 1. Walk, passage, aisle.

2. Lane, narrow street, back-passage, by-way, slum.

3. Taw, large marble.

**All-Hallow,** } *n.* All-Hallowmas, Hallowmas.
**All-Hallows,** } All-Saints' Day, the first of November, All-Saints.

**All-hollow,** *ad.* (*Colloq.*) Entirely, completely, wholly, utterly, thoroughly, hollow.

**Alliance,** *n.* 1. Intermarriage, affinity, family connection, relation, relationship.

2. Confederation, confederacy, league, union, treaty, combination, coalition, federation, copartnership, compact, federal compact.

3. Affiliation, making similar connection, similarity, relationship.

**Allied,** *a.* 1. Related, alike, similar, analogous, cognate, kindred, of a piece. See AKIN.

2. United, confederated, co-operating, in league, in co-operation.

**All in all.** Altogether, summarily, in the aggregate, on the whole.

**All-in-all,** *n.* Everything, the sum of wishes, the whole, all respects.

**All-knowing,** *a.* Omniscient, all-wise, all-seeing.

**All manner of ways.** 1. In many ways.

2. In all directions, hither and thither.

**Allodial,** *a.* Independent, freehold, not feudal, free of rent *or* service.

**Allodium,** *n.* (*Law.*) Freehold estate.

**All one.** Indifferent, equal, just the same, quite the same, the same.

**Allonge,** *n.* Lunge, longe, pass, thrust, tilt, stab.

**Allonge,** *v. n* Pass, lunge, make a pass *or* thrust.

**Allopathic,** *a.* Heteropathic.

**Allopathy,** *n.* Heteropathy.

**Allot,** *v. a.* 1. Distribute, divide, measure, apportion, deal, dispense, parcel out, deal out, give out, mete out, portion out.

2. Assign, appoint, destine, destinate, grant, give.

**Allotment,** *n.* 1. Apportionment, distribution, partition, dole.

2. Assignment, appointment, grant, gift.

3. Share, part, portion, lot, quota, contingent.

**Allow,** *v. a.* 1. Admit, acknowledge, confess, own, concede, grant.

2 Permit, let, authorize, grant leave to, give permission to.

3. Suffer, tolerate, endure, bear, put up with, bear with.

4. Grant, give, yield, relinquish, spare.

5. Approve, sanction, justify.

6. Remit, abate, bate, deduct.

**Allow,** *v. n.* Make allowance *or* provision. [Followed by *for*.]

**Allowable,** *a.* Permissible, admissible, lawful, proper, justifiable, warrantable.

**Allowance,** *n.* 1. Permission, leave, license, permit, authorization, connivance, sanction, authority, approval, approbation, sufferance.

2. Admission, acknowledgment, concession, assent.

3. Grant for support, stated maintenance, commission.

4. Qualification, modification, extenuation, limitation, exception.

5. Ration, stated quantity (*of food* or *drink*).

**Allowance,** *v. a.* Put upon allowance, limit in the supply of food.

**Alloy,** *n.* 1. Combination (*of metals*), metallic compound, amalgam (*in case mercury is one metal*), alloyage.

2. Baser metal (*mixed with finer*).

3. Baser element *or* ingredient (*in anything*), admixture, adulteration, deterioration, diminution, decrement, drawback, depreciation, impairment, debasement, detraction, disparagement.

**Alloy,** *v. a.* 1. Admix (*a metal with a baser*), reduce the value, debase.

2. Admix, deteriorate, etc. See preceding noun.

**All-powerful,** *a.* Almighty, omnipotent, all-sufficient.

**All-Saints' Day.** All-Hallow, All-Hallows, All-Hallowmas, Hallowmas, the first of November, All-Saints.

**All-seeing,** *a.* All-knowing, omniscient, all-wise.

**All-Souls' Day.** The second of November, All-Souls.

**Allspice,** *n.* Pimento, Jamaica pepper.

**All-sufficient,** *a.* See ALL-POWERFUL.

**All the better.** So much the better.

**Allude to.** Refer to, glance at, make allusion to, intimate, suggest, insinuate, hint, imply. See ADVERT TO.

**Allure,** *v. a.* Entice, tempt, seduce, decoy, troll, lure, lead, solicit, invite, attract, engage, persuade, ensnare, coax, inveigle, cajole, toll, over-persuade, prevail upon, draw on, bring over, win over.

**Allurement,** *n.* 1. Enticement, temptation, seduction, seducement, solicitation, attraction, witchery. See ALLURE.

2. Lure, decoy, bait.

**Allusion,** *n.* Reference, hint, intimation, suggestion, insinuation, implication, indirect mention, innuendo.

**Allusive,** *a.* Hinting, suggestive, innuent, emblematic, typical, symbolical, figurative.

**Allusively,** *ad.* By implication, by indirect reference, by way of allusion, by insinuation, suggestion, *or* innuendo.

**Alluvial land.** Dale, valley, bottom, meadow, holm, fen.

**Alluvium,** *n.* Sediment, deposit, silt.

**All-wise,** *a.* Omniscient, all-knowing, all-seeing.

**Ally,** *v. a.* 1. Unite, join, league, confederate, connect, combine, marry, connect by marriage, bring into affinity.

2. Make similar, make analogous, bring into resemblance, raise into close relationship.

**Ally,** *n.* 1. Confederate, coadjutor, co-operator, assistant, helper, aider, auxiliary, associate, friend, colleague, partner.

2. Abettor, accomplice. See ACCESSARY.

**Almanac,** *n.* Calendar, ephemeris, register of the year.

**Almighty,** *a.* Omnipotent, all-powerful, all-sufficient.

**Almighty,** *n.* [With *The* prefixed.] The Omnipotent. See GOD.

**Almonds,** *n. pl.* Tonsils, amygdalæ.

**Almoner,** *n.* Alms-dispenser, distributor of alms, dispenser, distributor.

**Almost,** *ad.* Nearly, toward, towards, well-nigh, all but, for the most part, not quite, within a little.

**Alms,** *n.* Charity, benefaction, gratuity, gift, dole, bounty, charitable donation, eleemosynary aid.

**Almsgiving,** *n.* Charity, beneficence, benefaction, benevolence.

**Almshouse,** *n.* Poorhouse.

**Aloes-wood,** *n.* See AGALLOCHUM.

**Aloft,** *ad.* Above, overhead, on high, in the air, in the sky, skyward, heavenward, in heaven.

**Alone,** *a.* 1. Single, solitary, only, sole, lone, lonely, isolated, unaccompanied, by one's self, by itself, without company, without another, *solus*.

2. Of one's self, of one's own power, without help.

**Alone,** *ad.* Singly, etc. See preceding adjective.

**Along,** *ad.* 1. Lengthwise, longitudinally, in a line.

2. Onward, forward.

3. Together, in company, beside, side by side, at the same time, simultaneously.

**Along,** *prep.* By *or* over, by the side of, on the border, bank, *or* shore of, through, alongst.

**Alongside,** *ad.* (*Naut.*) By the side of, side by side.

**Aloof,** *ad.* Apart, at a distance, away, off.

**Aloud,** *ad.* 1. Audibly, distinctly, in a clear voice, with full voice.

2. Loudly, vociferously, sonorously, clamorously, obstreperously, at the top of the voice, with a loud voice.

**Alphabet,** *n.* 1. The letters (*of a language*), the A B C, symbols.

2. Elements (*of a subject*), rudiments, the A B C, first steps.

**Alpine,** *a.* 1. Among the Alps, in the region of the Alps, on the Alps.

2. Mountainous, high, elevated.

**Already,** *ad.* 1. Even now.

2. Before that time.

**Also,** *ad.* Likewise, too, besides, furthermore, moreover, in addition, in like manner.

**Altar,** *n.* 1. Sacrificial structure, place of sacrifice *or* offering.

2. Shrine, sacred place, place of worship, sanctuary, Holy of Holies, *sanctum sanctorum*, inmost *adyta*, inner *penetralia*.

3. Communion-table, holy table, Lord's table.

**Alter,** *v. a.* Change, vary, modify, shift, turn, transmute, metamorphose, transform, convert, make some change in.

**Alter,** *v. n.* Vary, change, be changeable, become different.

**Alterable,** *a.* Changeable, variable, mutable. See ALTER.

**Alterant,** *n.* (*Med.*) Alterative.
**Alteration,** *n.* Change, variation, modification, deviation, variance, turn, mutation, vicissitude.
**Alterative,** *n.* (*Med.*) Alterant.
**Altercation,** *n.* Dispute, controversy, contention, strife, difference, jangling, jangle, jarring, rupture, quarrel, sparring, bickering, wrangle, wrangling, dissension, war of words.
**Alternate,** *a.* 1. Reciprocal, one after another, in turn.
2. Every other, separated by one, succeeding each other with intervals of one, discontinuous by omission of one.
3. On different sides successively.
**Alternate,** *v. n.* Reciprocate, act interchangeably.
**Alternate,** *v. a.* Perform reciprocally, *or* by turns, *or* responsively, *or* by strophe and antistrophe.
**Alternation,** *n.* Reciprocation, interchange.
**Alternative,** *n.* Choice (*between two things*), other (of two).
**Although,** *conj.* Though, albeit, notwithstanding, grant that, for all that, be it so, even if, even supposing.
**Altitude,** *n.* Height, elevation, loftiness.
**Alto,** *n.* (*Mus.*) Counter, counter-tenor, second, contralto.
**Altogether,** *ad.* 1. Wholly, quite, completely, entirely, totally, utterly, thoroughly, throughout, fully, perfectly, *in toto*, out and out, to the full.
2. Conjointly, in the aggregate, in sum total, in a body, in a mass, *en masse*.
**Altruism,** *n.* Devotion to others, love of others, philanthropy, unselfishness, public spirit.
**Altruistic,** *a.* 1. Referring to altruism, marked by the theory of devotion to others.
2. Devoted to others, philanthropic, unselfish, friendly to man, attached to the common weal.
**Alumina,** *n.* Oxide of aluminum, argillaceous earth, argil.
**Aluminous,** *a.* Clayey, argillaceous.
**Alumnus,** *n.* [L. *pl. Alumni.*] Foster-child (*of an institution of learning*), graduate, pupil, disciple.
**Alveary,** *n.* Beehive.
**Alveolate,** *a.* Cellular, favose, honey-combed.
**Alveole,** *n.* Socket, cell, cavity, alveolus.
**Alveolus,** *n.* [L.] See ALVEOLE.
**Always,** *ad* Ever, evermore, perpetually, continually, eternally, unceasingly, everlastingly, for ever, for aye, at all times, to the end of time, through all ages. See AYE.
**Amadou,** *n.* Punk, spunk, German tinder, black match, pyrotechnic sponge.
**Amain,** *ad.* 1. Violently, forcibly, furiously, headlong, with force, with might and main.
2. (*Naut.*) Suddenly, all at once.
**Amalgam,** *n.* 1. Mercurial compound, mixture (*of other metals*) with quicksilver.
2. Mixture, composite, compound, combination, alloy.
**Amalgamate,** *v. a.* 1. Combine with mercury.
2. Mix, commix, commingle, unite, combine, blend, incorporate, compound.
**Amalgamation,** *n.* 1. Combination with mercury.
2. Mixture, combination, compound, commixture, union, blending, commingling, intermingling, intermixture, junction, conjunction.
3. Intermarriage (*of different races, especially of black and white*). See MISCEGENATION.
**Amanuensis,** *n.* Scribe, secretary, copyist, transcriber, writer.
**Amaranthine,** *a.* 1. Of the amaranth, like an amaranth.
2. Unfading, fadeless, imperishable, undecaying, undying, deathless, immortal, perennial, ever-blooming, ever-vernal.
3. Purplish, purpureal, amethystine.
**Amass,** *v a.* Accumulate, gather, aggregate, pile up, heap up, scrape together, collect together, rake up, gather into a heap *or* pile.
**Amateur,** *n.* Dilettant, *dilettante* (*pl. dilettanti*), desultory cultivator.
**Amatory,** *a.* Amorous, amatorial, amatorian, erotic, tender, passionate, Anacreontic.
**Amaurosis,** *n.* (*Med.*) Drop serene, *gutta serena*.
**Amaze,** *v. a.* Astonish, astound, confound, confuse, perplex, bewilder, daze, stagger, stupefy, dumfound, dumfounder, surprise, take by surprise, strike with wonder, strike with astonishment, petrify with wonder.
**Amazement,** *n.* Astonishment, confusion, perplexity, stupefaction, bewilderment, marvel, wonder, surprise.
**Amazing,** *a.* Astonishing, astounding, confounding, confusing, perplexing, bewildering, stupendous, wonderful, surprising, marvellous, prodigious, portentous, miraculous, strange, striking, very extraordinary.
**Amazon,** *n.* Virago, termagant, shrew, scold, vixen, Tartar, Xanthippe.
**Ambages,** *n. pl.* 1. Windings, turnings, sinuosities.
2. Circumlocution, periphrasis, verbosity, verbiage, wordiness, diffuseness, circuit of words.
3. Subterfuges, evasions, indirections, quirks, tortuous courses, devious ways.
**Ambagious,** *a.* 1. Tortuous, sinuous, serpentine, winding, devious.
2. Tortuous, indirect, evasive, full of subterfuges.
3. Round about, circumlocutory, circuitous, diffuse, disjointed, dull, tedious.
**Ambassador,** *n.* Minister (*of the highest rank*), plenipotentiary, envoy, legate, deputy.
**Ambassadors,** *n pl.* Embassy, legation.
**Ambient,** *a.* Surrounding, investing, encompassing, enfolding, embosoming, encircling, circling, circumjacent, circumambient.
**Ambiguity,** *n.* 1. Doubtfulness, dubiousness, doubt, uncertainty *or* equivocalness (*as respects the meaning of a term*), indefiniteness, vagueness, obscurity, amphiboly.
2. Ambiguous expression, double meaning, equivoke (*or* equivoque), *double entendre*
**Ambiguous,** *a.* Doubtful, dubious, uncertain *or* equivocal, enigmatical, indefinite, indistinct, vague, indeterminate, not plain, not clear, susceptible of more than one meaning.
**Ambition,** *n.* 1. Desire of superiority, desire of distinction, hunger for fame, love of glory.
2. Longing, yearning, aspiration, emulation.
**Ambitious,** *a.* 1. Aspiring, emulous, eager for superiority, eager for distinction *or* fame.
2. Eager, strongly desirous, intent, avid. [Followed by *of*.]
3. Showy, pretentious, aiming at effect.
**Amble,** *v. n.* 1. Pace, move, *or* go at an easy pace.
2. Walk affectedly, dawdle.
**Amble,** *n.* Pacing, pace.
**Ambrosial,** *a.* 1. Delicious, luscious, savory, palatable, dainty, nice.
2. Ambrosian, fragrant, balmy, odorous, aromatic, odoriferous, sweet-scented.
**Ambulatory,** *a.* Walking, moving.
**Ambuscade,** *n.* Ambush, cover, retreat, hiding-place, lurking-place.
**Ambush,** *n.* See AMBUSCADE.
**Ameliorate,** *v. a.* Improve, amend, mend, better, meliorate, elevate, raise, promote, make better.
**Amelioration,** *n.* Improvement, amendment, melioration, bettering, elevation, promotion.

**Amen,** *ad.* So be it, be it so, let it be so.
**Amenability,** *n.* Accountability, liability, responsibility, answerableness, amenableness.
**Amenable,** *a.* 1. Accountable, liable, responsible, answerable.
2. Open (to), within the reach (of), able to be influenced (by), impressible (by), pliant (to).
**Amenableness,** *n.* See AMENABILITY.
**Amend,** *v. a.* Improve, mend, correct, rectify, reform. See AMELIORATE.
**Amend,** *v. n.* Improve, mend, become better.
**Amende honorable.** [Fr.] Apology (*for improper treatment* or *language*), reparation.
**Amendment,** *n.* 1. Improvement, reformation, change for the better.
2. Alteration, change, correction.
**Amends,** *n.* Compensation, (*for loss* or *injury*), recompense, indemnification, indemnity, reparation, restitution, redress, atonement, expiation, satisfaction.
**Amenity,** *n.* 1. Pleasantness, agreeableness, mildness, softness.
2. Suavity, affability, gentleness, refinement, civility, comity, courtesy, politeness, urbanity, complaisance, amiability, geniality, blandness, graciousness, obliging manner, good manners, good-breeding.
**Ament,** *n.* Catkin, *amentum.*
**Amentum,** *n.* [L.] (*Bot.*) Ament.
**Amerce,** *v. a.* Fine, mulct, impose a fine upon, deprive of, strip of.
**Amercement,** *n.* Fine, mulct, forfeiture, pecuniary penalty, deprivation.
**Amiability,** *n.* Loveliness, kindliness, kindness, amiableness, benignity, amenity, affability, obligingness, winsomeness, attractiveness, kind-heartedness, fellow-feeling, good feeling, good-humor, good temper, sweet temper, sweetness of disposition.
**Amiable,** *a* Lovable, lovely, sweet, engaging, charming, winning, winsome, attractive, benignant, benign, sweet-tempered, kind-hearted, tender-hearted, worthy of love, of excellent disposition.
**Amiableness,** *n.* See AMIABILITY.
**Amianth,** *n* Amianthus, earth-flax, mountain-flax, flexible asbestos.
**Amicable,** *a.* Friendly, harmonious, cordial, peaceable, kind, kindly, amiable.
**Amicableness,** *n.* Amity, harmony, harmoniousness, peacefulness, peaceableness, kindliness, friendliness, friendship, cordiality, friendly feeling, good understanding, good-will.
**Amid,** } *prep.* 1. Among (*without being part*
**Amidst,** } *of*), amongst, in the midst of, in the middle of, surrounded by.
2. Jointly, together, some of.
**Amidships,** *ad.* (*Naut.*) Midships, amidward.
**Amiss,** *a.* Wrong, improper, faulty, erroneous, incorrect, inaccurate.
**Amiss,** *ad.* Wrong, wrongly, improperly, faultily, erroneously, incorrectly, inaccurately.
**Amity,** *n.* Friendliness. See AMICABLENESS.
**Ammonia,** *n.* Volatile alkali, ammoniacal gas, alkaline air.
**Ammonite,** *n.* Snake-stone.
**Ammunition,** *n.* 1. Munition, military stores.
2. Powder and shot.
**Amnesty,** *n.* Forgiveness (*granted to whole classes of persons*), general pardon (*by proclamation*), act of oblivion, freedom from penalty
**Among,** } *prep.* Amid (*while making part of*),
**Amongst,** } amidst, in the midst of, mixed *or* mingled with.
**Amorous,** *a.* 1. Full of sexual passion, erotic, ardent, full of desire, prone to sexuality.
2. Fond, enamoured, passionate, loving, longing, ardent, tender.
3. Amatory, erotic, tender, passionate, impassioned, Anacreontic.
**Amorphous,** *a.* 1. Irregular, shapeless, formless, unshapen.
2. Structureless, non-crystalline.
3. Characterless, misshapen, vague, unorganized, disorganized, chaotic, confused, clumsy. See ACEPHALOUS.
**Amount,** *n.* 1. Aggregate, sum, total, sum total, whole, footing, footing up.
2. Effect, substance, purport, result.
**Amount to.** 1. Aggregate, come to, be in the aggregate, be in the whole, be in all, foot up to, sum up to.
2. Be equivalent to, be in effect, be substantially.
**Amour,** *n.* Affair of gallantry, love intrigue, love affair, illicit relation, *liaison.*
**Amphiboly,** *n.* See AMBIGUITY.
**Ample,** *a.* 1. Large, great, capacious, wide, extended, extensive, spacious, broad, roomy.
2. Plentiful, plenteous, abundant, abounding, overflowing, copious, full, liberal, rich, exuberant, luxurious, lavish, bountiful, generous, liberal, handsome.
3. Diffusive, unrestricted, not contracted, not condensed, not concise, copious, grandiose.
**Amplification,** *n.* 1. Enlargement, greatening, extension, dilation, expansion, broadening, development.
2. Full detail, fulness, diffuseness, prolixity, diffuse narrative, copious discourse.
**Amplify,** *v. a.* 1. Enlarge, greaten, extend, augment, magnify, dilate, expand, widen, develop.
2. Make copious *or* diffuse, present in all *or* many aspects, dilate, expand.
**Amplify,** *v. n.* Go into detail, be copious, speak with fulness of illustration.
**Amplitude,** *n.* 1. Bulk, size, bulkiness, largeness, bigness, greatness, volume, capaciousness, width, breadth, extent, spaciousness, roominess, dimensions, mass.
2. Range, reach, sweep, compass, extent, scope, swing.
3. (*Astron.*) Angular distance (*from the east* or *the west point*), angular easting *or* westing.
**Amputate,** *v. a.* Sever, separate, cut off, prune, lop, curtail, clip, remove.
**Amulet,** *n.* Talisman, charm, phylactery, protection, safeguard.
**Amuse,** *v. a.* 1. Entertain, divert, please, charm, gladden, cheer, enliven, solace, beguile, relax, recreate.
2. Beguile, deceive (*by inspiring false hopes*), delude, cheat, inveigle, mislead, impose upon.
**Amusement,** *n.* Entertainment, diversion, *divertissement*, sport, play, fun, frolic, merriment, pleasure, merry-making, recreation, relaxation, pastime, game.
**Amusing,** *a.* Entertaining, diverting, pleasing, lively, laughable, risible, ludicrous, droll, comic, mirth-provoking, comical, funny, farcical, ridiculous.
**An,** *art.* 1. One, any, some.
2. Each, every.
**Anachronism,** *n.* Misdate.
**Anacreontic,** *a.* Amatory, amatorial, amatorian, amorous, erotic, convivial.
**Anacreontic,** } *n.* Erotic *or* amatory poem,
**Anacreontique,** } madrigal, drinking-song, wine-song.
**Anæmia,** *n.* (*Med.*) Deficiency of blood, poverty of blood, bloodlessness.
**Anæmic,** *a.* Indicating anæmia, anæmied, deficient in blood, thin-blooded, bloodless.

**Anæsthesia,** } *n.* (*Med.*) Insensibility (*as that*
**Anæsthesia,** } *produced by the inhalation of sulphuric ether, chloroform, etc.*), unconsciousness of pain, suspended sensibility, suspended consciousness.
**Anæsthetic,** *a.* Producing insensibility, destructive of pain.
**Anæsthetic,** *n.* Pain-suppressing agent, agent producing insensibility.
**Analect,** *n.* [*pl. Analects* or *Analecta.*] Selection, extract, selected piece, select piece. In *pl.*, collection of literary fragments.
**Analeptic,** *a.* Restorative, strengthening, invigorating, comforting.
**Analeptic,** *n.* Restorative.
**Analogical,** *a.* Having analogy, resembling, by analogy, corresponding, similar.
**Analogous,** *a.* Similar (*in relations* or *uses*), resembling, alike, like, cognate, parallel, corresponding, allied, of a piece.
**Analogue,** *n.* Correspondent, parallel, counterpart, similar feature *or* trait, analogon.
**Analogy,** *n.* Similarity (*in relations* or *uses*), resemblance, likeness, parallelism, similitude, parity, correspondence.
**Analysis,** *n.* 1. Resolution, decomposition, dissection, separation (*of elements*).
2. Algebra, calculus, analytics.
3. Parsing.
**Analyst,** *n.* Algebraist.
**Analytic,** } *a.* 1. Separative, solvent, resolvent.
**Analytical,** } 2. Algebraic.
**Analyze,** *v. a.* Decompose, decompound, dissect, resolve.
**Anaphrodisiac,** *n.* Antaphrodisiac, passion-queller, lust-quencher.
**Anarch,** *n.* See ANARCHIST.
**Anarchist,** *n.* Jacobin, turbulent demagogue.
**Anarchy,** *n.* Disorder, misrule, confusion, want of government, lawlessness, reign of violence.
**Anastomose,** *v. n.* (*Bot. and Anat.*) Inosculate, unite at the end.
**Anastomosis,** *n.* (*Bot. and Anat.*) Inosculation.
**Anathema,** *n.* Curse, malediction, denunciation, imprecation, fulmination, execration, malison, proscription, ban, excommunication.
**Anathematize,** *v. a.* Curse, maledict, denounce, imprecate, execrate, fulminate against, proscribe, ban, excommunicate.
**Anathematize,** *v. n.* Curse, utter anathemas, fulminate, ban.
**Anatomatize,** *v. a.* 1. Dissect.
2. Scrutinize, analyze, sift, probe, examine, lay open.
**Anatomy,** *n.* 1. Dissection.
2. Structure, structural form, structural plan, structural details.
3. Structural science.
4. Skeleton, bony structure.
5. Meagre person, heap of skin and bones.
**Ancestor,** *n.* Forefather, progenitor, father.
**Ancestral,** *a.* Hereditary, patrimonial.
**Ancestry,** *n.* 1. Lineage, family, race, house, line of ancestors, line.
2. Pedigree, stock, genealogy, descent.
3. High birth, noble blood, gentle blood, nobility, hereditary rank.
**Anchor,** *n.* 1. Ground tackle (*of a ship*).
2. Sure protection, security, stay, hold, defence.
**Anchor,** *v. a.* Secure by anchor, secure, fasten, fix securely.
**Anchor,** *v. n.* Cast anchor, come to anchor, keep hold, take firm hold.
**Anchorage,** *n.* Roadstead, road, port, harbor, resting-place.
**Anchoret,** *n.* Hermit. See ANCHORITE.
**Anchor-ice,** *n.* Ground-ice.
**Anchorite,** *n.* Hermit, recluse, solitary, anchoret, eremite, *solitaire.*
**Ancient,** *a.* 1. Old, primitive, pristine, of eld, of old time, not modern. See OLDEN.
2. Of great age, of long duration.
3. Antiquated, antique, archaic, obsolete, bygone, old-fashioned, out of fashion, out of date, gone by.
**Anciently,** *ad.* Formerly, of old, in the olden time, in ancient times, in days of yore, long ago, a long while ago, in days long gone.
**Anciliary,** *a.* 1. Helping, helpful, auxiliary, instrumental.
2. Subservient, subordinate, subsidiary.
**Anecdote,** *n.* Story (*of private life*), biographical incident.
**Anemone,** *n.* Wind-flower.
**Anemoscope,** *n.* Weather-cock, vane.
**Anew,** *ad.* Newly, afresh, again, over again, *de novo.*
**Anfractuous,** *a.* Winding, meandering, crooked, serpentine, devious, tortuous, sinuous, intricate, ambagious.
**Angel,** *n.* Spirit, supernatural being, seraph, cherub.
**Angel,** *a.* (*Poetical.*) Angelic.
**Angel-fish,** *n.* Monk-fish (*Squatina angelus*), fiddle-fish.
**Angelic,** } *a.* Seraphic, cherubic, heavenly, ce-
**Angelical,** } lestial, adorable, transporting, enrapturing, ravishing, rapturous, entrancing, angel.
**Anger,** *n.* Wrath, rage, fury, resentment, ire, indignation, exasperation, choler, gall, bile, spleen, dudgeon, passion, displeasure, vexation, irritation, offence, bad temper, ill temper, hot temper. See TEMPER.
**Anger,** *v. a.* Irritate, displease, offend, provoke, exasperate, rouse, chafe, gall, vex, nettle, incense, enrage, inflame, madden, infuriate, make angry.
**Angina pectoris.** [L.] Breast-pang.
**Angle,** *n.* 1. (*Geom.*) Difference of direction (*of two lines*), divergence, opening, flare.
2. Corner, bend, elbow, knee, crotch, cusp, point (*where two lines meet*).
3. Hook, fish-hook.
**Angle,** *v n.* Fish (*with a rod*), bob.
**Angle for.** Fish for, scheme for, plot for, try to get by artifice.
**Angler,** *n.* 1. Fisherman, fisher.
2. Frog-fish, toad-fish, fishing-frog, sea-devil (*Lophius piscatorius*).
**Angle-rafter,** *n.* Hip-rafter, piend-rafter.
**Anglican,** *a.* English (*said of the Church*).
**Anglice,** *ad.* [L.] In English.
**Anglicism,** *n.* English idiom, thorough English quality.
**Anglicize,** *v. a.* Give an English form to, introduce into English.
**Angling,** *n.* Fishing (*with a rod*). See also ANGLE FOR.
**Angry,** *a.* Provoked, exasperated, irritated, incensed, piqued, galled, chafed, indignant, moody, sulky, irate, ireful, wroth, wrathful, storming, infuriate, infuriated, furious, raging, resentful, hot, inflamed, mad, passionate, in a passion, in a pet, in the tantrums (*colloq.*), out of humor, out of temper, out of tune.
**Anguilliform,** *a.* Eel-shaped.
**Anguish,** *n.* Agony (*especially of the mind*), torment, torture, rack, pang, severe pain, extreme suffering, acute distress. See AGONY.
**Anguish,** *v. a.* Distress, torture. See AGONIZE.
**Angular,** *a.* Pointed, with angles, with corners.
**Angular distance.** Apparent distance, distance as measured by an angle.
**Anile,** *a.* Aged, imbecile, senile, doting, decrepit, superannuated, old-womanish.

**Anility,** *n.* Imbecility, dotage, senility, decrepitude, superannuation, weakness.

**Animadversion,** *n.* 1. Notice, observation, perception, act of noticing, etc., remark, comment.

2. Reproof, stricture, censure, blame, aspersion, reflection, condemnation, reprobation, reprehension, severe criticism.

**Animadvert upon.** 1. Remark, notice, note, take notice of, mention, consider.

2. Censure, disapprove, find fault with, object to, take exception to, protest against, criticise severely.

**Animal,** *n.* 1. Creature, living being, created being, sentient being.

2. Beast, irrational creature, dumb creature, beast of the field, fowl of the air, denizen of the deep. See BRUTE.

**Animal,** *a.* 1. Pertaining to living beings, living, sentient.

2. Derived from animals, composed of flesh, consisting of meat.

3. Carnal, physical, natural, fleshly, unspiritual, beastly, brutal, brutish.

**Animalcula,** *n. pl.* [L.] Animalcules, microscopic animals.

**Animalcule,** *n.* Microscopic animal, very minute animal.

**Animal magnetism.** Mesmerism.

**Animal spirits.** 1. Nervous fluid, the nervous force, vital principle, life.

2. Energy, vigor, life, spirit, buoyancy of mind, lightheartedness, impulsiveness, spiritedness. See ANIMATION.

**Animate,** *v. a.* 1. Quicken, inform, make alive, give life to, vivify.

2. Invigorate, fortify, revive, give vigor *or* energy to.

3. Stimulate, waken, rouse, whet, incite, impel, excite, fire, heat, urge, provoke, warm, goad, kindle, prompt, work up, set on.

4. Encourage, inspire, inspirit, embolden, enhearten, hearten, exhilarate, gladden, elate, elevate, flush, erect.

**Animated,** *a.* Lively, vigorous, sprightly, brisk, vivacious, buoyant, spirited, jocund, blithe, gay, elated, full of life, full of spirit.

**Animating,** *a.* Cheering, inspiring, enlivening, encouraging, exhilarating, stimulating, exciting, elevating, spirit-stirring, heart-stirring.

**Animation,** *n.* 1. Act of enlivening *or* making alive, vitalization, vivification, inbreathing of life, inspiration, stimulation, etc., as below.

2. Life, vitality, breath, vital power, vital spark, breath of life.

3. Liveliness, spirit, spiritedness, vivacity, sprightliness, buoyancy, elasticity, airiness, vigor, ardor, courage, force, strength, energy, exhilaration, cheerfulness, gayety, cheer, animal spirits, high spirits, good spirits.

**Animosity,** *n.* Malignity, virulence, bitterness, rancor, hostility, hatred, hate, enmity, grudge, rankling, spleen, ill-will, heart-burning, violent hatred, active enmity, persistent hostility.

**Animus,** *n.* [L.] 1. Hostile feeling, malice, partisan feeling, intention, purpose, aim.

2. Disposition, spirit, temper, general tone, tone of mind.

**Annals,** *n. pl.* Records (*in the order of years*), chronicles, registers, rolls, archives, historical accounts.

**Anneal,** *v. a.* Temper (*as glass, by slow cooling*), toughen.

**Annex,** *v. a.* 1. Affix, attach, subjoin, superadd, append, tag, tack. See ADD.

2. Join, unite, connect.

**Annexation,** *n.* 1. Affixing, attaching, attachment, addition, adding, appending, annexment.

2. Junction, joining, connection, conjunction, union.

**Annihilable,** *a.* Utterly destructible, capable of being blotted out of existence, reducible to nonentity.

**Annihilate,** *v. a.* Destroy, extinguish, quench, kill, exterminate, raze, blast, ruin, nullify, annul, put an end to, put out of existence, blot out, blot from being, obliterate.

**Annihilation,** *n.* 1. Utter destruction, eradication, extermination, obliteration, abolishment.

2. Non-existence, non-being, oblivion, eternal blank, Nirvâna.

**Anniversary,** *a.* Yearly (*in the sense of returning with the year*), annual.

**Anniversary,** *n.* Day of annual celebration, fête-day, annual festival, *fête*.

**Anno Domini.** [L.] In the year of our Lord, in the year of grace, in the year of human salvation, *anno salutis*.

**Annotate,** *v. a.* Comment on, make notes on, make comments *or* remarks upon, supply with notes, elucidate, explain, illustrate.

**Annotate,** *v. n.* Comment, make notes, act as an annotator.

**Annotation,** *n.* 1. Note, comment, commentary, remark, observation, gloss, scholium, explanation, elucidation, illustration.

2. Supplying with notes, making notes, commentation, commenting, illustrating, illustration, elucidating, elucidation.

**Announce,** *v. a.* Publish, proclaim, blazon, promulgate, declare, report, trumpet, advertise, communicate, set forth, give out, blaze abroad, noise abroad, herald abroad, spread abroad, give notice of, make proclamation of, lay before the public, bring to the notice of the public.

**Announcement,** *n.* Advertisement, notice, notification, proclamation, declaration, promulgation, annunciation, pronunciamento, manifesto.

**Annoy,** *v. a.* Molest, trouble, vex, wound, pain, plague, worry, irritate, fret, chafe, incommode, disturb, disquiet, pester, bother, tease, infest, embarrass, harass, harry, hector, badger.

**Annoyance,** *n.* Vexation, molestation, discomfort, trouble, plague, nuisance, bore, torment, infliction, irritation, scourge, thorn, bitter pill, gall and wormwood.

**Annual,** *a.* Yearly, occurring once a year, occurring every year, lasting a year, recurring with the year, anniversary.

**Annual,** *n.* 1. Yearly publication, year-book, yearly record, yearly report, yearly transactions, annals (*of science* or *letters*).

2. Plant living but a year.

**Annually,** *ad.* Yearly, by the year, every year, once a year, year by year, *per annum*.

**Annul,** *v. a.* 1. Cancel, abrogate, repeal, revoke, recall, countermand, reverse, rescind, abolish, disannul, vacate, quash, nullify, supersede, invalidate, overrule, make void, set aside.

2. Reduce to nought, obliterate. See ANNIHILATE.

**Annular,** *a.* Ring-shaped, in the form of a ring, ring-like.

**Annulet,** *n.* 1. Little ring.

2. (*Arch.*) Fillet, listel, list, cincture, tenia.

**Annulling,** *n.* See ANNULMENT.

**Annulment,** *n.* Annulling, nullification, abrogation, repeal, rescission, cancelling, revocation, abolition. See ANNUL.

**Annunciation,** *n.* 1. See ANNOUNCEMENT.

2. [With *The*.] Salutation of the Virgin, *Ave Maria*.

3. [With *The*.] Anniversary of the Annunciation, 25th of March.

**Anodyne,** *n* Opiate, sedative, palliative, lenitive, narcotic.

**Anoint,** *v. a.* 1. Smear, rub over with oil *or* unctuous matter.
2. Consecrate by unction.

**Anomalistic,** *a.* See ANOMALOUS.

**Anomalous,** *a* Irregular, abnormal, anomalistic, unconformable, preternatural, unnatural, unusual, singular, peculiar, exceptional, aberrant, eccentric, erratic, monstrous, out of the way.

**Anomaly,** *n.* Irregularity, abnormity, singularity, peculiarity, unconformity, eccentricity, monstrosity.

**Anon,** *ad.* Soon, quickly, shortly, immediately, forthwith, on the instant, directly, in a short time, ere long, at another time, again, afterward.

**Anonymous,** *a.* Nameless, without the name of the author, of unknown authorship, unacknowledged (*of writings*).

**Another,** *a.* 1. Some other, any other, not the same, a different.
2. One more.

**Answer,** *v n.* 1. Reply (*especially to a question*), rejoin, respond, say in reply, make answer, reply, *or* response.
2. Be accountable, be responsible *or* liable, be security, go surety.
3. Correspond, be correlated, be counterpart, be like, be similar.
4. Do, pass, serve, suit, be sufficient, be enough, do well enough, pass muster, be of use

**Answer,** *v. a.* 1. Reply to, respond to, make answer to.
2. Refute, meet by argument *or* explanation.
3. Satisfy, fulfil, be suitable to, be sufficient for.

**Answer,** *n.* 1. Reply, response, rejoinder, replication, retort, counter-statement.
2. Refutation, confutation, defence, plea.

**Answerable,** *a.* 1. Refutable, that may be answered.
2. Accountable, responsible, amenable, liable.
3. Corresponding, correspondent, correlative, proportionate, suitable, suited, fit.

**Ant,** *n.* Pismire, emmet

**Antagonism,** *n.* Opposition, contrariety, repugnance, contradiction, clashing, incompatibility, inconsistency, incongruity, discord, discordance, discordancy, disharmony, dissonance, conflict, hostility, enmity, feud.

**Antagonist,** *n.* Opponent, adversary, rival, competitor, enemy, foe, adverse party.

**Antagonistic,** *a* Antagonist, opposing, adverse, opposite, hostile, inimical, contrary, contradictory, repugnant, conflicting, incompatible, inconsistent, incongruous, discordant, dissonant.

**Antagonize,** *v. a.* Oppose, contend against, counteract, conflict with, be hostile to, tend to annul, check.

**Antagonize,** *v. n.* Struggle together, contend with each other, be at feud, tend to annul each other.

**Antecedence,** *n.* Priority (*in time*), anteriority, precedence.

**Antecedent,** *a.* Preceding, precedent, previous, prior, anterior, foregoing, precursory, forerunning, going before.

**Antecedent,** *n.* 1. Precursor, forerunner.
2. (*Math.*) First term (*of a ratio*).
3. (*Gram.*) Preceding noun (*to which a pronoun refers*).
4. (*Logic.*) First proposition (*in an enthymeme*).

**Antecedents,** *n. pl.* Previous history (*of an individual*), previous course, incidents of one's past life, record.

**Antedate,** *v a.* 1. Date before the true time, date back, date earlier than the fact.
2. Anticipate, forestall, foretaste, experience beforehand

**Antenatal,** *a.* Prenatal, prior to birth, fetal, in the womb.

**Antepast,** *n.* Foretaste, prelibation, forestalling, presentiment. See ANTICIPATION.

**Anterior,** *a.* 1. Preceding, prior, previous, foregoing, going before. See ANTECEDENT.
2. Fore, front, in front.

**Anteriority,** *n.* 1. Priority (*in time*), precedence, antecedence
2. Position in advance, situation in front.

**Ante-room,** *n.* Vestibule, lobby, hall, antechamber

**Anthelmintic,** *n.* Vermifuge, helminthagogue.

**Anthem,** *n.* Hymn, divine song.

**Anthology,** *n.* Selections (*from authors*), beauties, elegant extracts.

**Anthracite,** *n.* Blind-coal, glance-coal, stone-coal, hard-coal.

**Anthropoid,** *a.* Manlike, resembling man, anthropomorphic, having a human *or* manlike form.

**Anthropomorphism,** *n.* Sensuous theism, representing God under human limitations.

**Anthropophagi,** *n. pl.* Cannibals, man-eaters.

**Antic,** *a.* Odd, fanciful, fantastic, grotesque, merry, ludicrous, wild, ridiculous.

**Antic,** *n.* 1. Prank, trick, freak, gambol, caper, vagary.
2. Buffoon, fool, merry-andrew, scaramouch, mountebank, harlequin, punch, clown, zany, jester, jack-pudding, pickle-herring.

**Anticipate,** *v. a.* 1. Go before, get the start of.
2. Take up beforehand, consider in advance, meet *or* pay in advance.
3. Foretaste, forestall, antedate, experience beforehand.
4. Expect, forecast, foresee, look forward to, count upon, reckon upon, calculate upon, prepare one's self for.

**Anticipation,** *n.* 1. Expectation, expectance, contemplation, prospect, hope, trust. See also ABEYANCE.
2. Foretaste, prelibation, antepast, presentiment, forestalling, foreseeing, foresight, prescience, prevision, forethought, forecast, preconception, experience beforehand, prior realization.

**Anticlimax,** *n.* Bathos.

**Antidote,** *n.* 1. Counterpoison, anti-poison, counteractive, corrective.
2. Remedy, cure, specific, restorative.

**Antifebrile,** *a.* Febrifugal.

**Antifebrile,** *n.* Febrifuge.

**Antimacassar,** *n.* Tidy.

**Antipathy,** *n.* Repugnance (*natural* or *constitutional*), disgust, abhorrence, detestation, hatred, hate, loathing, aversion, horror.

**Antipodal,** *a.* Opposite, over against, diametrically opposite, contrary in the utmost.

**Anti-poison,** *n.* See ANTIDOTE.

**Antiquarian,** *n.* Antiquary, archæologian, archæologist.

**Antiquarian,** *a.* Archæological.

**Antiquary,** *n.* See ANTIQUARIAN.

**Antiquated,** *a.* Obsolete, unfashionable, antique, bygone, archaic, ancient, grown old, out of use, out of fashion, out of date, old-fashioned, gone by.

**Antique,** *a.* Old, ancient, archaic, old-fashioned, bygone.

**Antique,** *n.* Ancient rarity, piece of ancient art.

**Antiquity,** *n.* 1. Remote times, the olden time, ancient times, days of yore, early times, days of eld, hoary eld.

2. Ancients, people of old times, ancient life and practice.
3. Ancientness, great age.
4. [*pl.*] Relics of old times, early remains, ancient manners and customs, archæology

**Antispasmodic,** *a* Carminative, good for cramp *or* spasms.

**Antistrophe,** *n.* Counter-song, response.

**Antithesis,** *n.* (*Rhet.*) Contrast, opposition.

**Antithetic,** } *a.* Contrasted, placed in contrast,
**Antithetical,** } strongly *or* extremely opposed.

**Anxiety,** *n.* Solicitude, concern, care, uneasiness, disquiet, disquietude, apprehension, fear, misgiving, foreboding, perplexity, worry, vexation, trouble, pain.

**Anxious,** *a.* Solicitous, uneasy, restless, unquiet, apprehensive, greatly concerned. See CAREFUL.

**Any,** *a.* I. A single one (*of many*), any one.
2. Some (*indefinitely*).

**Any,** *ad.* Somewhat, at all, in any degree.

**Anyhow,** *ad.* In any manner, in any way, in any case.

**Apace,** *ad.* Quickly, speedily, swiftly, rapidly, hastily, post-haste, with speed, with quick pace.

**Apart,** *ad.* I. Separately, aloof, aside, by one's self, by itself.
2. Asunder, into two parts, to *or* in pieces.

**Apartment,** *n.* Room, chamber, hall.

**Apathetic,** *a.* Unfeeling, passionless, impassible, impassive, stoical, unimpressible, unsusceptible, insensible, senseless, soulless, phlegmatic, dull, obtuse, cold, sluggish, torpid, tame, lukewarm, indifferent, unconcerned, callous, dead, cold-blooded, without sensibility, destitute of feeling.

**Apathy,** *n.* Insensibility, impassibility, dispassion, dulness, torpor, hebetude, sluggishness, coldness, phlegm, indifference, unconcern, unfeelingness, stoicism, want of feeling, pococurantism.

**Ape,** *n.* I. Simian, troglodyte, tailless monkey.
2. Mimic, servile imitator.
3. Imitator, imitation, image, type, likeness
4. Object of contempt, monster of ugliness, object of ridicule, guy.

**Ape,** *v. a.* I. Mimic (*in good sense*), imitate, counterfeit, take the form *or* appearance of.
2. Mimic, (*in bad sense*), copy with servility, affect, imitate with effort, imitate futilely.

**Aperient,** *a* (*Med.*) Laxative, deobstruent loosening.

**Aperient,** *n.* (*Med.*) Laxative, laxative medicine

**Aperture,** *n.* Opening, hole, perforation, gap, cleft, rift, chasm, orifice, passage, eye, eyelet, loop-hole

**Apex,** *n.* Top, summit, acme, zenith, pinnacle, highest point, culminating point, utmost height.

**Aphis,** *n.* [*pl Aphides.*] Plant-louse, vine-fretter, puceron.

**Aphorism,** *n* Maxim, adage, proverb, saying, dictum, saw, apothegm, byword, sententious precept.

**Apiarist,** *n.* Bee-breeder, bee-keeper, bee-student, keeper of an apiary, bee-master, apiarian.

**Apiary,** *n.* Bee-house, beehive-frame, bee-stand, bee-shed.

**Apiece,** *ad.* Severally, for each, each.

**Apish,** *a.* I. Imitative (*in a servile manner*), mimicking.
2. Affected, foppish, trifling.

**Aplomb,** *n.* [Fr ] Self-possession, self-balance, self-confidence, collectedness, self-poise, assurance.

**Apocalypse,** *n.* Revelation, prophecy of St John.

**Apocalyptic,** *a.* I. In *or* from the Revelation.
2. Prophetic, mystic, mystical, mysterious, revelatory of mysteries.

**Apocryphal,** *a.* Unauthentic, legendary, uncanonical, of doubtful authority, fictitious, false, equivocal, dubious, spurious.

**Apodeictic,** } *a.* Necessarily universal, abso-
**Apodictic,** } lutely certain, demonstrative, unquestionable, infallibly so, beyond contradiction, beyond peradventure.

**Apollyon,** *n.* The Destroyer, Satan, the Archfiend, the Devil, Abaddon, the Fiend, the Archenemy, Beelzebub, the Prince of Darkness, the Prince of the Power of the Air.

**Apologetic,** *a.* I. Excusatory, exculpatory.
2. Defensive, by way of defence, vindicative, repelling *or* refuting allegations

**Apologetics,** *n* Evidences of Christianity, defence of the Christian religion, science of Christian evidences.

**Apologist,** *n.* Defender, vindicator, supporter, advocate.

**Apologize,** *v. n.* Make an apology, offer an excuse, plead in defence *or* extenuation

**Apologue,** *n.* Fable (*founded on the supposed action of brutes* or *of inanimate things*), parable, tale, story. See ALLEGORY.

**Apology,** *n.* I. Defence, vindication, justification.
2. Excuse, plea, explanation, extenuation, acknowledgment, reparation, *amende honorable.*
3. Makeshift, mere excuse, poor excuse, temporary substitute.

**Apostasy,** *n* Defection, desertion, traitorous defection, perfidious desertion, backsliding, dereliction, fall.

**Apostate,** *n.* Renegade, backslider, deserter, turncoat, pervert.

**Apostate,** *a.* Treacherous, perfidious, traitorous, disloyal, false, faithless, untrue, recreant, backsliding.

**Apostatize,** *v. n.* Become an apostate, foreswear one's faith *or* fealty, be a traitor, etc.

**Apostle,** *n.* I. One of The Twelve, one deputed by our Lord.
2. Messenger, missionary, devoted proclaimer, first preacher, founder and interpreter.

**Apostolic,** *a.* Taught, founded, *or* authorized by the Apostles, derived from the Apostles, of the Apostles.

**Apostolic See.** Church of Rome.

**Apothecary,** *n.* Pharmacist, pharmaceutist, pharmacian, druggist

**Apothegm,** *n.* Maxim, saying, dictum, saw, proverb, aphorism, byword, sententious precept. See ADAGE

**Apotheosis,** *n.* Deification.

**Appall,** *v. a.* Terrify, frighten, affright, dismay, daunt, horrify, shock, put in great fear, strike with terror, petrify with fear, palsy *or* paralyze with fear

**Apparatus,** *n.* Tools, instruments, utensils, means, mechanism, appliances, contrivances, *materiel.*

**Apparel,** *n.* Clothes, clothing, dress, raiment, attire, array, costume, toilet, habit, habiliments, garb, guise, gear, garments, garmenture, vesture, vestments, robes, outfit, accoutrement, equipment, suit, trappings, wardrobe, rig.

**Apparel,** *v. a.* Dress, clothe, attire, habit, vest, array, robe, accoutre, equip, fit out, rig, rig out, trick out.

**Apparent,** *a.* I. Visible, discernible, perceptible, in view, in sight, to be seen.
2. Manifest, obvious, patent, open, clear, evident, indubitable, plain, conspicuous, legible, unmistakable, in plain sight.
3. Seeming, specious, ostensible, external, superficial, not real, *quasi.*

**Apparently,** *ad.* I. Evidently, obviously, clearly, manifestly, plainly, indubitably, unmistakably.
2. Seemingly, ostensibly, *quasi*, on appearance, at the first blush, in semblance, in show.

**Apparition,** *n.* 1. Appearing, appearance, manifestation, coming to view, epiphany.
2. Form, being, thing appearing.
3. Ghost, spectre, phantom, phantasm, spirit, sprite, hobgoblin, shade, chimera, illusion, vision, preternatural appearance. See WRAITH.

**Appeal,** *v. n.* 1. (*Law.*) Seek reference of the case *or* cause (*from one court to another*).
2. Sue to another (*in any controversy*).

**Appeal,** *v. a.* 1. (*Rare.*) Summon, challenge, accuse, indict.
2. (*Law.*) Refer, transfer by appeal (*from one court to another*).

**Appeal,** *n.* 1. Address, invocation, petition, request, entreaty, imploration, application, solicitation, suit.
2. Resort, recourse.

**Appeal to.** Address, invoke, implore, petition, entreat, solicit, sue to, refer to, call upon, make application to.

**Appear,** *v. n.* 1. Emerge, be in sight, come in sight, be visible, come into view, open to the view, present itself, crop out, show itself, turn up, come upon the stage, see the light, heave in sight (*naut.*).
2. Open, dawn, break.
3. Arise, occur, offer.
4. Stand in judgment, be present to answer, come into court.
5. Be manifest, be obvious, be open, be known.
6. Seem, look, show, wear the appearance, present the appearance, have the appearance, strike one as being.

**Appearance,** *n.* 1. Coming, arrival, advent, apparition.
2. Appearance, what is seen, form, being, apparition.
3. Semblance, seeming, show, face, pretence, color, pretext, guise, fashion, feature.
4. Mien, air, aspect, look, complexion, figure, manner, demeanor, personal presence.

**Appeasable,** *a.* Placable, forgiving, reconcilable.

**Appease,** *v. a.* 1. Pacify, calm, quiet, soothe, tranquillize, allay, assuage, mollify, alleviate, mitigate, abate, ease, compose, still, hush, lull, dull, quell, blunt, temper, attemper, lessen, qualify.
2. Propitiate, reconcile, satisfy, placate, make propitious, make favorable.

**Appellation,** *n.* Appellative, name, title, epithet, cognomen, denomination, style, description, designation, descriptive term.

**Append,** *v. a.* 1. Hang, attach, fasten.
2. Add, subjoin, join, annex, affix, superadd, tag, tack.

**Appendage,** *n.* Attachment, addition, adjunct, appurtenance, appliance, appendix, appendant, tail-piece, concomitant, accompaniment, attendant.

**Appendant,** *a.* Annexed, attached, hanging, concomitant, attendant.

**Appendix,** *n.* 1. Adjunct, addition, appurtenance, appendage, appendant, addendum.
2. Supplement, excursus.

**Appertain to.** 1. Belong to, pertain to, be incident to, be proper to, be part *or* characteristic of, inhere in, adhere to.
2. Regard, concern, touch, relate to, refer to, bear upon.

**Appetence,** } *n.* 1. Appetite, strong desire, crav-
**Appetency,** } ing, longing, passion.
2. Tendency, inclination, leaning, bent, disposition, propensity, proclivity, fondness, liking, *penchant.*

**Appetite,** *n.* 1. Desire, longing, craving, hankering, pruriency, appetency, passion.
2. Liking, relish, stomach, gusto, gust, zest.
3. Hunger, stomach, desire of food.

**Appetizer,** *n.* Zest, relish, sauce.

**Appetizing,** *a.* That whets the appetite, stimulating to the appetite, inviting.

**Applaud,** *v. a.* 1. Cheer, clap.
2. Praise, commend, laud, approve, compliment, extol, magnify, cry up.

**Applause,** *n.* Acclamation, acclaim, plaudit, *éclat*, clapping of hands, shout of approbation, loud praise, burst of approbation.

**Apple of the eye.** Pupil of the eye.

**Apple Peru.** Thorn-apple, stramonium, stramony, Jamestown weed (*Datura stramonium*).

**Apple-pie order.** (*Colloq.*) Perfect order, fine *or* perfect trim.

**Appliance,** *n.* 1. Application, applying, use, exercise, practice.
2. Tool, instrument, appurtenance, appendage, adjunct.
3. Expedient, means, instrumentality, resource.

**Appliances,** *n. pl.* 1. Means, expedients, instrumentalities, resources, steps, measures, ways and means.
2. Appointments, appurtenances, attachments, adjuncts, tools, instruments, appendages, equipments.

**Applicable,** *a.* 1. To be applied *or* fitted *or* put on, adjustable.
2. Suitable, fit, fitting, befitting, appropriate, adapted, apt, proper, pertinent, relevant, apposite, germane, to the point, to the purpose, bearing on.

**Applicant,** *n.* Petitioner, solicitor, suitor, candidate.

**Application,** *n.* 1. Applying, putting on.
2. Thing applied (emollient, irritant, stimulant, *or* rubefacient).
3. Appliance, use, exercise, practice.
4. Solicitation, petition, appeal, request, suit.
5. Assiduity, industry, perseverance, persistency, intense study, close attention.
6. Reference to practice, use in detail, putting into practice, turning upon particulars, exemplification.

**Apply,** *v. a.* 1. Lay upon, put *or* place upon.
2. Appropriate, use, employ, exercise, ply, convert to use, put to use.
3. Execute, carry out, put in practice.
4. Devote, dedicate, addict, direct, engage, turn attentively, bend with diligence.
5. Refer, make pertain, give direction upon.

**Apply,** *v. n.* 1. Hold, hold good *or* true, fit *or* hit the case, come into play, be in point, be pertinent.
2. Make formal request, enroll one's self as a candidate, make suit, become a candidate.

**Apply to.** 1. Suit, fit, be adapted to, be suitable to, be applicable to, hold true of, hold of, bear upon, refer to.
2. Solicit, petition, request, appeal to, call upon, make application to, have recourse to

**Appoint,** *v. a.* 1. Fix, determine, prescribe, set, establish.
2. Direct, ordain, enjoin, require, command, decree, order, bid, impose, insist on.
3. Assign, allot, designate, destine.
4. Nominate, name, constitute, create.
5. Furnish, equip, supply.

**Appointment,** *n.* 1. Appointing, designation to office
2. Station, position, office, place.
3. Assignation, agreement (*as to time and place of meeting*), stipulation, arrangement. See TRYST.
4. Decree, bidding, command, order, ordaining, ordainment, ordination, ordinance, direction, precept, mandate, edict, enactment, law, requirement.

5. Equipment, equipage, furniture, outfit, accoutrement, appliance.
6. Allowance, salary, pay, stipend, pension. [Proper only in *pl.*]

**Apportion,** *v. a.* Allot, distribute, assign, divide, partition, part, measure (*out*), share, deal, dole, dispense, parcel out, deal out, portion out.

**Apportionment,** *n.* Distribution, allotment, assignment, partition, division.

**Apposite,** *a.* Apt, pertinent, relevant, fit, fitting, befitting, suitable, appropriate, seasonable, germane, *apropos*, pat (*colloq.*), to the purpose, to the point, well applied, well put.

**Appraisal,** *n.* See APPRAISEMENT.

**Appraise,** *v. a.* Value, estimate, prize, rate, set a value on, fix a price for, estimate the worth of, form an estimate of.

**Appraisement,** *n.* Appraisal, valuation, estimation, estimate, judgment.

**Appreciate,** *v. a.* 1. Estimate justly, set a just value on, form a correct estimate of, value rightly, perceive the worth of, value, esteem, prize.
2. Estimate, esteem, value, rate.
3. Raise the value of, make of greater value.

**Appreciate,** *v. n.* Rise in value, be worth more.

**Appreciation,** *n.* 1. Valuation, estimation, appraisal, appraisement.
2. Just estimate, correct valuation, esteem, sense of one's worth.
3. Rise in value, rise, increased value *or* price.

**Apprehend,** *v. a.* 1. Seize, arrest, take, catch, detain, capture, take prisoner.
2. Conceive, imagine, look at, regard, view.
3. See (*mentally*), perceive, realize, understand, take in, appreciate, take the meaning *or* point of
4. Fear, forebode, have a presentiment of.

**Apprehend,** *v. n.* Think, suppose, imagine, conceive, fancy, hold, ween, presume, be of opinion, take it. See OPINE.

**Apprehension,** *n.* 1. Seizure, arrest, capture.
2. Understanding, intellect, intelligence, mind, reason.
3. Notice, simple taking in, mere reception, taking the point, getting the meaning, understanding.
4. Conception, the mind's eye. See IMAGINATION.
5. Knowledge, intellection, discernment, perception, sense.
6. Opinion, belief, fancy, supposition, judgment, sentiment, idea, notion, view.
7. Fear, distrust, suspicion, anxiety, solicitude, care, concern, misgiving, uneasiness, alarm.

**Apprehensive,** *a* 1. Quick to understand, of quick perceptions.
2. Fearful, afraid, distrustful, suspicious, anxious, uneasy.

**Apprentice,** *n.* Learner (*of a trade*), indentured, bound, *or* articled assistant

**Apprentice,** *v. a.* Indenture, bind, article.

**Apprise,** *v. a.* Inform, acquaint, notify, tell, make acquainted, make aware, give notice, disclose to, make known to, advise, admonish, warn.

**Approach,** *v. n.* 1. Come, draw near, draw nigh, come near, be at hand.
2. [With *to.*] Approximate, come nearly up, be nearly equal.

**Approach,** *v. a.* 1. Bring near, carry toward, advance, push forward.
2. Come *or* draw near *or* nigh (*to*), go near.
3. Broach (*a subject*) to, address confidentially, make overtures to.
4. Resemble closely, come very near to, be much like, almost equal.

**Approach,** *n.* 1. Advance, advent, coming, drawing near.
2. Approximation, nearing, tendency, convergence.
3. [In *pl.*] Wily addresses, insidious overtures.
4. Entrance, way, adit, path. See ACCESS.
5. Access, admittance, admission.

**Approachable,** *a.* Accessible.

**Approbate,** *v. a.* See PRAISE.

**Approbation,** *n.* 1. Approval, praise, commendation, good opinion, favorable opinion, liking.
2. Support, concurrence, assent, consent, sanction, ratification, indorsement.

**Appropriate,** *v. a.* 1. Adopt, take to one's self, take as one's own, apply to one's own uses.
2. Assign, apportion, allot, set apart, devote.
3. Apply, use, employ, convert.

**Appropriate,** *a.* Adapted, fit, fitting, befitting, apt, pat (*colloq.*), suitable, proper, becoming, due, seemly, agreeable, conformable, congruous, germane, convenient, pertinent, apposite, felicitous, applicable, *apropos*, to the point, to the purpose.

**Appropriateness,** *n.* Suitableness, fitness, propriety, aptness, appositeness, pertinency, relevancy, felicity, applicability. See PERTINENCE.

**Appropriation,** *n.* 1. Seizure, capture, taking, taking to one's self.
2. Application, (*to a particular use*), assignment, devotion, allotment.
3. Sum set apart (*for a specific object*).

**Approval,** *n.* See APPROBATION.

**Approve,** *v. a.* 1. Commend, recommend, praise, like, appreciate, value, prize, think well *or* favorably of, think highly of, speak well of, be pleased with.
2. Sanction, confirm, justify, ratify, uphold, sustain, make valid, assent *or* consent to, concur in, indorse.

**Approximate,** *a.* 1. Proximate, approaching, coming near. [Followed by *to.*]
2. Nearly correct, nearly accurate *or* true, inexact, almost exact.

**Approximate,** *v. a.* (*Rare.*) Bring near, cause to approach.

**Approximate,** *v. n.* Approach, come near, closely resemble, nearly rival.

**Approximately,** *ad.* Near, nearly, about, not far from.

**Approximation,** *n.* Approach, gradual convergence.

**Appulse,** *n.* Collision, meeting, impact, shock, jar, impulse, impulsion, appulsion, striking, striking together, coming together.

**Appulsive,** *a.* Impinging, striking against, colliding with, collisive

**Appurtenance,** *n.* Adjunct, dependency. See APPENDAGE.

**Appurtenant,** *a.* Belonging, pertaining, appertaining.

**A priori.** [L.] 1. Theoretically, before experience, before trial, from assumed principles.
2. From pure reason, from the nature of the case, independently of all experience, necessarily, absolutely, apodictically, primordially, aboriginally, constitutionally.

**Apropos,** *a.* [Fr.] Opportune, seasonable, timely, fit, suitable, apt, pat (*colloq.*), to the point, to the purpose, just the thing, quite the thing. See APPOSITE.

**Apropos,** *ad.* 1. Opportunely, seasonably, to the purpose, etc. See preceding.
2. By the way, by the bye, speaking of that, that reminds me, while the matter's up, in that connection.

**Apt,** *a.* 1. Apposite, pertinent, suitable, fit, fitting, meet, befitting, germane, applicable, appropriate, felicitous, *apropos*, to the point, to the purpose.
2. Inclined, liable, prone, disposed.

3. Quick, sharp, ready, prompt, expert, dexterous, able, clever, happy, adroit, handy, skilful.

**Aptitude,** *n.* I. Turn, disposition, genius, gift, knack, endowment, talent, faculty, capacity, capableness, tendency, inclination, bent, bias, proclivity, proneness, propensity, forte, aptness.

2. Readiness (*at learning*), quickness, cleverness, ability, aptness.

**Aptness,** *n.* I. Fitness, suitableness, appropriateness, appositeness, pertinence, pertinency, point, pointedness, felicity, felicitousness, adaptation, applicability.

2. Turn, tendency, inclination. See APTITUDE, 1.

3. Quickness, readiness, expertness, skill, facility, knack, adroitness, tact, address, ability, happy faculty.

**Aqua-fortis,** *n.* [L.] Nitric acid (*somewhat diluted*), spirit of nitre.

**Aqua-regia,** *n.* [L.] Nitro-muriatic acid, nitro-chloro-hydric acid.

**Aquarius,** *n.* (*Astron.*) The Water-bearer, The Waterman.

**Aquatic,** *a.* On *or* in the water, water (*as water vegetation*).

**Aqueous,** *a.* Watery, waterish, moist, wet, humid, damp.

**Aquiline,** *a.* Hooked, (*like an eagle's beak; applied especially to the nose*), bent, curved, curving, hooked.

**Arab,** *n.* I. Arabian, Saracen, Moor.

2. Street Arab, gamin, hoodlum.

**Arabesque,** *a.* Moorish, moresque.

**Arabian,** *a.* Arabic, Arab, Saracenic, Moorish.

**Arabian,** *n.* Arab, Saracen, Moor.

**Arabic,** *a.* Arabian, Arab.

**Arable,** *a.* Tillable, cultivable, cultivatible, fit for tillage, that may be ploughed, fit for the plough, suitable for cultivation.

**Aramaic,** *a.* Aramean, Aramæan, Chaldaic, Chaldean.

**Aramaic,** *n.* The Aramæan language, Chaldee, Chaldaic.

**Arbiter,** *n.* I. Arbitrator, umpire, judge, referee.

2. Determiner, controller, master, lord, ruler, governor, sovereign.

**Arbitrament,** *n.* I. Determination, decision, settlement, judgment, test, trial, umpirage.

2. (*Law.*) Award, adjudication, determination, decision, decree.

**Arbitrariness,** *n.* I. Despotism, absoluteness, absolutism, tyranny, autocracy.

2. Capriciousness, wilfulness, absence of principle, unreasonableness.

**Arbitrary,** *a* I. Irresponsible, despotic, autocratic, unlimited, unrestrained, uncontrolled, absolute, tyrannical, tyrannous, imperious, dictatorial, overbearing, peremptory, domineering, bound by no law.

2. Capricious, wilful, whimsical, fanciful, determined by no rule or principle.

**Arbitrate,** *v. a.* Decide, determine.

**Arbitrate,** *v. n.* I. Mediate, interpose, intervene.

2. Judge, decide, determine, adjudicate, give judgment, pass judgment.

**Arbitration,** *n.* I. Mediation, intervention, intercession, interposition.

2. Adjudication, arbitrament, umpirage, test, trial, judgment, decision, determination.

**Arbitrator,** *n.* I. Arbiter, umpire, judge, referee.

2. Arbiter, determiner, controller, ruler, master, sovereign, lord, director, governor.

**Arbor,** *n.* I. Bower, shady recess, shady retreat.

2. Spindle, axis, shaft.

**Arboreal,** *a.* I. Arboreous, arborescent, arboriform, dendriform, tree-like, in the form of a tree.

2. Frequenting woods, living among *or* on trees.

**Arborescence,** *n.* Arborization, branching, ramification.

**Arborescent,** *a.* Arboreal, arboreous, tree-like, dendriform, dendrite, dendritic, arboriform, branching.

**Arboriculture,** *n.* Tree-culture, cultivation of trees.

**Arboriform,** *a.* See ARBORESCENT.

**Arbor-vitæ,** *n.* White cedar (*of Canada; Thuja occidentalis*).

**Arcade,** *n.* Colonnade.

**Arcanum,** *n.* [L. *pl Arcana.*] Secret, mystery.

**Arch,** *n* I. Curved structure.

2. Curve, bend, curving, bending.

**Arch,** *v. a.* I. Vault, cover with an arch, arch over.

2. Bend (into the form of an arch), curve.

**Arch,** *a.* I. Chief, principal, consummate, first-rate, of the first class.

2. Roguish, waggish, mirthful, frolicsome, sportive, merry, playful, sly, shrewd, cunning, knowing.

**Archæologian,** *n.* Archæologist.

**Archæological,** *a.* Antiquarian.

**Archæologist,** *n.* Antiquarian, antiquary, archæologian.

**Archæology,** *n.* Science of antiquities, antiquities.

**Archaic,** *a.* Old, ancient, obsolete, antiquated, antique, bygone, out of use, out of date, out of fashion, old-fashioned.

**Archaism,** *n.* Antiquated term *or* expression, obsolete idiom.

**Archbishop,** *n.* Primate, metropolitan.

**Archduchy,** *n.* Archdukedom.

**Archdukedom,** *n.* Archduchy.

**Arched,** *a* I. Vaulted, bowed, camerated, concave, forniciform, fornicated, fornicate.

2. (*Bot.*) Fornicate.

**Arched-ceiling,** } *n.* [L.] Vault.
**Arched-roof,** }

**Arch-enemy,** *n.* Arch-fiend, chief enemy, most dreaded foe.

**Archer,** *n.* Bowman.

**Archetype,** *n.* Pattern, model, type, prototype, original, exemplar, example, protoplast, mirror, paragon.

**Arch-fiend,** *n.* [With *The* prefixed.] Satan. See APOLLYON.

**Arching,** *a.* Vaulted, curving, bending.

**Architect,** *n.* I. Designer (of buildings).

2. Contriver, maker, former, author.

**Architecture,** *n.* I. Science *or* art of building, decorative building-art.

2. Style of building.

3. Workmanship, framework, frame, structure, fabric.

**Archives,** *n. pl.* Records, rolls, documents, registers, muniments.

**Arch over.** Arch, cover with an arch.

**Archway,** *n.* Arched passage.

**Arctic,** *a.* Northern, boreal, septentrional, septentrion.

**Arcuate,** *a.* (*Rare.*) Curved, bent, bowed, hooked, crooked, aduncous.

**Arcuation,** *n.* I. (*Rare.*) Curvature, incurvation, curvity, flexure, bend, crook.

2. Layering, propagation by layers.

**Ardency,** *n.* I. Heat, warmth, glow.

2. Warmth, ardentness. See ARDOR, 2.

**Ardent,** *a.* I. Hot, burning, fiery.

2. Warm, passionate, fervent, impassioned, eager, intense, keen, sharp, vehement, fierce, fiery, earnest, fervid, glowing, zealous, devoted, enthusiastic, strenuous, sanguine.

3. Alcoholic, spirituous.

**Ardor,** *n.* I. Heat, warmth, glow, ardency, hotness.

2. Zeal, fervor, fervency, flame, glow, excitement, sharpness, earnestness, eagerness, heartiness, devotion, enthusiasm, soul, spirit, vehemence, impetuosity, intensity, heat, hotness, fierceness, passion.

**Arduous,** *a.* I. Steep, high, lofty, uphill.

2. Hard, difficult, laborious, onerous, troublesome, Herculean, toilsome, tiresome, wearisome, fatiguing, beset with difficulties, full of difficulties.

**Area,** *n.* I. Region, sphere, realm, territory, domain, district, circuit, circle, definite space.

2. Yard, kitchen-yard, sunken space adjoining the basement.

3. (*Geom.*) Superficial contents, superficies, surface.

**Arena,** *n.* I. Ring, amphitheatre.

2. Scene of action, theatre, field, stage, place of contest, scene of conflict, battle-field.

**Arenaceous,** *a.* Sandy, arenose, arenarious.

**Arenose,** *a.* Sandy, arenaceous, arenarious.

**Areometer,** *n.* Hydrometer.

**Argent,** *a.* I. Of silver, silver.

2. Silvery, bright, resplendent, shining, radiant, brilliant, beaming, effulgent, refulgent, fair, white, snowy.

**Argent,** *n.* Whiteness, fairness, snowiness, silveriness, brilliancy, resplendence, radiance, effulgence, refulgence.

**Argil,** *n.* I. Potter's clay, white clay.

2. Alumina, argillaceous earth, oxide of aluminium.

**Argillaceous,** *a.* Clayey, aluminous.

**Argol,** *n.* Tartar (*crude*), bitartrate of potash, wine-stone. [Also spelled *Argal*]

**Argosy,** *n.* Carack, galleon.

**Argue,** *v. n.* I. Reason, plead, offer reasons, use arguments.

2. Dispute, debate, chop logic, try conclusions, bandy words *or* arguments, hold *or* carry on an argument.

**Argue,** *v. a.* I. Show, indicate, evince, denote, imply, infer, betoken, prove.

2. Debate, discuss, sift, contest, controvert, moot, reason upon.

**Arguer,** *n.* Reasoner, debater, controversialist, disputant, disputer.

**Argument,** *n.* I. Reason, ground, proof, evidence, reasoning, chain of reasoning, process of reasoning.

2. Controversy, dispute, disputation, discussion, debate.

3. Subject, topic, matter, theme, thesis, question, subject-matter, matter in hand

4. Summary, abstract, epitome, outline, general contents.

**Argumentation,** *n.* Reasoning, ratiocination, process of reasoning.

**Argumentative,** *a.* I. Containing argument, concerned with argument, for advocacy, apologetic.

2. Controversial, polemical.

3. Disputatious, given to controversy, addicted to argument.

**Argus-eyed,** *a.* Vigilant, watchful, alert, all-observant, discerning, perspicacious, sharp-sighted, quick-sighted, lynx-eyed, hawk-eyed.

**Arid,** *a.* I. Dry, dried up, parched with heat, parched, unfertile, barren, sterile.

2. Dry, uninteresting, dull, pointless, jejune, unsuggestive, barren, infecund.

**Aridity,** *n.* I. Dryness, aridness, parchedness, siccity, want of moisture, sterility, barrenness, unfertility.

2. Dryness, want of interest, dulness, pointlessness, jejuneness, unsuggestiveness, barrenness, infecundity, sterility.

3. Dulness, insensibility, indifference, torpidity.

**Aridness,** *n.* See ARIDITY.

**Aright,** *ad.* Rightly, without error *or* mistake.

**Arioso,** *a.* Melodious, of a melodious character, characterized by melody (*as distinguished from harmony*).

**Arise,** *v. n.* I. Ascend, mount, soar, tower, go up.

2. Get up, get out of bed, leave one's couch, start up, stand up, rise, rise from one's seat.

3. Rise, appear, emerge, come in sight, come into view, present itself, show itself, discover itself, make its appearance, reveal itself, come to light.

4. Begin, originate, spring, spring up, be excited, come into action, come into existence *or* being, enter upon life.

5. Rise, rebel, revolt, rise in sedition, rise in force, violence, *or* with threatening.

6. Rise (*from the dead*), rise again, leave the tomb, come from the grave.

7. Accrue, result, proceed, issue, flow, follow, come, ensue, originate, be derived.

**Aristate,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Awned, bearded.

**Aristocracy,** *n.* I. Government of nobles *or* a privileged order, rule of the higher classes.

2. Nobility, noblesse, gentry, peerage, body of nobles, the quality, persons of rank, nobility and gentry.

3. (*Colloq.*) Upper classes, upper ten thousand, upper ten.

**Aristocrat,** *n.* I. Believer in government by the higher classes, advocate of rule by the privileged, advocate of privilege

2. Haughty *or* overbearing person, person of supercilious feeling.

**Aristocratic,** / **Aristocratical,** } *a.* I. Noble, princely, patrician, titled, gentle, of gentle blood, high-born, of high rank.

2. Of *or* by the privileged, vesting power in the nobility, belonging *or* pertaining to the aristocracy.

3. Haughty, proud, arrogant, disdainful, overweening, supercilious, overbearing, consequential.

**Aristotelian,** *a.* Peripatetic.

**Aristotelian,** *n.* Follower of Aristotle, peripatetic philosopher, peripatetic.

**Arithmetic,** *n.* Science of numbers, art of computation.

**Arm,** *n.* I. Anterior limb, anterior member.

2. Branch, bough, limb, projection, projecting part.

3. Inlet (*of the sea*), estuary, firth, frith, fiord, cove, creek.

4. Power, might, strength, puissance.

5. (*Mil.*) Branch of the service (*as artillery* or *cavalry*).

6. Weapon, instrument of warfare.

**Arm,** *v a.* I. Equip, array, furnish, provide, *or* supply with arms.

2. Fortify, put in a state of defence

3. Cover, protect, clothe, guard, strengthen.

4. Prepare, fit up, make ready.

**Arm,** *v. n.* Take arms, be fitted *or* provided with arms, make warlike preparations, gather an army, collect munitions of war.

**Armada,** *n.* Fleet (*especially that of Spain against England in* 1588), squadron, flotilla.

**Armament,** *n.* I. Body of forces.

2. Guns, cannon, arms, munitions of war.

**Arm-chair,** *n.* Elbow-chair, armed chair.

**Armistice,** *n.* Truce, suspension of hostilities, cessation of arms, temporary peace.

**Arm of flesh.** Human strength, human aid.

**Arm of the sea.** Estuary, frith, inlet, firth, fiord.

**Armor,** *n.* Defensive clothing, coat of mail. See ARMS.

**Armorial,** *a.* Heraldic.

**Armory,** *n.* Arsenal, depository of arms, magazine of arms.
**Armpit,** *n.* Axilla.
**Arms,** *n. pl.* I. Weapons, means of offence and defence, armor, harness, accoutrements, array, panoply, mail, martial array.
2. War, warlike exploits, warfare, heroic achievements, deeds of valor, deeds of arms.
3. Escutcheon, scutcheon, shield, ensign armorial, armorial bearings, device, crest, coat of arms, heraldic emblem.
**Army,** *n.* I. Host, force, troops, legions, armed force, military force, body of troops.
2. Host, multitude, throng, vast assemblage.
**Arnica,** *n.* Leopard's bane, mountain-tobacco.
**Aroma,** *n.* I. Fragrance, perfume, redolence, sweet scent, pleasing scent, grateful odor, *bouquet*, delicate savor.
2. Subtle essence, supreme quality, ethereal spirit, fine flavor.
**Aromatic,** *a.* Fragrant, redolent, balmy, spicy, odoriferous, aromatous, ambrosial, high-scented, strong-scented, sweet-scented, sweet-smelling.
**Aromatize,** *v. a.* Scent, perfume, spice, fill with fragrance.
**Aromatous,** *a.* See AROMATIC.
**Around,** *ad.* Round, on every side, on all sides, in a circle, right and left.
**Around,** *prep.* About, round, encircling, encompassing, surrounding, on every side of.
**Arouse,** *v. a.* Incite, excite, animate, stimulate, warm, kindle, inspirit, provoke, instigate, awaken, rouse, raise, whet, stir up, wake up, summon up, set on, hurry on.
**Arraign,** *v. a.* I. Prosecute, bring to trial, bring before a court
2. Accuse, charge, denounce, impeach, indict, criminate, tax, censure, call to account, take to task.
**Arraignment,** *n.* I. Prosecution, bringing to trial.
2. Accusation, indictment, impeachment, denunciation, calling to account, taking to task.
**Arrange,** *v. a.* I. Dispose, array, class, classify, group, rank, marshal, array, distribute, place, range, put *or* bring into order, set in order, reduce to order, set out, assign places to.
2. Adjust, settle, determine, fix upon.
3. Plan, devise, contrive, project, mature, organize, concoct, construct, prepare, lay out.
**Arrange,** *v. n.* Agree, come to terms, settle.
**Arrangement,** *n.* I. Disposition, classification, method, distribution, grouping, collocation, placing, array, reducing to order.
2. Structure, make, form, mode of building, manner of making.
3. Adjustment, settlement, agreement.
4. Regulation, management, economy.
5. Preparation, plan, scheme.
**Arrant,** *a.* I. Notorious, utter, gross, downright, consummate, rank, thorough-going.
2. Infamous, vile, atrocious, monstrous.
**Arras,** *n.* Tapestry, hangings
**Array,** *n* I. Order, disposition, arrangement, collocation, marshalling.
2. Dress, fine clothes, elegant attire, rich garments. See APPAREL.
3. Exhibition, show, display.
4. Marshalled force, soldiery, troops, army, hosts, battalions.
5. (*Law.*) Panel, body of jurors.
**Array,** *v. a.* I. Rank, range, arrange, place, dispose, marshal, set in order, draw up, draw out, set in line, set in battle, set in line of battle.
2. Dress, habit, attire, equip, accoutre, betrap, enrobe, robe, vest, invest, wrap, clothe, bedeck, deck, adorn, embellish, betrim, decorate, garnish, prank, bedizen, trick out, set off.
**Arrearage,** *n.* See ARREARS.
**Arrears,** *n. pl.* Arrearage, deficiency, unpaid dues, amounts due, but unpaid.
**Arrest,** *v. a.* I. Stop, stay, check, interrupt, obstruct, hinder, delay, detain, restrain, held, withhold, keep back.
2. Seize, apprehend, take, capture, catch, take up, take into custody, take prisoner.
3. Catch, secure, fix, engage, engross, occupy, rivet.
**Arrest,** *n.* I. Stay, staying, stopping, stoppage, check, checking, interruption, delay, detention, restraining, restraint, hindrance, obstruction.
2. Seizure, apprehension, capture, detention.
**Arrival,** *n.* I. Advent, coming, reaching one's destination.
2. Comer, person arrived, thing arrived.
**Arrive,** *v. n.* I. Come, get here, reach this place.
2. Get there, reach that place, get to one's destination, get to the end of one's journey.
**Arrive at.** Reach, attain, come to, get to, touch at.
**Arrogance,** *n.* Haughtiness, pride, effrontery, assumption, superciliousness, disdain, contumely, lordliness, loftiness, self-assertion, assurance, self-assurance, self-confidence, self-conceit, conceitedness, self-importance, self-sufficiency, self-assumption, egotism, *hauteur*.
**Arrogant,** *a.* Haughty, proud, supercilious, lordly, disdainful, contumelious, insolent, cavalier, overbearing, overweening, assuming, magisterial, dogmatic, imperious, important, swelling, blustering, big, high, lofty, self-conceited, self-sufficient, self-assuming, self-important, self-asserting, self-confident, egotistic, self-assured, uppish.
**Arrogate,** *v. a.* Assume, usurp, claim unduly, make unjust pretensions to.
**Arrow,** *n.* Dart, shaft, bolt, reed.
**Arrow-headed,** *a.* Wedge-shaped, cuneiform.
**Arrowy,** *a.* I. Slender, delicate, reed-like, gracile, graceful.
2. Swift, darting, rushing, lithe, sinuous.
3. Piercing, stinging, sarcastic.
**Arsenal,** *n.* Armory, magazine of arms, repository of military stores
**Arsenic,** *n.* See ARSENIOUS OXIDE.
**Arsenious oxide.** Arsenic, rat's bane, white arsenic, white oxide of arsenic, arsenious acid (*a common but incorrect name*).
**Art,** *n.* I. Trade, craft, business, calling, employment, exercise of skill.
2. Practical knowledge, knowledge how to do, rules for doing.
3. Creation of beauty, embodied beauty.
4. Skill, address, adroitness, readiness, dexterity, tact, sagacity, aptitude, aptness, cleverness, ingenuity, knack.
5. Cunning, astuteness, artfulness, shrewdness, artifice, deceit, subtlety, craftiness, craft, duplicity, wiliness, guile.
**Artful,** *a.* Cunning, crafty, wily, subtle, insidious, designing, intriguing, politic, diplomatic, Machiavelian, deceitful, trickish, tricky, sly, foxy, snaky.
**Article,** *n.* I. Part, portion, branch, division, member, clause, paragraph, head, heading, item, particular, count, point.
2. Essay, piece, paper.
3. Thing, substance, commodity.
4. Instant, critical instant, moment, turning-point.
5. (*Gram.*) Particle of logical quantity, quantifying adjective, quantifying pronoun.
**Article,** *v. a.* Bind, indenture, apprentice.
**Articulate,** *a.* I. Jointed, articulated, formed with joints.
2. Distinctly uttered, distinct, clear, clearly audible, intelligible.

**Articulate,** *v. a.* I. Join, unite by joints, unite, connect, fasten together.
2. Utter distinctly (*as respects the elementary sounds*), speak, enunciate. See PRONOUNCE.
**Articulated,** *a.* See ARTICULATE.
**Articulation,** *n.* I. Distinct utterance.
2. (*Gram.*) Consonant.
3. Joint, hinge, juncture, connection, point of junction, mode of union.
**Artifice,** *n.* I. Contrivance, invention, effort, art.
2. Cunning, deceit, deception, imposture, fraud, trickery, device, duplicity, guile, subtlety, finesse, stratagem, shift, trick, subterfuge, wile, ruse, doubling, Machiavelism, diplomacy, machination, cheat, shuffle, double-dealing, dodge (*colloq.*), hocus-pocus, crafty device, artful contrivance.
**Artificer,** *n.* I. Maker, contriver, plotter, machinator.
2. Worker, workman, craftsman, mechanic, artisan.
3. Artist (*not of the highest grade*), superior artisan, skilful mechanic, skilled workman.
**Artificial,** *a.* I. Factitious, made by art, not natural.
2. Fictitious, feigned, counterfeit, counterfeited, sham, spurious.
3. Assumed, affected, forced, strained.
**Artificiality,** *n.* Artificialness. See ARTIFICIAL.
**Artillery,** *n.* I. Ordnance, cannon, enginery, great guns.
2. Gunnery, theory of ordnance, art of handling artillery.
**Artisan,** *n.* Mechanic, craftsman, handicraftsman, workman, laborer, operative.
**Artist,** *n.* I. Designer, contriver, projector, adept, skilled workman, artificer.
2. Painter, limner, sketcher.
3. Sculptor, carver, modeller.
4. Master, master-hand, consummate performer.
**Artistic,** } *a.* I. Skilful, masterly, workman-
**Artistical,** } like.
2. Tasteful, marked by knowledge of art, displaying taste, showing skill in applying the principles of beauty.
**Artless,** *a.* I. Ignorant, unlearned, untaught, unskilful, rude. [Usually followed by *of*.]
2. Inartificial, simple, natural, plain, unadorned, without marks of art.
3. Unaffected, plain, honest, frank, fair, open, candid, *naïve*, guileless, simple, sincere, true, unsophisticated, ingenuous, undesigning, truthful, trustful, unsuspicious, confiding, single-minded, simple-hearted, simple-minded, open-hearted, straightforward.
**As,** *ad.* and *conj.* I. In the manner that.
2. Like, similar to, for example, of the same kind with, in the same manner with.
3. Viewed like, taken in the character of, considered in the state of.
4. While, during the time that, at the same time that.
5. Because, since, for the reason that.
6. To the degree that, in the same proportion that.
7. Being of the kind which, being of the class who.
**Ascend,** *v. n.* I. Rise, arise, mount, soar, aspire, tower, climb, go up.
2. Go backward (*in the order of time*).
**Ascend,** *v. a.* Scale, go up, get up. See CLIMB, *v. a.*
**Ascendancy,** } *n.* Power, authority, sway, con-
**Ascendency,** } trol, superiority, government, mastery, masterdom, command, dominion, rule, sovereignty, supremacy, domination, predominance, controlling influence, advantage over, upper-hand.
**Ascendant,** *n.* I. Horoscope.
2. Superiority, supremacy, predominance, ascendency, superior influence, commanding influence, controlling influence.
**Ascendant,** } *a.* I. Rising, above the horizon.
**Ascendent,** }
2. Superior, predominant, prevailing, prevalent, surpassing.
**Ascension,** *n.* Rising, rise, ascent, ascending, mounting, moving upward.
**Ascension Day.** Holy Thursday.
**Ascent,** *n.* I. Rising, rise, ascension, ascending, mounting, moving upward.
2. Ascending, climbing, scaling, voyage up.
3. Acclivity, rising ground, ascending path, upward slope.
4. Elevation, height, eminence.
**Ascertain,** *v. a.* I. Determine, establish, fix, settle, define, certify, verify, make certain, make sure.
2. Discover, find out, get at (*with precision*).
**Ascetic,** *a.* Austere, rigid, severe, stern, puritanical, over-renunciatory, over-self-denying, self-mortifying, over-abstinent.
**Ascetic,** *n.* Recluse, hermit, anchoret, anchorite, solitary, *solitaire*, eremite, devotee, mortifier of the flesh.
**Asceticism,** *n.* Austerity, mortification, excessive abstinence, over-renunciation, renunciation.
**Ascititious,** *a.* See ADSCITITIOUS.
**Ascribable,** *a.* Attributable, traceable, chargeable, imputable, referrible, owing.
**Ascribe,** *v. a.* Attribute, assign, refer, charge, lay, set down. See IMPUTE.
**Ascription,** *n.* I. Ascribing, attributing, referring, charging, laying, setting down, imputing.
2. [*pl.*] Praises, adorations, magnifyings, extollings, homage, *Magnificats*, *Glorias*, *Te Deums*.
**As far as.** To the extent that, to the degree that.
**As good as.** I. Of equal goodness with.
2. The same as, equivalent to, equal to, tantamount to.
**Ashamed,** *a.* Abashed, confused, (put) out of countenance.
**Ash-colored,** *a.* Ashy, pale, gray, ashen.
**Ashen,** *a.* I. Ash, made of ash.
2. Ashy, pale, pallid, blanched, hueless, colorless, gray, ash-colored.
**Ashes,** *n. pl.* I. Remains (*of what is burned*).
2. Corpse, remains (*of the human body*), dead body.
**Ashore,** *ad.* I. On shore, on land.
2. To the shore.
3. Aground, not afloat.
4. (*Colloq.*) Stranded, aground, in difficulties, run out, come to grief, hard up.
**Ashy,** *a.* I. Cineraceous, cineritious, cinereous, favillous, like ashes.
2. Pale, pallid, whitish, gray, ash-colored, cineraceous, cineritious, cinereous. See ASHEN, 2.
**Asiatic cholera.** Spasmodic *or* malignant cholera, cholera asphyxia.
**Aside,** *ad.* I. Laterally, to the side, to one side, on one side.
2. Away, off, out of mind, out of thought, out of the heart, out of the character.
3. Out of the straight course, out of the true course.
4. Apart, separately, away, aloof.
**As if.** As though.
**Asinine,** *a.* Of an ass, ass-like.
2. Doltish, stupid, blockish, foolish, senseless, dullard, duncical, duncish, dunderheaded, thick-headed, thick-skulled, muddle-brained.

**As it were.** So to speak, as it would seem, as it seems.

**Ask,** *v. a.* I. Question, interrogate, inquire of, put the question to.

2. Inquire, make inquiry about, seek information regarding.

3. Invite.

4. Request, solicit, petition, seek, beseech, implore, supplicate, crave, beg, desire, entreat, pray for, prefer a petition for, make application for.

5. Require, claim, demand, exact, challenge, call for.

**Ask,** *v. n.* I. Petition, beg, pray, sue, make suit.

2. Inquire, question, make inquiry.

**Ask,** *n.* Water-newt, asker.

**Askance,** } *ad.* Obliquely, sideways, sidewise,
**Askant,** } askew, awry, aslant, asquint, on one side, out of the corner of one's eye.

**Asker,** *n.* I. Inquirer, petitioner, solicitor, solicitant, suitor.

2. Water-newt, ask.

**Askew,** *ad.* Awry, obliquely, atwist, askile, aside, askance, askant, aslant, asquint, to one side.

**Aslant,** *ad.* Obliquely, askance, aslope. See ASKEW.

**Aslant,** *a.* Oblique, inclined, slanting, sloping.

**Asleep,** *a.* I. Sleeping, fast asleep, slumbering, in slumber, in repose, in a sound sleep, in the arms of Morpheus.

2. Dead, in the last sleep, at rest with God.

**Aslope,** *ad.* and *a.* Sloping, slopingly. See ASLANT.

**Aspect,** *n.* I. Air, mien, look, bearing, countenance, expression, visage, feature.

2. Appearance, view, light, condition, situation, position, state, attitude, posture.

3. Direction, bearing, outlook, prospect, relative position.

**Asperity,** *n.* I. Roughness, ruggedness, unevenness.

2. Acrimony, tartness, sourness, sharpness, causticity, corrosiveness

3. Harshness, moroseness, sternness, severity, virulence, crabbedness, bitterness, churlishness, acerbity, sullenness, ill-temper See ACRIMONY.

**Asperse,** *v. a.* Vilify, slander, calumniate, traduce, defame, disparage, slur, censure, impugn, malign, revile, lampoon, backbite, attack, abuse, blacken, blemish, besmirch, bespatter, befoul, defile, run down, detract from, speak ill of, accuse falsely, reflect upon, cast reflections upon, animadvert upon, cast reproach upon, vituperate, cast obloquy upon.

**Aspersion,** *n.* Calumny, detraction, censure, slander, defamation, abuse, vituperation, obloquy, reproach, reflection, backbiting, reviling, traducing. See preceding verb.

**Asphalt,** } *n.* Native bitumen, mineral pitch,
**Asphaltum,** } Jew's pitch.

**Asphalte,** *n.* Artificial bitumen, having asphalt, roofing asphalt, asphaltic cement.

**Aspirant,** *n.* I. Aspirer, ambitious person.

2. Candidate, seeker, solicitor, solicitant, suitor, competitor.

**Aspirate,** *a.* I. Aspirated, toneless, unintonated, atonic, surd, pronounced with a simple breathing, not vocal, without vocality, without tone.

2. Pronounced with the rough breathing.

**Aspirate,** *n.* (*Gram.*) Rough breathing.

**Aspirate,** *v a.* Pronounce with an aspirate or rough breathing.

**Aspirated,** *a.* See ASPIRATE, *a.*

**Aspiration,** *n.* I. Pronouncing or pronunciation with the rough breathing.

2. Longing, yearning, craving, ardent wish *or* desire, spiritual elevation, upward looking, yearning after excellence.

**Aspire,** *v. n.* I. Desire (*earnestly*), long, yearn.

2. Ascend, rise, soar, tower, mount.

**Aspirer,** *n.* See ASPIRANT.

**Aspire to.** Aim at, indulge an ambition for, entertain hopes of, seek, venture to make suit for, make bold to seek.

**Aspiring,** *a.* Ambitious, high-reaching, of high *or* lofty purpose, striving after excellence, etc. See the verb.

**Asquint,** *ad.* Askance, askant, awry, askew, obliquely, to one side.

**Ass,** *n.* I. Jackass, donkey.

2. Dolt, fool, blockhead, simpleton, numskull, ninny. See DUNCE.

**Assail,** *v. a.* I. Assault, attack, invade, oppugn, fall upon, set upon, fly at, bear down upon, make aggression on.

2. Attack, impugn, maltreat, malign, etc. See ASPERSE.

3. Set upon (*with arguments* or *entreaties*). See ATTACK and IMPORTUNE.

**Assailable,** *a.* Open to attack, censurable, not impregnable, sensitive.

**Assailant,** *n.* Aggressor, assaulter, attacker, invader, assailer.

**Assailant,** *a.* Attacking, invading, assaulting.

**Assailer,** *n.* Aggressor. See ASSAILANT.

**Assassin,** *n.* Murderer, slayer, cut-throat, assassinator, bravo, thug.

**Assassinate,** *v. a.* Kill (*by secret assault*), murder, slay, despatch, murderously assail *or* assault.

**Assassination,** *n.* Murder (*by secret assault*), murderous assault.

**Assassinator,** *n.* See ASSASSIN.

**Assault,** *n.* I. Attack, onset, onslaught, aggression, invasion, charge, thrust, assailing with blows, threatening with blows

2. Storming, storm.

**Assault,** *v. a.* Assail, attack, invade, charge, storm, fall upon, fly at, bear down upon, make aggression on, assail with blows, threaten with blows.

**Assay,** *n.* Trial (*to determine the quality of metals, alloys,* or *ores*), test, examination, analysis.

**Assay,** *v. a.* Analyze (*metallic substances*), test, make an assay of.

**Assemblage,** *n.* I. Collection, group, aggregate, body, bunch, cluster, clump, mass, congeries, pack.

2. Assembly, concourse, company, crowd, rout, throng, congregation, gathering, mustering, meeting.

3. Collecting, gathering, congregating, assembling, meeting.

4. Combination, union, conjunction, association.

**Assemble,** *v. a.* Collect, muster, convene, convoke, congregate, gather, levy, call, summon, call together, bring together, get together.

**Assemble,** *v. n.* Convene, congregate, meet, gather, meet together, gather together, come together.

**Assembly,** *n.* I. Company, concourse, rout, throng, congregation, gathering, collection, assemblage, meeting.

2. Congress, parliament, legislature, lower house, legislative body, convention, convocation, conclave, synod, diet, meeting, council, conventicle, caucus.

3. Ball, dance, dancing-party.

**Assent,** *v. n.* Agree (*as to a matter of opinion*), concur, acquiesce, subscribe, yield, yield assent, give consent, fall in, go with the stream, go with the current. See CONSENT.

**Assent,** *n.* Consent, agreement, concurrence, acquiescence, allowance, approval, approbation, accord.

**Assent to.** Consent to, agree to, give assent to, acquiesce in, concur in, approve, accept.

**Assert,** *v. a.* I. Affirm, declare, maintain, pronounce, express, say, aver, allege, asseverate, protest, avouch, avow, predicate, lay down.

2. Vindicate, defend, claim, maintain, uphold, put forward, insist upon, press, emphasize, make felt.

**Assertion,** *n.* I. Affirmation, declaration, asseveration, protestation, position, statement, word, averment, allegation, predication, remark.

2. Vindication, defence, maintenance, support, pressing, emphasizing, insistence on.

**Assertive,** *a.* Positive, decided, confident, unconditional, peremptory.

**Assertory,** *a.* Declarative (*either affirmatively or negatively*), declaratory, maintaining, no longer problematic.

**Assess,** *v. a.* I. Tax, charge with one's share, assign one's share to, impose one's share on.

2. Value, appraise, compute, estimate, rate.

3. Fix, assign, determine, impose.

**Assessment,** *n.* I. Assessing, valuation.

2. Tax, impost, charge, rate.

**Assets,** *n. pl.* Property (*particularly as compared with liabilities*), effects, possessions, estate.

**Asseverate,** *v. a.* Aver, affirm, declare, protest, maintain, avow. See ASSERT.

**Asseveration,** *n.* Declaration. See ASSERTION.

**Assiduity,** *n.* Industry, diligence, assiduousness, sedulousness, activity, perseverance, persistence, patience, devotedness, devotion, care, carefulness, close application.

**Assiduous,** *a.* Industrious, sedulous, diligent, indefatigable, notable, active, busy, untiring, unwearied, unremitting, unintermitting, persevering, persistent, constant, patient, devoted, careful, attentive, laborious, studious, zealous, never-tiring, tireless, painstaking.

**Assiduousness,** *n.* See ASSIDUITY.

**Assign,** *v. a.* I. Apportion, allot, appoint, appropriate, cast.

2. Fix, specify, determine, designate.

3. Adduce, allege, advance, offer, show, give, present, bring forward.

4. (*Law.*) Transfer, convey, make over.

**Assignation,** *n.* I. Designation. See ASSIGNMENT, 2.

2. Appointment (to meet).

3. Guilty appointment, illicit appointment, appointment for criminal converse, clandestine appointment.

**Assign dower.** (*Law.*) Set off (*by metes and bounds*) the widow's share.

**Assignment,** *n.* I. Appointment, allotment, apportionment.

2. Designation, specification, fixing, determination.

3. Offer, offering, showing, giving, presentation, alleging, adducing.

4. (*Law.*) Transfer, conveyance.

**Assimilate,** *v. a.* I. Make like, bring into resemblance.

2. Digest, turn to one's own substance, take into the organism, thoroughly appropriate, absorb into the system, incorporate, make part and parcel of one's being.

**Assimilation,** *n.* See preceding verb.

**Assist,** *v. a.* I. Help, aid, support, befriend, patronize, serve, speed, second, further, promote, abet, back, sustain, subsidize, co-operate with, take part with, give support to, minister to.

2. Succor, relieve, aid, give alms to.

3. Alternate with, relieve, spell.

**Assistance,** *n.* I. Help, aid, succor, furtherance, support, patronage, lift, helping hand, good offices.

2. Alms, aid, succor, relief, help, lift.

**Assistant,** *n.* I. Coadjutor, helper, aider, co-operator, co-aid, ally, auxiliary, abettor, adjuvant, collaborator, *collaborateur.*

2. Subordinate, subaltern, aid, clerk, underworker, agent, underling.

**Assizes,** *n. pl.* Sessions (*of the superior courts in the counties of England*).

**Associate,** *v. a.* Join, conjoin, unite, connect, combine, affiliate, yoke, couple, link, bring into close relation.

**Associate,** *v. n.* Fraternize, sort, consort, keep company, be in familiar intercourse.

**Associate,** *n.* I. Companion, mate, fellow, yokefellow, comrade, peer, compeer, follower, consort.

2. Partner, copartner, coadjutor, confederate, ally. See COLLEAGUE.

**Association,** *n.* I. Union, connection, conjunction, combination.

2. Society, fraternity, partnership, copartnership, sodality, company, band, corporation, body, guild, firm, house, confederacy, confederation, lodge, club, coterie, clique, joint concern.

**Assort,** *v. a.* Class, classify, rank, group, arrange, distribute, sort.

**Assort,** *v. n.* Agree, consort, suit, be adapted, be suitable.

**Asserted,** *a.* Of various sorts, various, varied, diverse, divers, miscellaneous.

**Assortment,** *n.* I. Assorting, arranging, allotment, distribution, arrangement.

2. Class, group, set, batch, lot, parcel, stock, store, collection, pack, package.

3. Variety of sorts, many kinds.

**Assuage,** *v. a.* Mitigate, moderate, appease, soothe, soften, mollify, pacify, compose, tranquillize, quiet, still, quell, allay, abate, temper, attemper, lessen, qualify, relieve, ease, dull, blunt, lull. See ALLEVIATE.

**Assuagement,** *n.* Mitigation, pacification, easing, abatement. See preceding verb, and ALLEVIATION.

**Assuasive,** *a.* Soothing, assuaging, emollient, lenitive, lenient, mitigating, mitigative, mild, moderating, softening, mollifying, pacifying, composing, tranquillizing, quieting, stilling, quelling, allaying, abating, easeful, tempering, relieving, lulling.

**Assume,** *v. a.* I. Take, undertake, take on, take upon one's self, be willing to bear, become responsible for.

2. Affect, feign, counterfeit, simulate, pretend to, put on.

3. Arrogate, usurp, claim unduly, make unjust pretensions to.

4. Beg, suppose, presuppose, imply, consider as true, take for granted.

**Assumed name.** Alias.

**Assuming,** *a.* I. Presuming, presumptuous, forward, audacious, bold, shameless, frontless, unblushing, brazen, brazen-faced.

2. Arrogant, proud, lofty, haughty, supercilious, overbearing, overweening, conceited, consequential, self-conceited, self-sufficient. See ARROGANT.

**Assumption,** *n.* I. Assuming, taking, taking on, taking up, accepting, becoming responsible for.

2. Assuming, arrogating, usurpation.

3. Presumption, supposition, conjecture, hypothesis, postulate, theory.

4. Haughtiness, loftiness, superciliousness, lordliness, stateliness, conceit, pride, conceitedness, self-conceit, self-importance, vain-glory, insolence, *hauteur.* See ARROGANCE.

**Assurance,** *n.* I. Assuredness, security, certainty, conviction, persuasion, pledge of certainty, ground of confidence, surety.

2. Promise, engagement, pledge, word of honor.
3. Protestation, asseveration, averment, earnest *or* solemn declaration.
4. Intrepidity, courage, confidence, firmness, self-reliance.
5. Arrogance, boldness, effrontery, brass, impudence, impertinence, presumption, face, front.
6. (*Law.*) Insurance.

**Assure,** *v. a.* 1. Make certain *or* sure, free from doubt *or* uncertainty.
2. Embolden, encourage, enhearten, hearten, make confident.
3. Declare to (*confidently and earnestly*), vouch to, vow to, protest to, aver to, solemnly promise, pledge, guarantee, warrant.
4. (*Law.*) Insure, agree to indemnify for loss, secure against loss.

**Assured,** *a.* 1. Certain, indubitable, unquestionable.
2. Confident, sure, secure, unquestioning, sanguine.
3. (*Law.*) Insured.

**Assuredly,** *ad.* Certainly, indubitably, undoubtedly, unquestionably, truly, surely, sure, without doubt.

**Assuredness,** *n.* See ASSURANCE, 1.

**Asteism,** *n.* Genteel irony, polite banter *or* raillery, delicate ridicule.

**Asterisk,** *n.* Star (*in printing*).

**Astern,** *ad.* (*Naut.*) 1. Behind, back.
2. Backward, rearward, abaft, aft.

**Asteroid,** *n.* Small planet, planetoid.

**Asthenia,** } *n.* Debility, debilitation, prostration,
**Astheny,** } exhaustion, feebleness, weakness, loss of power, loss of strength, atonicity.

**Asthenic,** *a.* Weak, feeble, debilitated, prostrated, exhausted.

**Asthmatic,** *a.* Wheezing, wheezy, short-breathed, short-winded.

**As though.** As if.

**Astir,** *a.* and *ad.* On the move, in motion, stirring, active, alert, roused, excited.

**Astonish,** *v. a.* Amaze, surprise, startle, astound, confound, stagger, stupefy, daze, stun, dumfounder, overwhelm, astony, strike dumb, strike with wonder, petrify with wonder.

**Astonishment,** *n.* Amazement, wonder, surprise.

**Astound,** *v a.* See ASTONISH.

**Astraddle,** *ad.* Straddle, astride, straddling.

**Astral,** *a.* Starry, stellar, sidereal, star-like.

**Astray,** *ad.* Out of the right way, wandering, in error, lost, at fault, on the wrong scent.

**Astride,** *ad.* See ASTRADDLE.

**Astringent,** *a.* Binding, contracting, styptic.

**Astute,** *a.* Shrewd, penetrating, eagle-eyed, keen, cunning, deep, sagacious, acute, sharp, quick, discerning, ingenious, perspicacious, intelligent, long-headed, keen-sighted, clear-sighted, quick-sighted.

**Astuteness,** *n.* Shrewdness, penetration, sagacity, perspicacity, discernment, acuteness, sharpness, subtlety, ingenuity, mother-wit, quick parts, long-headedness, keen-sightedness, quick-sightedness, power to fathom wiles.

**Asunder,** *ad.* and *a.* Apart, into two parts, in two, divided, separated, divergent, discordant.

**Asylum,** *n.* 1. Sanctuary, shelter, retreat, refuge, place of refuge.
2. Charitable institution, retreat (*for the afflicted*).

**At a blow.** Suddenly, all at once, by a single stroke, by one effort.

**At all.** In any manner, in any degree, in the least degree, in the least, in any case, ever, under any circumstances.

**At all events.** At any rate, in any case, in the worst case, at least, in any event, whatever be the case, happen what may, come what may, let it be as it will.

**At a loss.** Puzzled, perplexed, embarrassed, staggered, posed, nonplussed, aground, ashore, stranded, cornered, out, at one's wits' end, hard pressed, hard up, at a stand, in doubt, in difficulty, put to it, put to one's trumps, put to one's shifts, out of one's depth, beyond one's depth, in a quandary, at fault, in a dilemma, not knowing what to do.

**At any rate.** See AT ALL EVENTS.

**At a pinch.** In an emergency, in a difficulty, if things come to the worst.

**At a stand.** 1. Interrupted, stopped
2. Perplexed, embarrassed. See AT A LOSS.

**At dawn.** Early, at break of day, at peep of day, at the opening of day.

**At discretion.** Without conditions *or* stipulations, unconditionally.

**At ease.** Untroubled, comfortable, free from pain, at rest.

**At fault.** 1. Off the scent, on the wrong track, wide of the mark, all astray.
2. Puzzled, perplexed. See AT A LOSS.

**At first.** In the beginning, at the commencement, at the outset, at the start.

**At hand.** Near, nigh, drawing near, approaching, almost come, close by, hard by, close at hand, within reach.

**At hazard.** 1. As may chance, hap-hazard, at random.
2. Hazarded. See AT STAKE.

**At heart.** 1. In principle, in one's true character, in reality, really, at the core, inwardly, at bottom.
2. In esteem, in true regard, held dear, for matter of concern.

**Atheistic,** } *a.* Godless, given to atheism.
**Atheistical,** }

**Athirst,** *a.* 1. Thirsty, dry.
2. Eager, keenly desiring, with fierce desire.

**Athlete,** *n.* Combatant, champion, contender for victory, trained contestant, gymnast, muscular expert.

**Athletic,** *a.* 1. Strong, stout, robust, sturdy, brawny, muscular, lusty, sinewy, stalwart, powerful, strapping, Herculean, able-bodied, made of iron.
2. Gymnastic.

**Athletics,** *n. pl.* Gymnastics, out-door exercises, open-air sports, games of strength, muscular contests.

**Athwart,** *prep.* Across, over, from one side to the other of.

**Athwart,** *ad.* 1. Across, crosswise, sidewise, obliquely, awry, askant, askew.
2. Wrong, wrongfully, unseasonably, unsuitably, *malapropos*.

**At last.** 1. Finally, in the end, in the upshot.
2. At length, after a long time, after so long a time.

**At length.** 1. After a long time, after a long while, at last, in the end.
2. In full, to the full extent, *in extenso*, with full detail, with fulness.
3. Along, in one's whole stature, in entire dimensions. [With *stretch* or *lie*, and the like.]

**Atmosphere,** *n.* Air.

**Atmospheric,** } *a.* Aerial, of the atmosphere.
**Atmospherical,** }

**At odds.** Quarrelling, bickering, at variance, disputing, in dispute, at loggerheads.

**Atom,** *n.* 1. Molecule, monad, ultimate particle (*of any element*), indivisible particle.

2. Corpuscle, scrap, mite, bit, grain, jot, iota, tittle, whit, ace, scintilla.

**Atomic,** } *a.* I. Of atoms, referring to atoms.
**Atomical,** }

2. Small, minute, infinitesimal, inappreciable.

**At once.** I. Immediately, directly, forthwith, straightway, without delay.

2. At the same time, together, in one body.

**Atone for.** Expiate, make expiation for, make amends for, make reparation for, make satisfaction for, do penance for, answer for, pay for.

**Atonement,** *n.* I. (*Rare.*) Reconciliation, pacification, concord, agreement.

2. Expiation, propitiation, satisfaction, reparation, amends, peace-offering, atoning sacrifice.

**Atonic,** *a.* I. Marked by atony, asthenic, showing languor *or* exhaustion.

2. Unaccented, without any accentual mark.

3. Aspirate, aspirated, merely breathed, surd, non-sonant.

**Atonic,** *n.* See preceding adjective.

**Atony,** *n.* (*Med.*) Weakness, debility, languor, exhaustion, prostration, asthenia, astheny, atonicity.

**Atrabilar,** } *a.* Melancholy. See ATRABIL-
**Atrabiliary,** } IOUS.

**Atrabilious,** *a.* Melancholy, hypochondriacal, hypped, hyppish, dejected, dispirited, depressed, gloomy, sad, sorrowful, blue, desponding, downcast, down-hearted, chop-fallen, low-spirited, cast down, in the blues, in the dumps, with a long face.

**Atramental,** } *a.* Black; inky.
**Atramentous,** }

**At random.** By chance, without choice, without selection, just as it happens, hap-hazard, as may chance, at hazard.

**At rest.** I. Resting, reposing, quiescent, in repose.

2. Untroubled, comfortable, at ease, free from pain.

3. Dead, asleep, in the last sleep, in the bosom of God.

**Atrocious,** *a.* Infamous, villanous, flagitious, heinous, felonious, flagrant, outrageous, enormous, grievous, nefarious, diabolical, monstrous, infernal, hellish, horrible, black, very wicked, excessively cruel.

**Atrocity,** *n.* I. Heinousness, atrociousness, horrible cruelty, enormity, flagrancy, villany, flagitiousness, depravity, wickedness, savagery, ferocity.

2. Atrocious crime, flagitious villany, horror, enormity, act of ferocity.

**Atrophy,** *n.* Emaciation (*from want of nourishment*), consumption, marasmus, decline, gradual wasting.

**At stake.** I. Hazarded, risked, pledged, in danger, at hazard.

2. At risk, in jeopardy, at the caprice of fortune.

**Attach,** *v. a.* I. Fasten, tie, join, connect, cement, affix, fix, append, subjoin, tack, annex, hitch, make fast, set to.

2. Attract, captivate, enamour, endear, charm, win, engage, gain over.

3. (*Law.*) Take, seize, distrain, distress.

**Attachment,** *n.* I. Love, liking, regard, affection, friendship, fondness, predilection, devotedness, devotion, adhesion, adherence.

2. Fastening, appending, etc. See the preceding verb, 1.

3. Adjunct, appurtenance, addition, addendum. See APPENDAGE.

4. (*Law.*) Seizure, distress.

**Attack,** *v. a.* I. Assail, assault, storm, encounter, invade, charge, engage, oppugn, have at, set upon, fly at, run at, make a run at, rush upon, spring upon, have a fling at, have a cut at, bear down upon, make aggression on, ride full tilt against.

2. Impugn, censure, criticise, reflect upon, pass censure on. See under ASSAIL.

**Attack,** *n.* Assault, offence, onset, onslaught, charge, thrust, encounter, invasion, aggression, descent. See ASSAULT.

**Attacker,** *n.* Assailer, assailant, assaulter, invader, aggressor.

**Attain,** *v. a.* I. Procure (*by effort*), acquire, get, obtain, gain, win, secure, achieve, compass, accomplish, effect.

2. Reach, arrive at, come to, attain to.

**Attainable,** *a.* Compassable, achievable, practicable, feasible, possible.

**Attainder,** *n.* Corruption of blood.

**Attainment,** *n.* I. Attaining, getting, acquisition, achieving, winning, gaining, accomplishing, securing.

2. Acquirement, accomplishment, erudition, learning, information, enlightenment, wisdom, stock of knowledge, mental resources.

**Attaint,** *v. a.* I. Taint, corrupt, stain, disgrace, pollute, cloud with infamy.

2. (*Law.*) Punish by corruption of blood.

**Attain to.** Reach, attain, arrive at, come to, gain, win to, win.

**Attar of roses.** Oil of roses, ottar of roses, otto of roses.

**Attemper,** *v. a.* I. Temper, moderate, allay, alleviate, soften, mollify, soothe, qualify, appease. See ASSUAGE.

2. Adapt, suit, fit, proportion.

**Attempt,** *v. a.* I. Try, essay, make trial *or* experiment of.

2. Undertake, go about, set about, take in hand, endeavor to accomplish.

3. Assail, attack, assault, etc., which see.

**Attempt,** *v. n.* Try, strive, endeavor, seek, aim, make an attempt, make essay, do one's best, do all that in one lies, strain every nerve, leave no stone unturned.

**Attempt,** *n.* I. Effort, trial, essay, endeavor, experiment, undertaking, enterprise.

2. Attack, assault, onset.

**Attend,** *v. a.* I. Accompany, escort, follow, go with, go along with, keep company with.

2. Guard, watch, protect, have in keeping.

3. Serve, minister to, wait on, dance attendance on, lackey.

4. Be present at, frequent.

5. Await, be in store for, be ready for.

**Attend,** *v. n.* I. Listen, hearken, hear, give ear, give heed, pay attention.

2. Tend, serve, wait, be attendant.

**Attendance,** *n.* I. Presence, being there, going to.

2. Number present, attendants, persons attending, persons present.

3. Persons attending *or* ministering, train, retinue.

4. Service, ministration, waiting on.

**Attendant,** *a.* Accompanying, attending, concomitant, following, consequent.

**Attendant,** *n.* I. Follower, satellite, companion, fellow, associate, escort, attender.

2. Attender, frequenter, person present.

3. Servant, vassal, servitor, dependant, retainer, squire, domestic, footman, lackey, valet, waiter, flunky, underling, menial, understrapper, tender.

4. Accompaniment, concomitant, attendant circumstance, consequence.

**Attend on.** Accompany, serve, wait on, be in waiting upon, be within call of.

**Attend to.** I. Mind, heed, notice, regard, observe, mark, be attentive to, pay regard to, give heed to, take heed of, take notice of, give *or* pay attention to, give a thought to, be mindful of.

2. Look after, look to, see to, oversee, overlook, superintend, supervise, take care of, provide for.

3. Practise, pursue, follow.

**Attention,** *n.* I. Care, heed, regard, heedfulness, mindfulness, notice, observation, consideration, advertence, circumspection, watch, watchfulness, alertness.

2. Application, reflection, study.

3. Civility, courtesy, politeness, deference, respect, regard.

4. [Esp. in *pl.*] Court, courtship, suit, *devoirs*, devotion, addresses, wooing.

**Attentive,** *a.* I. Mindful, heedful, observant, careful, thoughtful, regardful, awake, alive, alert, wide awake, on the alert, on the lookout, wary, circumspect, watchful.

2. Sedulous, assiduous, diligent, careful, respectful, deferential.

**Attentive to.** I. Mindful of, occupied with, taken up with, absorbed in.

2. Persistent in attentions, lover-like, devoted.

**Attenuate,** *v. a.* Thin, rarefy, make thin, make rare, make slender, slim, *or* spare, render thread-like, draw out, lessen, diminish, reduce.

**Attenuation,** *n.* I. Thinning, diminishing, rarefying, making thin, thread-like, *or* slender.

2. Thinness, thread-likeness, slenderness, emaciation, slender elongation, extreme slenderness.

**Attest,** *v. a.* I. Witness, certify, indorse, confirm, ratify, corroborate, support, authenticate, seal, vouch for, bear out, set one's hand and seal to, bear witness to.

2. Adjure, invoke, call to witness.

3. Prove, show, exhibit, manifest, display, confess, give evidence *or* signs of.

**Attestation,** *n.* Attesting, authentication, confirmation, testimony, witness, proof, evidence, voucher, seal.

**Attic,** *a.* I. Of Attica, of Athens, Athenian.

2. Chaste, classic, classical, pure, correct, refined, elegant, polished, in good taste.

3. Pointed, delicate, subtle, penetrating, pungent.

**Attic,** *n.* Garret, loft, cockloft, upper story.

**Atticism,** *n.* Attic idiom *or* phrase, elegant *or* concise expression, happy phrase.

**Attic salt.** Delicate wit.

**Attire,** *v. a.* Dress, clothe, array, apparel, rig, robe, enrobe, accoutre, equip, fit out, trick out. See APPAREL, *v.*

**Attire,** *n.* Dress, clothes, clothing, apparel, raiment, habit, garb, gear, costume, habiliment, vesture, vestment, outfit, suit, accoutrement, equipment, toilet, rigging, trappings, wardrobe. See APPAREL, *n.*

**Attitude,** *n.* I. Posture (*with reference to the expression of some sentiment*), position, pose.

2. Situation, aspect, phase, standing, state, condition, posture, position, predicament, conjuncture, juncture.

3. Relation, bearing, condition of mind, state of feeling,

**Attitudinize,** *v. n.* Pose affectedly, strike attitudes.

**Attorney,** *n.* I. Agent, factor, proxy, deputy, substitute.

2. [*U. S.*] Attorney-at-law, lawyer, counsellor, counsel, solicitor, advocate, member of the bar, limb of the law.

**Attract,** *v. a.* I. Draw, bring into proximity, cause to approach.

2. Allure, invite, entice, engage, win, captivate, fascinate, endear, charm, enamour.

**Attraction,** *n.* I. Attracting, drawing.

2. Allurement, lure, fascination, charm, enticement, witchery, attractiveness.

3. [In *pl.*] Attractive qualities, charms, graces.

**Attractive,** *a.* I. Alluring, inviting, enticing, fascinating, captivating, charming, winning, winsome, bewitching, enchanting, engaging, interesting, prepossessing, taking, pleasing, pleasant, lovely, sweet.

2. Magnetic, magnetical.

**Attributable,** *a.* I. Ascribable, imputable, referrible, chargeable, traceable, owing, due, to be charged, to be attributed, to be imputed.

2. Predicable, ascribable, belonging, adhering, inhering *or* inherent (in), true (of).

**Attribute,** *v. a.* Ascribe, assign, refer, impute, consider as due.

**Attribute,** *n.* I. Quality, property, characteristic, peculiarity, mark, note, predicate.

2. (*Fine Arts.*) Symbol, characteristic symbol, concomitant sign, attendant designating figure *or* object.

**Attrition,** *n.* Abrasion, friction, rubbing, wearing away, rubbing away.

**Attune,** *v. a.* I. (*Rare.*) Set to a tune, make musical.

2. Tune, accord, harmonize, modulate, put in tune.

3. Bring into accord *or* agreement, harmonize, adjust, adapt, attemper, accommodate.

**At variance.** Quarrelling, bickering. See AT ODDS.

**Auburn,** *a.* Nut-brown, chestnut-colored, reddish-brown.

**Auction,** *n.* Vendue, cant, public sale, auction sale.

**Auctioneer,** *n.* Vendue-master.

**Audacious,** *a.* I. (*Now rare.*) Bold, daring, fearless, courageous, intrepid, venturesome, dauntless, undaunted, valiant, stout-hearted.

2. Presumptuous, assuming, forward, impudent, insolent, shameless, unabashed, brazen, impertinent, full of effrontery.

**Audaciousness,** *n.* See AUDACITY.

**Audacity,** *n.* I. Boldness, daring, fearlessness, courage, intrepidity, venturesomeness, hardihood.

2. Impudence, insolence, effrontery, presumptuousness, presumption, assurance, face, front, brass, impertinence, sauciness.

**Audience,** *n.* I. Hearing, formal reception.

2. Auditory, assembly of hearers, congregation, assemblage.

**Audience-chamber,** *n.* Divan, council-chamber, state-chamber.

**Audit,** *v. a.* Examine (*as accounts, to ascertain whether they are correct or not*).

**Audit,** *n.* I. Examination of accounts.

2. Final account.

**Auditor,** *n.* I. Hearer, listener.

2. Examiner of accounts.

**Auditory,** *n.* Audience, assembly of hearers.

**Au fait.** [Fr.] Skilful, skilled, expert, at home, in one's element.

**Aught,** *n.* Anything.

**Augment,** *v. a.* Enlarge, increase, swell, magnify, add to, make larger.

**Augment,** *v. n.* Increase, grow larger.

**Augmentation,** *n.* Increase, enlargement, extension, addition, accession.

**Augur,** *n.* Soothsayer, seer, prophet, fortune-teller.

**Augur,** *v. n.* I. Prophesy, conjecture, predict, guess.

2. Portend, prognosticate, give token.

**Augur,** *v. a.* Portend, forebode, presage, foreshow, foreshadow, prognosticate, betoken, foretell, predict, prophesy, be ominous of.

**Augury,** *n.* 1. Prognostication, soothsaying, prediction, prophecy, vaticination.

2. Omen, sign, auspice, portent, presage, prognostic, precursor, forerunner, harbinger, herald.

**August,** *a.* Imposing, awful, awe-inspiring, solemn, venerable, majestic, stately, grand, regal, kingly, noble, dignified, princely.

**Auld lang syne.** [*Scotch.*] Antiquity, old times, former times, days of yore, the olden time, time gone by, days gone by, the good old times, pleasant memories of youth.

**Aura,** *n.* Effluence, exhalation, expiration, effluvium, aroma, odor.

**Aureate,** *a.* Golden, yellow, gold-colored.

**Aurelia,** *n.* (*Ent.*) Chrysalis, pupa, nympha.

**Aureola,** *n.* [L.] Halo, glory, aureole, effulgence, irradiance.

**Auricle,** *n.* 1. Pavilion, external ear.

2. Superior chamber (*of the heart*).

**Aurora,** *n.* 1. (*Mythol.*) Goddess of Morning.

2. Daybreak, dawn, morning, sunrise, break of day, opening of day, peep of day, first blush of the morning. See MORN.

**Aurora borealis.** [L.] Northern lights, polar lights.

**Auspice,** *n.* Omen, augury, sign, portent, presage, prognostic.

**Auspices,** *n. pl.* Favor, influence, patronage, protection, support, benign *or* favoring influences.

**Auspicious,** *a.* 1. Prosperous, successful, fortunate, lucky, happy, red-letter.

2. Propitious, promising, favorable, seasonable, opportune, golden, bright.

**Austere,** *a.* 1. Rough (*to the taste*), sour, *and* astringent.

2. Severe, rigid, strict, formal, stiff, rigorous, harsh, stern, difficult, hard, uncompromising, unrelenting, relentless, ascetic, straight-laced.

**Austerity,** *n.* Severity, rigor, sternness, harshness, asceticism, rigidity, rigidness, strictness, formality, stiffness, inflexibility.

**Authentic,** *a.* 1. Genuine, real, true, veritable, pure, uncorrupted, unadulterated, not false, not spurious, not fictitious, not apocryphal, what it purports to be.

2. Trustworthy, reliable, authoritative, veritable, true, accurate, according to the facts, accordant with fact, not garbled, not tampered with, from competent and trustworthy sources, from the original data, that cannot be questioned, of approved authority, to be depended on, worthy of belief.

**Authenticate,** *v. a.* Verify, seal, attest, give credit *or* validity to, prove to be genuine.

**Authentication,** *n.* Verification, attestation, seal, confirmation.

**Authenticity,** *n.* 1. Genuineness.

2. Trustworthiness. See AUTHENTIC, 1 and 2.

**Author,** *n.* 1. Originator, first cause, original, maker, creator, father, former, contriver, inventor.

2. Writer, composer.

**Authoritative,** *a.* 1. Official, commanding, imperative, by authority, *ex cathedra.*

2. Dictatorial, imperious, magisterial, oracular, peremptory, dogmatic. See ARROGANT.

**Authorities,** *n. pl.* 1. Magistrates, rulers, the government, officials, persons in office.

2. Precedents, decisions, judgments.

3. Persons cited as vouchers, commanding scholars *or* men of science.

**Authority,** *n.* 1. Power, sovereignty, dominion, empire, government.

2. Rule, sway, ascendency, supremacy, control, influence, interest.

3. Permission, warrant, warranty, liberty, permit, precept, order, authorization, sanction.

4. Witness, testimony.

5. Credibility, weight of evidence.

6. Respectability, dignity, weight of character.

7. Person of commanding knowledge, leading expert, *connoisseur*, master, master-mind.

**Authorize,** *v. a.* 1. Sanction, justify, warrant, legalize, support by authority.

2. Empower, commission, permit, allow, give permission to, give leave to, give authority to.

**Autochthonal,** } *a.* Original, primitive, pri-
**Autochthonous,** } meval, pristine, primary, first, native, indigenous. See ABORIGINAL.

**Autocracy,** *n.* Dictatorship, absolutism, despotism, absolute monarchy, arbitrary power, absolute power.

**Autocrat,** *n.* Dictator, despot, unlimited monarch, absolute ruler.

**Autocratic,** *a.* 1. Absolute, despotic, unlimited.

2. Tyrannous, tyrannical, oppressive, overbearing, disdainful, magisterial. See ARROGANT.

**Automatic,** *a.* Self-moving, self-acting.

**Autonomy,** *n.* Self-government, independence, self-legislation.

**Autopsy,** *n.* 1. (*Rare and pedantic.*) Ocular evidence, personal examination.

2. Post-mortem examination, *post-mortem.*

**Autumn,** *n.* Fall, fall of the year, fall of the leaf.

**Auxiliary,** *a.* Aiding, helping, assisting, ancillary, subsidiary, helpful.

**Auxiliary,** *n.* Helper, assistant, coadjutor, adjuvant, co-operative, ally, confederate. See ACCESSORY.

**Avail,** *v. a.* Benefit, profit, be of advantage to.

**Avail,** *v. n.* Be of advantage, do good, be of use, answer the purpose.

**Avail,** *n.* Profit, advantage, benefit, use, utility, service.

**Available,** *a.* 1. To be availed of, to be turned to account.

2. Serviceable, useful, profitable, advantageous, beneficial.

3. Suitable *or* fit (*for some purpose*), likely to answer the end.

**Avail one's self of.** Use, employ, take advantage of, turn to account, make use of.

**Avails,** *n. pl.* Proceeds, profits, returns.

**Avant-courier,** *n.* (*Fig.*) Harbinger, forerunner, herald, precursor.

**Avant-guard,** *n.* Van, advanced guard, vanguard.

**Avarice,** *n.* Cupidity, covetousness, sordidness, graspingness.

**Avaricious,** *a.* Grasping, greedy (of gain), sordid, close, close-fisted, hard-fisted, eager for gain (*for the sake of hoarding it*). See COVETOUS.

**Avast,** *interj.* (*Naut.*) Hold, stop, stay, enough.

**Avaunt,** *interj.* Hence, begone, away, be off, get you gone.

**Avenge,** *v. a.* 1. Take satisfaction for, award just punishment for.

2. Revenge, vindicate (*by punishment of an offender*), inflict punishment in behalf of.

**Avengement,** *n.* (*Rare.*) Avenging.

**Avenue,** *n.* 1. Passage, entrance, entry, access, way of approach, passage-way. See under ACCESS.

2. Alley, walk, street, road, path.

3. Channel, route, way, pass.

**Aver,** *v. a.* Assert, declare, asseverate, protest, avouch, allege, say, pronounce, predicate. See AFFIRM.

**Average,** *n.* 1. Medium, mean proportion, medial sum *or* quantity.

2. Mediocrity, medium grade, mean standard.

**Average,** *v. a.* I. Equate, reduce to an average, reduce to a mean.
2. (*Com.*) Proportion, distribute proportionally.
**Average,** *v. n.* Amount to, *or* result in (*when the mean is taken.*)
**Average,** *a.* I. Medial, medium, mean.
2. Middling, ordinary, passable, moderate, tolerable, well enough, pretty well, not bad.
**Averment,** *n.* Affirmation, declaration, assertion, remark, asseveration, protestation, avowal, word. See AVER.
**Avernus,** *n* (*Mythol.*) Hell, Tartarus, Hades, Erebus, the lower world, the infernal regions, shades below.
**Averse,** *a.* Unwilling, disinclined, indisposed, reluctant, loath, backward, adverse, opposed.
**Aversion,** *n.* I. Dislike, distaste, disrelish, disinclination, reluctance, unwillingness, repugnance.
2. Antipathy, hatred, loathing, disgust, detestation, abhorrence, horror.
**Avert,** *v. a.* I. Turn aside, turn away, turn off.
2. Prevent, divert, preclude, ward off, keep off. See FOREFEND.
**Avid,** *a.* (*Rare.*) Eager, greedy.
**Avidity,** *n.* I. Eagerness, longing, yearning, intense desire.
2. Greediness, craving, voracity, voraciousness, rapacity, ravenousness, canine appetite.
**Avocado,** / **Avigato,** / **Avocato,** *n.* Alligator-pear, *Persea gratissima*, avocado-pear.
**Avocation,** *n.* I. Vocation, calling, business, occupation, trade, employment.
2. Occasional business (*business that calls aside*), distraction, hindrance, interruption, by-business, by-concernment.
**Avoid,** *v. a.* I. Shun (*in a negative sense, or denoting care only without positive exertion*), eschew, escape, elude, keep away from, keep aloof from, keep out of the way of, withdraw from, keep clear of, be shy of, fight shy of, have nothing to do with.
2. Forbear, refrain from, help (after *cannot*).
**Avoset,** *n.* Scooper.
**Avouch,** *v. a.* Assert, asseverate, declare, protest, allege, say, maintain. See AFFIRM.
**Avow,** *v. a.* I. Acknowledge, confess, own, admit.
2. Declare. See AFFIRM.
**Avowal,** *n.* Acknowledgment, confession, declaration, profession.
**Avowedly,** *ad.* Confessedly, as freely acknowledged.
**Await,** *v. a* I. Expect, abide, wait for, stay for, look for, be in readiness for.
2. Attend, be in store for, be prepared for, be ready for.
**Awake,** *a.* I. Not asleep.
2. Attentive, watchful, vigilant, alive, on the alert.
**Awake,** *v. a.* and *v. n.* See AWAKEN.
**Awaken,** *v. a.* I. Awake, wake, rouse from sleep.
2. Arouse, excite, kindle, spur, incite, stimulate, provoke, stir up.
**Awaken,** *v n.* I. Wake, waken, be awakened, be roused from sleep.
2. Begin, become active, be aroused, be excited, return to life, come to life.
**Awakening,** *n.* I. Waking, awaking, coming out of sleep.
2. Arousing, kindling, quickening, coming to life.
3. Revival (*of religion*).
**Award,** *v. a.* Adjudge, decree, assign, allot, grant, bestow.
**Award,** *n.* Judgment, decree, adjudication, determination, decision, assignment, allotment, bestowal, gift.
**Aware,** *a.* Mindful, conscious, cognizant, observant, apprised, sensible, percipient, convinced, persuaded.
**Away,** *ad.* I. Absent, gone, off, from home, at a distance, not present
2. Begone, let us go. See AVAUNT.
**Away with.** I. Take away, put out of the way, destroy.
2. Bear, endure, tolerate, get on with.
**Awe,** *n.* I. Reverence, veneration, reverential fear.
2. Dread, fearfulness, terror, fear.
3. Solemn exaltation, admiring solemnity, adoring wonder.
**Awe,** *v. a.* I. Inspire with awe, solemnize, make reverent, fill with revering dread.
2. Overawe, intimidate, frighten, affright, daunt, cow. See AFFRIGHT.
**Aweless,** / **Awless,** *a.* I. Destitute of awe, irreverent, unrevering.
2. Inspiring no awe, undread, unsolemn, unvenerable, unimposing, unmajestic, unstately.
**Awe-struck,** *a* I. Awed, inspired with awe, solemnized, solemn, reverent, revering, filled with solemn exaltation.
2. Dismayed, horrified, appalled, terrified, frightened, awe-stricken, horror-struck, overwhelmed.
**Awful,** *a.* I. Dread, awe-inspiring, reverend, venerable, august, grand, stately, imposing, solemn, majestic.
2. Dreadful, fearful, horrible, horrid, horrifying, terrible, dire, direful, frightful, appalling, tremendous, overwhelming, alarming, portentous.
**Awhile,** *ad.* For a time, for some time, some time, for a while.
**Awkward,** *a.* I. Unskilful, bungling, unhandy, maladroit, inapt, clumsy, without dexterity.
2. Unwieldy, lumbering, unmanageable, inconvenient, unfit.
3. Uncouth, unrefined, unpolished, uncourtly, rude, rough, clumsy, coarse, wooden, inelegant, ungainly, untoward, ungraceful, stiff, constrained, uneasy, rustic, boorish, clownish, loutish, gawky, lubberly, slouching.
**Awn,** *n.* Bristly appendage (*of corn* or *grass*), bristle, beard.
**Awned,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Aristate, bearded, bristled, awny.
**Awning,** *n.* Canopy, tilt, baldachino, baldaquin, *or* baldequin.
**Awnless,** *a.* Beardless, unbearded, unbristled, without beard or bristles, destitute of awn.
**Awry,** *ad.* I. Obliquely, asquint. See ASKANCE.
2. Perversely, wrong. See ATHWART, 2.
**Awry,** *a.* Oblique, slanting, distorted, crooked, wry. See ASKANT and ATHWART.
**Axilla,** *n.* [L. *pl. Axillæ.*] (*Anat.*) Armpit, hollow of the arm, axil.
**Axiom,** *n.* I. Truism, self-evident proposition, intuitive truth, necessary truth.
2. Postulate, settled principle (*not of necessity true*), proposition commonly received, assumed truth.
**Axiomatic,** / **Axiomatical,** *a.* Self-evident, certain, positive, absolute, necessary, apodictic, *a priori.*
**Axis,** *n.* I. Shaft, spindle, arbor.
2. Central line, line of symmetry, line of rotation, line of revolution.
**Ay,** / **Aye,** *ad.* Yes.

**Aye,** *ad.* (*Poetical.*) Always, forever, evermore, continually, ceaselessly, unendingly, changelessly, unchangingly, immutably.
**Azote,** *n.* Nitrogen.
**Azure,** *a.* Blue, cerulean, sky-colored, sky-blue.
**Azure,** *n.* 1. Blue, sky-color, cerulean.
2. (With *The* prefixed.) The sky, heaven, welkin, empyrean, arch *or* expanse of heaven, blue expanse, expanse, depths of space, the cerulean vault.

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**Babble,** *v. n.* 1. Prattle, jabber, chatter, gibber, talk inarticulately.
2. Prate, chat, gossip, palaver, tattle, be loquacious, talk idly *or* thoughtlessly. See PRATE.
3. Tell secrets, tattle, blab, let the cat out of the bag.
**Babble,** *v. a.* 1. Tell (*foolishly*), prate, utter, prate about.
2. Blab, let out, blab about (*hither and thither*).
**Babble,** *n.* Prattle, palaver, chit-chat, gabble, twaddle, chatter, balderdash, platitude, flummery, fustian, wish-wash, stuff, drivel, moonshine, fudge, trash, nonsense, gibberish, gibble-gabble, small talk, idle talk, childish *or* foolish talk, frothy discourse. See PRATTLE, *n.*
**Babbling,** *n.* 1. Prattle. See BABBLE.
2. Garrulity, loquacity, loquaciousness, talkativeness.
**Babe,** *n.* Infant, baby, nursling, suckling, chit, brat, bantling (*bairn*), little one.
**Babel,** *n.* Confusion, disorder, tumult, din, discord, jargon, clamor, hubbub, pother, hurly-burly.
**Baby,** *n.* Infant. See BABE.
**Babyhood,** *n.* Infancy, babehood.
**Baccalaureate,** *n* Degree of bachelor of arts.
**Baccate,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Of a pulpy nature (*like a berry*).
**Bacchanal,** *n.* Reveller, carouser, bacchanalian, roysterer, debauchee, bacchant.
**Bacchanal,** *a.* Riotous, revelling, noisy, bacchanalian.
**Bacchanalian,** *n.* and *a.* See BACCHANAL.
**Bacchanals,** *n. pl.* Revelry, revels, orgies, carousal, debauch, drunken frolic, potation, compotation, wassail, Saturnalia, drunken feasts.
**Back,** *n.* 1. Upper part, outer part.
2. Hinder part, posterior portion, rear, end.
**Back,** *a.* 1. Remote, on the frontier, away from the thicker settlements.
2. Hindmost, in the rear.
3. In a backward direction. [*Used as a prefix, with hyphen.*]
**Back,** *ad.* 1. To the place of starting.
2. Backward, rearward, abaft, in the rear, toward what is behind.
3. Again, in return, in recompense.
**Back,** *v. a.* 1. Aid, second, support, countenance, favor, sustain, abet, side with, stand by, take part with, give support to, co-operate with, back up. See ASSIST.
2. Move backward, push backward, cause to go backward.
**Back,** *v. n.* Move *or* go backward, retire, retreat, resile, withdraw, draw back.
**Backbite,** *v. a.* Defame, traduce, malign, slander, revile, calumniate, libel, asperse, vilify, blacken, abuse, scandalize, speak ill of.
**Backbiter,** *n.* Slanderer, defamer, traducer, calumniator, libeller, maligner, reviler, vilifier, detractor.
**Backbiting,** *n.* Detraction, defamation, aspersion, slander, calumny, contumely, abuse, obloquy.
**Backbone,** *n.* 1. Spine, spinal column, vertebral column.
2. Firmness, nerve, resolution, courage, pluck, hardihood, manhood, steadfastness, stability, decision, moral principle, stamina.
**Backhanded,** *a.* 1. Inclining to the left hand (*as writing*), sloping backward.
2. Outward and backward, with the back of the hand.
3. Indirect, unfair, unfavorable, backhand.
**Back-house,** *n* Privy, necessary, jakes, water-closet
**Back out.** (*Colloq.*) Withdraw from a bargain, not keep a promise, not stand to an engagement, retreat, withdraw, resile.
**Backslide,** *v n.* Apostatize, fall off, fall away, break faith.
**Backslider,** *n.* Apostate, deserter, renegade.
**Backsliding,** *n.* Apostasy.
**Back up.** Support, sustain, assist, aid, help. See BACK.
**Backward,** *a.* 1. Unwilling, reluctant, loath, disinclined, indisposed, wavering, hesitating. See AVERSE.
2. Dull, sluggish, slow, stupid, stolid. See DULL.
3. Late, tardy, behindhand, after the usual time.
**Backward,** } *ad.* Regressively, rearward, aback,
**Backwards,** } behind. See ABAFT.
**Bad,** *a.* 1. Evil, ill, baneful, baleful, deleterious, pernicious, mischievous, noxious, hurtful, injurious, detrimental, unwholesome.
2. Wicked, depraved, abandoned, corrupt, unprincipled, immoral, dishonest, unfair, disingenuous, rascally, villanous.
3. Unlucky, unfortunate, unhappy.
4. Unwelcome, sad, saddening, disappointing, untoward, depressing, discouraging, distressing.
5. Vile, wretched, sorry, mean, shabby, scurvy, abominable.
6. Poor, inferior, imperfect, defective, incompetent, ill-qualified.
7. Serious, severe, hard, heavy.
**Bad blood.** Ill-will, malice, hatred, hate, venom.
**Bad faith.** Perfidy, perfidiousness, traitorousness, dishonesty, unfairness, faithlessness, lack of fidelity, want of good faith, breach of faith, Punic faith, *punica fides* or *fides punica.*
**Badge,** *n.* 1. Token of office, shield of office, official star *or* emblem.
2. Emblem of membership, cognizance, device.
3. Emblem (*of anything*), sign, mark, token, stamp, brand.
**Badger,** *n.* Bawson (*or* bawsin), brock.
**Badger,** *v. a.* Persecute, tease, worry, harry, bait, annoy, vex, plague, harass, torment, pester, trouble, bother, hector.

**Badinage,** *n.* [Fr.] Raillery, banter, asteism, *persiflage*, light talk, small talk, trifling *or* playful discourse.

**Baffle,** *v. a.* 1. Frustrate, foil, balk, thwart, defeat, mar, upset, check, neutralize, checkmate, undermine, circumvent.

2. Confound, bewilder, perplex, disconcert, out-general, out-manœuvre.

**Bag,** *n.* Sack, pouch, wallet, reticule.

**Bagatelle,** *n.* [Fr.] Trifle, small matter, thing of no consequence or importance.

**Baggage,** *n.* Luggage, personal effects, travelling effects, traps.

**Bagnio,** *n.* 1. Bath, bathing-house.

2. Brothel, stew, bawdy-house, house of prostitution, house of ill-fame.

**Bail,** *n.* 1. Security, surety.

2. Handle (*of a pail, etc.*).

**Bail,** *v. a.* Admit to bail.

**Bailiff,** *n.* 1. Deputy-sheriff, deputy-marshal, deputy-constable.

2. Overseer, under-steward, factor, manager, supervisor.

**Bairn,** *n.* [*Scotch.*] Child, babe.

**Bait,** *v. a.* 1. Put bait upon.

2. Feed (*animals*), give feed to.

3. Worry, harry. See BADGER, *v.*

**Bait,** *v. n.* Take refreshment (*on a journey*).

**Bait,** *n.* 1. Lure, decoy, allurement, enticement, temptation.

2. Refreshment (*on a journey*).

**Bake,** *v. a.* 1. Harden (*by heat*), dry up, parch, stiffen.

2. Cook (in the oven).

**Balance,** *n.* 1. Pair of scales.

2. Equipoise, equilibrium, equality of weight.

3. Comparison, comparative estimate, weighing.

4. Excess, overplus, surplus, residue, remainder. (*Correct only of accounts.*)

5. Counterpoise, equalizing agency, equalizer.

6. Moral *or* mental equilibrium, equipoise, poise, self-control, self-possession, all-sidedness, good proportion.

**Balance,** *v. a.* 1. Poise, keep in equipoise, hold in equilibrium.

2. Weigh (*mentally*), compare, estimate comparatively.

3. Counterpoise, counteract, neutralize, countervail, counterbalance, compensate, make up for.

4. (*Com.*) Equalize, make equal, square, adjust, clear.

**Balance,** *v. n.* 1. Be in equipoise *or* equilibrium, counterpoise each other, neutralize each other.

2. Cast accounts, keep accounts, reckon, make balances.

**Balance-fish,** *n.* Hammer-fish, hammer-headed shark (*Zygæna vulgaris*).

**Bald,** *a.* 1. Without hair (*on the head*), hairless, destitute of hair.

2. Bare, treeless, verdureless, uncovered, unsheltered, naked.

3. Unadorned, inelegant, prosaic, dull, meagre, vapid, tame.

4. Literal, unabated, unmitigated, undisguised, unvarnished, naked, bare.

5. Unsupported, bare, mere, uncorroborated, glaring.

**Baldachino,** **Baldaquin,** **Baldequin,** *n.* Canopy, awning

**Balderdash,** *n.* Verbiage, rodomontade, gasconade, rant, bombast, fustian, froth, palaver, twaddle, chatter, trash, stuff, bosh, platitude, flummery, fudge, jargon, nonsense, prate, prating, senseless prate, jabber, gibberish, gibble-gabble, gabble, drivel, frothy discourse, idle talk.

**Baldric,** *n.* Shoulder-belt, bawdrick.

**Bale,** *n.* 1. Bundle, package.

2. Harm, injury, hurt, bane, ruin, mischief, calamity, misery.

**Baleen,** *n.* Whalebone.

**Bale-fire,** *n.* Beacon-fire.

**Baleful,** *a.* Hurtful, injurious, noxious, mischievous, pernicious, calamitous, baneful, ruinous, deadly, fraught with evil.

**Balk,** *v. a.* Disappoint, frustrate, defeat, foil, baffle, disconcert, thwart.

**Balky,** *a.* [*U. S.*] Perverse (*said of a horse*), unruly, refractory, wayward, contrary, stubborn, obstinate.

**Ball,** *n.* 1. Globe, sphere, round body, round *or* rounded *or* roundish part.

2. Missile (*of fire arms*), bullet, shot, projectile.

3. Dance, entertainment of dancing, assembly, dancing-party.

4. Game of ball

**Ballad,** *n.* Light poem, sentimental song.

**Ballad-monger,** *n.* 1. Seller *or* crier of ballads, street-song vender.

2. Poetaster, rhymester, would-be poet, maker of doggerel, versifier.

**Ballast,** *n.* 1. Weight (*for steadiness*), ballasting, filling, packing.

2. Steadiness, consistency, stability, equipoise, balance, self-control, considerateness, foresight, prudence, discretion, judgment, sense, good sense, sound sense.

**Ballast,** *v. a.* 1. Put ballast into.

2. Render firm *or* steadfast, etc. See the noun, under 2.

**Ballasting,** *n.* Ballast.

**Ballooning,** *n.* Aeronautics, aerostation, balloonery.

**Balloonist,** *n.* Aeronaut, aerial navigator.

**Ballot,** *n.* 1. Voting-ticket, ticket, voting-ball.

2. Vote, total vote, number of voters, votes cast.

**Ballot,** *v. n.* Vote, cast votes, take a vote, take a ballot.

**Balm,** *n.* 1. Ointment, fragrant *or* precious ointment, unguent.

2. Healing, soothing, mitigant, assuager, anodyne, cure.

**Balmy,** *a.* 1. Soothing, refreshing, healing, easing, assuaging, lenitive, sedative.

2. Fragrant, odoriferous, odorous, aromatic, aromatous, ambrosial, spicy, sweet-smelling, sweet-scented, sweet.

**Baltimore oriole.** Golden robin, hang-bird, fiery hang-bird (*Icterus Baltimore* or *Oriolus Baltimore*).

**Bamboozle,** *v. a.* Deceive, cheat, dupe, beguile, mislead, inveigle, gull, trick, chouse, overreach, circumvent, defraud, mystify, hoax, impose on, practise upon, mislead.

**Ban,** *n.* 1. Proclamation, edict.

2. Curse, malediction, excommunication, denunciation, execration, anathema.

3. Interdiction, interdict, prohibition, outlawry, prohibitory penalty.

**Ban,** *v. a.* 1. Curse, execrate, anathematize, maledict.

2. Interdict, imban, outlaw, put under ban *or* prohibition.

**Band,** *n.* 1. Tie, ligature, ligament.

2. Cord, chain, fetter, manacle, shackle, bond.

3. Bandage, fillet, binding, cincture, girth, belt.

4. Company (*especially of instrumental musicians*), troop, gang, crew, horde, party, body, club, junto, coterie, clique, society, sodality, association.

**Bandage,** *n.* Fillet, band, binding, cincture, belt.
**Bandit,** *n.* Outlaw, robber, brigand, freebooter, footpad, highwayman, marauder.
**Banditti,** *n. pl.* Band of outlaws *or* robbers.
**Bandy,** *v. a.* I. Toss, toss about, toss to and fro, agitate, dispute about.
2. Exchange, interchange, give and take.
**Bandy,** *a.* Crooked, bent, bow-(*legged*).
**Bane,** *n.* I. Poison, venom.
2. Pest, scourge, curse, ruin, destruction, harm, injury. See BALE.
**Baneful,** *a.* I. Poisonous, venomous.
2. Destructive, noxious, hurtful, injurious, pernicious, mischievous, deadly, ruinous, fraught with evil. See BALEFUL.
**Banewort,** *n.* Belladonna, dwale, deadly-night-shade (*Atropa belladonna*).
**Bang,** *v. a.* I. Beat, thump, pound, strike, knock, maul, pommel, thrash, cudgel, thwack, handle roughly, deal roughly with.
2. Slam, shut with a bang.
**Bang,** *v. n.* Ring, rattle, resound, re-echo, clatter.
**Bang,** *n.* I. Clang, clangor, whang.
2. Blow, thump, whack, thwack, lick, knock.
**Banian,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Indian fig-tree (*Ficus Indica*). Same as BANYAN.
**Banish,** *v. a.* I. Exile, expatriate, ostracize, expel from the country.
2. Exclude, expel, dismiss, dispel, shut out, drive away, put out of mind.
**Banishment,** *n.* Exile, expatriation, ostracism, expulsion, proscription.
**Bank,** *n.* I. Mound, knoll, rising ground, heap, pile, tumulus, dike
2. Shore, brim, brink, margin, marge, border, bound, rim, rivage.
3. Shoal, shallow, bar, sandbank, syrtis.
4. Bench, thwart, beam, rowing-beam.
5. Row, tier, course.
6. Banking-house, (one's) banker's, the money-lender's, the usurer's.
**Bank,** *v. a.* I. Embank, dike, surround with a bank.
2. Deposit (*in the bank*), lay up, put in the bank.
**Bank,** *v. n.* Have one's account, keep one's funds, conduct one's business, do banking, make one's transactions.
**Bankrupt,** *a.* Insolvent.
**Bankrupt,** *n.* Insolvent debtor.
**Bankruptcy,** *n.* Insolvency.
**Banner,** *n.* Flag, standard, streamer, ensign, pennon, colors.
**Banquet,** *n.* Feast, entertainment, regalement, treat.
**Banquet,** *v. n.* Feast, be regaled with good eating and drinking.
**Banquet,** *v. a.* Treat with a banquet *or* feast, regale, entertain festally, feast.
**Banter,** *v. a.* Jeer, joke, rally, quiz, chaff (*colloq.*), ridicule, twit, deride, mock, make fun of, make sport of, make merry with, play upon, make a butt of.
**Banter,** *n.* Raillery, ridicule, mockery, derision, *persiflage*, pleasantry, *badinage*, asteism, joking, jesting, quizzing, chaff (*colloq.*).
**Bantling,** *n.* Infant, babe, baby, chit, brat, nursling, suckling, *bairn*, little child, little one, young one.
**Baptize,** *v. a.* I. Administer baptism to.
2. Christen.
**Bar,** *n.* I. Rod, pole, grating, cross-piece, casting, ingot.
2. Obstacle, hindrance, obstruction, barrier, barricade, stop, impediment.
3. Rail, railing.
4. Tribunal, judgment-seat.
5. Body of lawyers, legal fraternity.
6. Shoal, sand-bank, shallow, bank, sandbar.
**Bar,** *v. a.* I. Fasten with a bar.
2. Hinder, obstruct, stop, prevent, prohibit, restrain.
3. Exclude, shut out.
**Barb,** *n.* I. Beard (or *excrescences like a beard*), wattles.
2. Guard (*of a hook, etc.*), beard, point, guarded *or* bearded point.
3. Horse (*of the Barbary breed*).
**Barb,** *v. a.* Point, fit with barbs, beard.
**Barbadoes tar.** Petroleum, rock-oil, Seneca oil, mineral pitch, mineral tar, mineral oil.
**Barbarian,** *n.* I. Savage.
2. Brute, ruffian, brutal monster.
**Barbarian,** *a.* I. Uncivilized, rude, savage, barbarous, barbaric.
2. Inhuman, brutal, cruel, unfeeling, ruthless, truculent, ferocious, fierce, fell, bloody, brutish. See BARBAROUS.
**Barbaric,** *a.* I. Barbarian, barbarous, uncivilized, rude, savage, untamed.
2. Gaudy, uncouth, coarse, coarsely showy, outlandish, unrefined, wild, untamed, unregulated, capricious, riotous, coarsely luxuriant.
**Barbarism,** *n.* I. Savagism, savage state, savagery, barbarous state, uncivilized condition.
2. Rudeness, roughness, brutality, savageness, harshness, destructiveness, vandalism.
3. Impurity (of diction), impropriety, unauthorized expression.
4. Atrocity, outrage, act of cruelty *or* barbarity, brutality.
**Barbarity,** *n.* Cruelty, savageness, barbarousness, brutality, brutishness, ferociousness, ferocity, inhumanity, truculence, hardness of heart, manners of a barbarian.
**Barbarous,** *a.* I. Uncivilized, rough, coarse, rude, untutored, ignorant, unlettered, uncultivated, untamed, savage, barbarian, barbaric.
2. Cruel, inhuman, brutal, brutish, unfeeling, ferocious, ruthless, fell, truculent, fierce, bloody, savage.
3. Uncouth (*as a word* or *an expression*), harsh, rugged, vulgar, contrary to good usage, full of impurities, full of infelicities.
**Barbe,** } *n.* I. Housing, piece of housing.
**Barb,** } 2. Horse-armor, horse-mail (horse-armor), boss.
**Barbed,** *a.* I. Bearded.
2. Clad in armor (*said of horses*), mailed, in barbes, furnished with barbes.
**Barberry,** *n.* Pepperidge-bush *or* pipperidge-bush (*Berberis vulgaris*).
**Bard,** *n.* I. Harper, minstrel, poet.
2. Larding-strip, larding-bacon, bacon-strip.
**Barde,** *n.* Horse-trappings, horse-armor, barbes.
**Barded,** *a.* Caparisoned, armed, barbed.
**Bare,** *a.* I. Naked, nude, denuded, uncovered, unclothed, undressed, exposed, unprotected, unsheltered, unshielded, detected.
2. Simple, sheer, mere, alone.
3. Unadorned, bald, undecorated, unfurnished, meagre.
4. Poor, destitute, indigent, ill-supplied, empty.
**Bare,** *v. a.* Strip, uncover, make bare. See preceding adjective.
**Bareback,** *a.* and *ad.* Without a saddle, on an unsaddled horse.
**Barebacked,** *a.* Unsaddled.
**Barefaced,** *a.* I. Undisguised, unreserved, unconcealed, palpable, conspicuous, glaring, notable, notorious.
2. Impudent, presumptuous, brazen, shameless, audacious.
**Barely,** *ad.* I. Poorly, meagrely, slenderly, meanly.
2. Merely, simply, only, just.

**Bargain,** *n.* I. Compact, agreement, stipulation, covenant, contract, convention, concordat, treaty, indenture, transaction.
2. Purchase, getting, proceeds, result
3. Cheap purchase, purchase on favorable terms, good bargain.
**Bargain,** *v. n.* Contract, agree, stipulate, covenant, make a bargain.
**Bargain,** *v. a.* Sell, transfer, convey. [With *away.*]
**Barge,** *n.* I. Vessel of state, pleasure-boat, barque.
2. Boat of burden, transport.
**Barilla,** *n.* Carbonate of soda (*impure*), kelp.
**Bark,** *v. n.* Yelp, bay.
**Bark at.** Clamor at, decry, cry down, carp at, asperse. See ASPERSE.
**Bark up the wrong tree.** (*Colloq.*) Mistake, err, make a mistake, be in the wrong box, on the wrong scent, *or* on the wrong track.
**Barm,** *n.* Yeast, ferment, leaven.
**Barmecide,** *a.* Delusive, illusory, tantalizing, mock, make-believe, sham, unsatisfying, visionary, unsubstantial, unreal.
**Barmy,** *a.* Yeasty.
**Barren,** *a.* I. Unprolific, sterile, childless, infecund, incapable of bearing offspring
2. Destitute of fruit, sterile, acarpous.
3. Unfertile, unproductive, sterile, poor, bare.
4. Ineffectual, uninstructive, unsuggestive, infecund, leading to nothing, unproductive.
**Barricade,** *n.* Obstruction (*as in the streets of a city to serve as a fortification*). See BARRIER.
**Barricade,** *v. a.* Obstruct, block up, stop up, fortify hastily.
**Barrier,** *n.* Obstruction, obstacle, hindrance, bar, barricade, stop, impediment.
**Barrister,** *n.* Advocate (*admitted to plead at the bar*), counsellor, counsel, lawyer, attorney at law, limb of the law, member of the bar.
**Barrow,** *n.* I. Wheelbarrow, handbarrow.
2. Mound, hillock.
3. Hog (*especially a castrated hog*).
**Barter,** *v. n.* Make exchanges, traffic by exchanges, traffic, trade, bargain.
**Barter,** *v. a.* Give in exchange, barter away, bargain away, traffic away, trade off.
**Barter,** *n.* Exchange, traffic by exchange.
**Barter away.** See BARTER.
**Baryta,** *n.* Oxide of barium.
**Barytes,** *n.* Heavy spar, sulphate of baryta.
**Base,** *a.* I. Inferior, of little or no worth, cheap, worthless
2. Debased, spurious, counterfeit, false.
3. Plebeian, vulgar, untitled, nameless, lowly, humble, unknown, unhonored, base-born, of low birth.
4. Mean, despicable, contemptible, beggarly, sordid, servile, slavish, menial, sorry, worthless, pitiful, low-minded, rascally, abject, grovelling, low, venal.
5. Shameful, disreputable, disgraceful, discreditable, dishonorable, scandalous, infamous, vile, villanous.
**Base,** *n.* I. Basis, foundation, ground, groundwork, lowest part, bottom, foot.
2. (*Surveying.*) Base-line.
3. (*Chem.*) Principal element (*of a compound*).
**Base,** *v. a.* Found, rest, establish. [Followed by *on* or *upon.*]
**Base-born,** *a.* See BASE, *a.*, 3.
**Base-line,** *n.* (*Surveying.*) Base.
**Basement,** *n.* Ground-floor, lowest story, basement story
**Base-minded,** *a.* Mean, low, vile, grovelling, beggarly, pitiful, despicable, abject, low-minded, mean-spirited.
**Baseness,** *n.* I. Meanness, despicableness, contemptibleness, abasement, worthlessness, abjectness.
2. Disgrace, ignominy, infamy, shame, dishonor, turpitude, villany, perfidy.
**Bashful,** *a.* Shy, timid, timorous, coy, diffident, sheepish, shamefaced, over-modest, not self-possessed.
**Bashfulness,** *n.* Shyness, timidity, coyness, diffidence, self-distrust, excessive modesty.
**Basiliak,** *n.* Cockatrice.
**Basis,** *n.* Base, foundation, ground, groundwork, lowest part.
**Bask,** *v. n.* I. Lie warming, warm one's self joyously, luxuriate.
2. Rejoice, be shone upon, be bathed, revel, prosper.
**Bask,** *v. a.* Bathe, warm, expose.
**Bass,** *a.* (*Mus.*) Low, deep, grave.
**Basset,** *v. n.* (*Geol.*) Crop out.
**Bassetting,** *n.* Cropping out, out-crop.
**Bastard,** *n.* Love-child, whoreson, illegitimate child, natural child.
**Bastard,** *a.* I. Illegitimate, natural, spurious, base-born, misbegotten, whoreson.
2. Spurious, false, counterfeit, not genuine, pretended, sham, supposititious.
**Baste,** *v. a.* I. Beat (*with a stick*), cudgel, cane, drub, thrash, buffet, pound, pommel. See BEAT, 1.
2. Moisten with fat.
3. Sew (*with long stitches*), stitch (*loosely*).
**Bastinado,** *n.* Cudgelling, basting, beating (*usually on the soles of the feet*).
**Bastinado,** *v. a.* Cudgel, baste, beat (*as above*).
**Bat,** *n.* I. Stick, club, cudgel, walking-stick.
2. Brickbat, broken brick.
3. Cheiropter, wing-handed mammal.
4. Pack-saddle.
**Batch,** *n.* Quantity (*as of bread, ore, etc., treated at one time*), amount, lot, collection, crowd.
**Bate,** *v. a.* Abate, lessen, diminish, decrease, reduce, rebate, remit, suppress, suspend, hold in, repress.
**Bathe,** *v. a.* I. Wash, lave, immerse.
2. Flood, cover, suffuse.
3. Immerse, enwrap, infold.
**Bathe,** *v. n.* I. Wash the body, go into a bath, take a bath, use the bath.
2. Be immersed, float, be streamed upon, lie beneath, lie floating.
**Bathos,** *n.* Anticlimax, false sublime, moral sublime, sham exaltation, the fatal step from the sublime to the ridiculous, bombast.
**Bating,** *prep.* Except, excepting, barring, deducting.
**Baton,** *n.* Staff, truncheon, wand, rod, sceptre, staff of office.
**Batten,** *n.* Wooden strip.
**Batten,** *v. a.* I. Fasten with battens.
2. Fatten, make fat.
**Batten,** *v. n.* Grow fat, fatten, thrive.
**Batter,** *v. a.* I. Beat, smite, pelt, dash against.
2. Bruise, break, shatter, shiver, smash, demolish, destroy, strike down, knock down, shake to pieces, shiver to pieces.
3. Indent, wear, wear away, abrade, deface, mar, disfigure.
**Batter,** *v. n.* I. Attack by battering, employ battery.
2. (*Masonry.*) Incline, slope, recede, retreat, slope backward.
**Batter,** *n.* I. Paste, liquid paste.
2. Batsman, striker.
3. (*Masonry.*) Slope backward.
**Battle,** *n.* Combat, engagement, action, conflict, contest, fight, rencontre, collision, affair.

**Battle,** *v. n.* Contend, struggle, strive, do battle, fight, contest, desperately endeavor. [Usually with *for*.]
**Battle array.** Order of battle, line, line of battle.
**Battled,** *a.* Embattled, battlemented, bristling with battlements.
**Bauble,** } *n.* Trinket, gewgaw, toy, trifle, play-
**Bawble,** } thing, gimcrack, knack, knick-knack.
**Bavin,** *n.* Fagot, twig, bough, brushwood.
**Bavin,** *a.* Brushy, fagot-like, twiggy.
**Bavin,** *v. a.* Kid, bundle, make into fagots, make into bavins.
**Bawd,** *n.* Procurer *or* (*more commonly*) procuress, pander, pimp.
**Bawdry,** *n.* I. Pandering, playing pimp *or* procuress.
2. Fornication, whoredom, whoring, lechery, licentiousness, illicit intercourse.
3. Obscenity, impurity, lewd talk, smut, indecency, filthy language.
**Bawdy,** *a.* Obscene, filthy, indecent, impure, lewd, smutty, unchaste.
**Bawdy-house,** *n.* Brothel, stew, bagnio, house of prostitution, house of ill-fame.
**Bawl,** *v. n.* and *v. a.* Clamor, vociferate, yell, howl, roar, shout, hoot, cry, squall.
**Bay,** *a.* Reddish-brown.
**Bay,** *n.* I. Bight, inlet of the sea.
2. Recess (*as in a room*), opening.
3. Compartment.
4. Bay-tree, laurel-tree (*Laurus nobilis*), sweet laurel.
5. Baywood, Campeachy mahogany.
6. Laurel-crown, chaplet, laurel, garland, fame, renown, glory, honor, plaudits, praise, applause.
7. Bark, barking, baying, yelp.
8. Desperation, last resort, facing for life, life-and-death struggle.
9. Check, thwart, one's distance.
**Bay,** *v. n.* Bark, yelp.
**Bay,** *v. a.* Bark at, pursue with baying.
**Bayberry,** *n.* Wax-myrtle (*Myrica cerifera*).
**Bay-rum,** *n.* Spirit of Myrcia (*rum distilled with the leaves of Myrcia acris*).
**Bays,** *n. pl.* I. Crown, garland, wreath, chaplet, honorary distinction.
2. Renown, fame, honors, plaudits, glory, praise, applause.
**Bay-salt,** *n.* Common salt (*as obtained by evaporation of sea-water*), chloride of sodium.
**Bay-tree,** *n.* Bay, laurel-tree, sweet laurel.
**Bazaar,** } *n.* I. Market-place, exchange, market,
**Bazar,** } mart.
2. Fancy fair, fair, charity fair.
**Be,** *v. n.* [*In its substantive sense.*] Exist (*whether in fact or in imagination*), subsist, have existence, have being.
**Beach,** *n.* Strand, sands, margin, marge, rim, shore, sandy shore, shingly margin.
**Beach,** *v. a.* Run ashore, put aground, strand.
**Beacon,** *n.* I. Signal-fire.
2. Mark, sign, signal.
**Beacon,** *v. a.* Illumine, light, illuminate, enlighten, guide, signal.
**Beacon,** *v. n.* Give light, signal, shine, gleam, brighten, flame.
**Bead,** *n.* I. Globule, pellet (*perforated for stringing*).
2. Drop, droplet, pearly drop, bubble, blob.
3. Moulding, astragal.
**Bead,** *v. a.* I. Mould, decorate with a moulding.
2. Deck with beads, raise into beads.
**Beadle,** *n.* I. Court crier, servitor, apparitor, summoner.
2. Bedell, university mace-carrier.
3. Church servitor, parish petty-constable.
**Bead-roll,** *n.* Roll (of honor), list, catalogue, roster.
**Beads,** *n. pl.* Rosary.
**Beadsman,** } *n.* Intercessor, pleader, one's
**Beadswoman,** } humble *or* obedient servant, one's to command, etc.
**Beagle,** *n.* Hare-hound, harrier (*but inaccurately so called*).
**Beak,** *n.* I. Bill, mandible, neb.
2. Prow, bow, stem
**Beaker,** *n.* Drinking-cup, goblet, bowl, cup.
**Beam,** *n.* I. Girder, piece of timber.
2. Ray, pencil, streak, gleam. See GLIMMER.
**Beam,** *v. n.* Shine, emit rays, gleam, glisten, glitter, beacon.
**Beam,** *v a.* Shoot forth, emit in rays *or* beams.
**Beamy,** *a.* I. Radiant, beaming, gleaming, shining, glancing.
2. Radiant, joyous, gladsome, gladdening, sparkling.
3. Beam-like, huge, ponderous, sturdy, thick, unwieldy.
**Bear,** *v. a.* I. Uphold, support, sustain, hold up.
2. Carry, transport, convey, waft.
3. Possess, have, hold.
4. Endure, suffer, undergo, brook, tolerate, abide, put up with, bear with, take patiently *or* easily, have patience with, submit to.
5. Admit, permit, allow, admit of, be capable of.
6. Maintain, keep up, carry on.
7. Entertain, cherish, harbor.
8. Be answerable, accountable, *or* responsible for, be charged with.
9. Produce, yield.
10. Bring forth, give birth to.
11. Exhibit, utter, show, give.
**Bear,** *v. n.* I. Suffer, submit.
2. Press, push, be oppressive.
3. Be fruitful, be prolific.
4. Act, take effect, operate, work, succeed.
5. Tend, relate, refer, be pertinent, concern, affect.
6. (*Naut.*) Be situated (*with respect to the point of compass*).
**Bear,** *n* I. Bruin.
2. Growler, grumbler, snarler, surly old fellow, bundle of irritability.
3. Speculator on a fall, depreciator of the market, growler down of stocks.
**Bearable,** *a.* Tolerable, endurable, supportable.
**Bear a hand.** I. (*Naut.*) Be quick, make haste.
2. (*Colloq.*) Lend a hand, help, aid, assist.
**Beard,** *n.* I. Whiskers, hirsute appendage.
2. Guard. See BARB.
**Beard,** *v. a.* I. Seize *or* pluck by the beard, pull one's beard. (*In contempt.*)
2. Defy, bid defiance to, oppose to the face.
**Bear date.** Be dated.
**Bearded,** *a.* I. Whiskered, wearing a beard.
2. Barbed, pointed.
3. (*Bot.*) Aristate, awned, bristled, bristly.
**Bear down.** I. Overcome, crush, put down, repress.
2. Overthrow, overwhelm, crush, overbear.
**Bear down upon.** I. Attack, assail, assault, charge, advance upon, move upon, march upon, march against, set upon, rush upon
2. (*Naut.*) Sail toward, approach, move to close quarters with.
**Bear-grass,** *n.* Yucca, Adam's needle, Spanish bayonet.
**Bearing,** *n.* I. Deportment, demeanor, behavior, conduct, carriage, mien, air, port.
2. Relation, dependency, connection.

3. Endurance, suffering, enduring, patience, long-suffering.
4. Direction, course, aim, aspect, point of compass.
5. Import, effect, force, meaning, scope, compass.
6. Producing, bringing forth, yielding fruit *or* increase.
7. Socket, bed, receptacle.

**Bearings,** *n. pl.* Charges (*in coats of arms*).

**Bearish,** *a.* Rough, rude, coarse, savage, boorish, uncivil, uncourteous, discourteous, impolite, ungentlemanly.

**Bear one's self.** Behave, acquit one's self, conduct one's self, deport one's self, demean one's self.

**Bear out.** Maintain, support, defend, uphold, justify, make good, vindicate, corroborate, confirm, sustain.

**Bear the bell.** Be the leader, rank foremost, carry the day, bear the palm.

**Bear the cross.** Take up the cross, submit to trials *or* afflictions, endure hardness *or* hardship.

**Bear the palm.** Excel, be superior. See BEAR THE BELL.

**Bear up.** 1. (*Active.*) Support, uphold, sustain, keep from falling.
2. (*Passive.*) Stand firm, show fortitude.

**Bear with.** See BEAR, 4.

**Bear witness.** Testify, depose, state, affirm, declare, aver, avow, say, swear.

**Beast,** *n.* 1. Quadruped, beast of the field, four-footed creature.
2. Brute, irrational animal.
3. Brutal *or* bestial person, brute, savage, sensualist, clod.

**Beastly,** *a.* Brutish, brutal, bestial, sensual, coarse, repulsive, inhuman, abominable, vile, filthy, loathsome.

**Beat,** *v. a.* 1. Strike, knock, hit, thump, bethump, belabor, drub, maul, pommel, baste, thrash, thwack, bang, whack, pound, punch, cudgel, cane, whip, buffet, lay blows upon.
2. Hammer, forge
3. Pound, bruise, pulverize, comminute, bray, break in pieces.
4. Batter, smite, pelt, dash against
5. Conquer, overcome, subdue, vanquish, overpower, defeat, checkmate.
6. (*Colloq.*) Excel, surpass, outdo, cut out.

**Beat,** *v. n.* 1. Pulsate, throb.
2. Dash, strike.
3. (*Naut.*) Go against the wind, go a zigzag course.

**Beat,** *n.* 1. Stroke, striking, blow.
2. Pulsation, throb, beating.
3. Round, course.

**Beat back.** Repulse, repel, drive back.

**Beat down.** 1. Batter, overturn, destroy, break, throw down.
2. Subdue, overpower, overcome, crush, put down.
3. Press down (*by blows*), lay flat.

**Beaten,** *a.* 1. Worn by use, much travelled.
2. Hackneyed, trite, threadbare, common, common-place.
3. Defeated, baffled, dispirited.

**Beat hollow.** (*Colloq.*) Surpass completely, excel beyond all question, beat out-and-out.

**Beatific,** *a.* Ravishing, enchanting, enrapturing, rapturing, enravishing, enravished, raptured, enraptured, rapturous, ecstatic, transporting, enchanting, enchanted, transported, rapt.

**Beatification,** *n.* 1. Beatifying (*especially the act of the Pope in declaring a person happy after death*).
2. Bliss, blessedness. See BEATITUDE.

**Beatify,** *v. a.* 1. Enrapture, rapture, enchant transport, enravish, ravish, make happy.
2. Pronounce in bliss (*by the Pope's official act*).

**Beating,** *n.* 1. Striking, drubbing, flogging thrashing, cudgelling, pommelling, caning, flagellation, pounding, thumping, basting, bastinadoing.
2. Beat, pulsation, throb, throbbing.

**Beat into.** (*Colloq.*) Teach (*by laborious effort*), instil, inculcate implant.

**Beatitude,** *n.* 1. Bliss, felicity, blessedness, blissfulness, beatification, holy joy, solemn ecstasy, heavenly joy, peace that passeth understanding, ecstasy serene.
2. Encomium of virtue (*by our Lord in the Sermon on the Mount*), declaration of blessedness, blessing of the righteous.

**Be at loggerheads.** Have fallen out, be at odds, be at variance, be disputing, quarrelling, *or* fighting.

**Beat out.** 1. Flatten (*by hammering*), attenuate.
2. Expand, amplify, attenuate, render diffuse.
3. Exhaust, overcome (*with fatigue*).

**Beat the air.** Make vain efforts, waste one's efforts, try in vain, lash the waves, fish in the air, plough the sands.

**Beau,** *n* 1. Fop, dandy, coxcomb, exquisite, macaroni, popinjay, jackanapes, jack-a-dandy, man of dress, carpet knight, ladies' man.
2. Gallant, lover, admirer, suitor, sweetheart, *cicisbeo.*

**Beau ideal.** [Fr.] Ideal beauty, ideal excellence, ideal standard, ideal, realized ideal, perfection, consummation, consummate flower.

**Beau-monde,** *n.* [Fr.] Gay world, fashionable world, people of fashion, world of fashion, elegant world, people of gayety.

**Beauteous,** *a.* (*Poetical.*) See BEAUTIFUL.

**Beauties,** *n. pl.* 1. Anthology, selections, elegant extracts, fine passages.
2. Beautiful traits, features, *or* characteristics, attractions, charms.
3. Beautiful women, belles, fair ones.

**Beautiful,** *a.* Handsome, fair, fine, elegant, graceful, beauteous.

**Beautify,** *v. a.* Adorn, decorate, embellish, deck, bedeck, ornament, emblazon, gild, array, garnish, grace, set, trick out, set off, make beautiful.

**Beauty,** *n.* 1. Elegance, grace, symmetry.
2. Comeliness, seemliness, fairness, loveliness, attractiveness.
3. Fine part, special grace, particular excellence, beautiful trait, feature, *or* characteristic, attraction, charm.
4. Beautiful woman, belle.

**Beaux-esprits,** *n. pl.* [Fr.] Wits, men of wit, men of genius.

**Beaver,** *n.* 1. Fur of the beaver.
2. Hat.
3. Face-guard (*of a helmet*), bever, bevor, beevor.

**Be beat out.** Be exhausted, be fagged, be worn out, be tired out, be greatly fatigued.

**Be brought to bed.** Be confined, lie in, be in child-bed, be in the straw.

**Becafico,** *n.* Fig-eater, fig-pecker, greater pettychaps, garden warbler, becafigo, beccafico (*Sylvia hortensis*).

**Be called.** Be named, go by the name of, take the name of, pass under the name of.

**Becalm,** *v. a.* 1. Quiet, soothe, still, calm, tranquillize, pacify, appease, make calm, make tranquil.
2. Detain by a calm (*as a ship*), affect, overtake, *or* surround by a calm.

**Be cast away.** I. Be thrown aside, be rejected, discarded.
2. Be shipwrecked.
3. Be lost (*morally*), ruined, given over, cast out, outcast, *or* reprobate (d).
**Because,** *conj.* For, since, as, for the cause that, for the reason that, on this account that, inasmuch as.
**Because of.** On account of, by reason of, by cause of, by virtue of, on the ground of, owing to, due to, for, from, through, by.
**Beccabunga,** *n.* Brooklime, broklympe, veronica.
**Beccamoschino,** *n.* Fantail warbler.
**Bechance,** *v. a.* Befall, happen to.
**Becharm,** *v. a.* Charm, captivate, enchant, enchain, fascinate, cast a spell on.
**Bêche-de-mer,** *n.* [Fr.] Trepang, sea-cucumber, sea-slug, holothuria.
**Beck,** *n.* I. Nod, bow, beckon, knowing look *or* gesture, gesture of invitation *or* command.
2. Brook, brooklet, rill, run, runlet, runnel.
3. Vat, dye-vat, back.
**Beck,** *v. a.* Beckon, nod to, signal to come, invite by signs.
**Beck,** *v. n.* Nod, beckon, gesture invitingly *or* commandingly.
**Beckon,** *v. n.* Make a sign, give a signal, call *or* invite by gesture.
**Beckon,** *v. a.* Call by a sign *or* signal, invite, wave toward one.
**Becloud,** *v. a.* Dim, bedim, obscure, darken, bedarken, cloud.
**Become,** *v. n.* Get, grow, turn to, change to, be changed to, be converted into, be turned into, be transformed into, get to be, come to be.
**Become,** *v. a.* Suit, befit, adorn, set off, be suitable to, be proper for, be appropriate to.
**Become of.** Be the fate of, be the end of, be the final condition of, befall, bechance, happen to, be the place *or* whereabouts of.
**Becoming,** *a.* I. Fit, proper, suitable, meet, appropriate, congruous, right, seemly, decorous.
2. Comely, graceful, neat, pretty.
**Be confined.** I. Be restrained, be shut up, be shut in.
2. Be brought to bed, lie in, be in child-bed, be delivered, come to labor, be in travail, be in the straw.
**Bed,** *n.* I. Couch, berth, resting-place, place to sleep in.
2. Channel, hollow, depression.
3. Receptacle, resting-place, foundation, base, support, underlayer.
4. Raised plot (*of ground*).
5. Layer, stratum, seam, vein, deposit, accumulation.
**Bed,** *v. a.* Embed, set, lay.
**Bedaub,** *v. a.* Smear, daub, besmear, soil, daub over.
**Bedeck,** *v. a.* Adorn, decorate, embellish, beautify, ornament, deck, emblazon, gild, array, garnish, grace, bedizen, set out, set off, trick out. See ARRAY.
**Bedew,** *v. a.* Moisten, wet, damp, dampen, sprinkle, besprinkle.
**Bedim,** *v. a.* Darken, bedarken, dim, obscure, cloud, becloud.
**Bedizen,** *v. a.* Adorn (*gaudily*), deck, bedeck, trick out, begawd, prank.
**Bedlam,** *n.* Madhouse, lunatic hospital, lunatic asylum, hospital for the insane.
**Bedlamite,** *n.* Madman, lunatic, maniac, crazy person, insane person, deranged person.
**Bedouin,** *n.* Nomadic Arab.
**Bedridden,** *a.* Confined to bed.
**Beef,** *n.* Flesh of neat-cattle.
**Bee-house,** *n.* Apiary, beehive.
**Bee-line,** *n.* Straight line, right line, air-line, shortest distance, most direct line.
**Beelzebub,** *n.* (*Popular error for following word.*)
**Beelzebul,** *n.* Beelzebub (*popularly*), Satan, Prince of Demons. See APOLLYON.
**Bee-moth,** *n.* Wax-moth.
**Beetle,** *n.* I. Mallet, maul.
2. Coleopter, scarabæus, scarab, scarabee, clock.
**Beetle,** *v. n.* Protrude, project, jut, jut out, hang over.
**Beetle-head,** *n.* Simpleton, fool. See DUNCE.
**Beetle-headed,** *a.* Dull, stupid, obtuse, foolish, senseless, witless, insensible, sluggish, stolid, mindless, brainless, weak-headed, addle-headed, addle-pated, blunder-headed, muddle-headed, beef-witted, bovine, fat-headed, dull-brained, shallow-brained, lack-witted, short-witted, dull-witted, blunt-witted, shallow-pated, clod-pated, thick-skulled, wanting, heavy, doltish, sottish, blockish, wooden-headed, dunderheaded, bull-headed, slow, slow of apprehension, void of understanding.
**Beeves,** *n. pl.* Neat-cattle.
**Befall,** *v. a.* Betide, overtake, bechance, happen to.
**Befall,** *v. n.* Happen, chance, betide, supervene, occur, take place, come to pass.
**Befit,** *v. a.* Suit, fit, become, be suitable *or* proper for, be appropriate for, comport with, be in keeping with.
**Befitting,** *a.* Becoming, suitable, fit, proper, right, meet, seemly, appropriate, congruous, decorous.
**Befog,** *v. a.* I. Cover with fog, shroud in fog, wrap in mist.
2. Confuse, mystify, muddle, obfuscate, puzzle, perplex, embarrass, bewilder.
**Befool,** *v. a.* Infatuate, fool, dupe, deceive, delude, cheat, chouse, trick, hoax, stultify, hoodwink, circumvent, overreach, beguile, impose upon, practise upon, play upon, make a fool of. See BAMBOOZLE.
**Before,** *prep.* I. Preceding, in advance of, ahead of, in front of, in the van of.
2. Prior to, previous to.
3. In the presence of, face to face with, in the sight of.
4. Near the front of, in front of.
5. Under the jurisdiction, judgment, control, *or* notice of.
**Before,** *ad.* I. Toward the front.
2. In advance, farther onward, ahead.
3. Formerly, in time past, of old, already, previously.
4. Hitherto, up to that time.
5. Above, in a former part, in a previous place *or* passage.
**Beforehand,** *ad.* Previously, in anticipation, in advance.
**Beforehand,** *a.* Forehanded, in comfortable circumstances (*as respects property*), well off, well to do.
**Before the wind.** With the wind, in the direction of the wind.
**Befoul,** *v. a.* Soil, pollute, daggle, draggle, foul, bemire, dirty. See BEDAUB.
**Befriend,** *v. a.* Favor, encourage, patronize, countenance, help, aid, benefit, act as a friend to, do a good turn for, be kind to. See ASSIST.
**Beg,** *v. a.* I. Crave, solicit, beseech, pray, implore, supplicate, conjure, importune, petition, request, ask, pray for, petition for, seek by petition, sue for, ask earnestly.
2. Crave permission, solicit leave, desire earnestly, take leave, take the liberty, demand.

3. Assume, take for granted, assume without proof, *or* without warrant.

**Beg,** *v. n.* Solicit charity, ask alms.

**Begawd,** *v. a.* Bedeck (tawdrily), prank. See BEDIZEN.

**Beget,** *v. a.* 1. Generate, procreate, engender, breed, get, be the father of.

2. Produce, originate, give rise to, lead to, bring about.

**Beggar,** *n.* Mendicant, pauper, starveling, poor *or* indigent person.

**Beggar,** *v. a.* 1. Impoverish, ruin, render poor, reduce to poverty, bring to want.

2. Exhaust, surpass, exceed, baffle, go beyond, be above, put at fault, show to be inadequate.

**Beggarly,** *a.* 1. Destitute, indigent, needy, poor.

2. Sorry, mean, abject, base, low, paltry, shabby, vile, scurvy, miserable, contemptible, despicable, pitiful, pitiable, servile, slavish, grovelling, mean-spirited, niggardly, stingy, scant, wretched, miserly, stinted.

**Beggar's-lice,** *n.* Goose-grass (*Galium aparine*).

**Beggary,** *n.* Poverty, indigence, penury, destitution, want, distress, mendicancy, mendicity.

**Begin,** *v. n.* 1. Originate, arise, take rise.

2. Commence, make a beginning, take the first step, break ground, break the ice.

**Begin,** *v. a.* Commence, initiate, inaugurate, institute, originate, start, enter upon, set about, set on foot, set in operation, set going.

**Beginner,** *n.* 1. Originator, starter, author, initiator, inaugurator, prime mover.

2. Tyro, novice, learner, neophyte.

**Beginning,** *n.* 1. Commencement, outset, opening, start, initiation, inauguration, inception, rise, arising, emergence.

2. Origin, source, rise.

**Begird,** *v. a.* 1. Gird, bind with a girdle.

2. Surround, encompass, environ, encircle, enclose, engird.

**Begone,** *interj.* 1. Depart, avaunt, go away, haste away, be off, get thee gone.

2. Away, let us go, let us be off.

**Begrim,** *v. a.* Defile, befoul, besmirch, bedaub, pollute, cover with filth.

**Begrudge,** *v. a.* Grudge, envy the possession of.

**Beguile,** *v. a.* 1. Delude, cheat, deceive. See BEFOOL.

2. Divert, amuse, entertain, cheer, solace, while away.

**Behalf,** *n.* Benefit, advantage, convenience, profit, interest, account, behoof, support, defence.

**Be hanged.** Come to the gallows.

**Behave,** *v. n.* Act, conduct one's self, deport one's self, demean one's self, acquit one's self, behave one's self.

**Behave one's self.** 1. See BEHAVE.

2. Do right, avoid doing wrong, keep orderly, conduct one's self well.

**Behavior,** *n.* Deportment, bearing, demeanor, carriage, manner, mien, air, port. See CONDUCT.

**Behead,** *v. a.* Decapitate, decollate, deprive of the head.

**Beheading,** *n.* Decapitation, decollation.

**Behest,** *n.* Command, commandment, mandate, order, precept, injunction, direction, charge, bidding, hest.

**Behind,** *prep.* 1. Abaft, at the back of, in the rear of.

2. After, following.

**Behind,** *ad.* 1. Backward, back.

2. Abaft, aft, astern, rearward, in the rear, at the back.

**Behindhand,** *a.* 1. Backward, late, tardy, after the usual time, behind time, too late.

2. In arrears (*with work*), behind time, not well enough advanced, in a backward state, not in a forward state, behind one's dues, not up.

3. In arrears (*as to money*), burdened with liabilities, in debt, embarrassed.

**Behind the curtain.** 1. Hid, invisible, concealed, in concealment, out of sight.

2. In the secret, let into the secret, acquainted with the inner mechanism *or* motives, behind the scenes.

**Behind the scenes.** See under 2, preceding.

**Behind the veil.** 1. Hid from mortal vision, beyond our (or *mortal*) ken, in the other world, beyond the veil, beyond the grave, in the eternal world, in the realms beyond sense, in the supersensible regions.

2. Into the eternal secret, into that which is hidden, into the mystery of the other world, into the supreme mystery, within the veil, into the realms supersensible.

**Behold,** *v. a.* See, observe, contemplate, eye, survey, consider, regard, view, descry, discern, look upon, set one's eyes on

**Behold,** *interj.* See, look, observe, mark, lo.

**Beholden,** *a.* 1. Obliged, indebted, bound, in debt, obligated, under obligation.

2. Obliged, grateful, thankful, devoted.

**Beholder,** *n.* Observer, spectator, looker-on, bystander, witness.

**Behoof,** *n.* Advantage, benefit, profit, interest, account. See BEHALF.

**Behoove,** *v. a.* 1. Become, befit, beseem, be fit for, be proper for, be meet for.

2. Be necessary *or* needful for, be binding *or* obligatory on, be one's duty.

**Be in earnest.** Be serious, be thorough, be thoroughgoing, be resolute *or* determined, be not jesting.

**Being,** *n.* 1. Existence, subsistence, reality, actuality.

2. Essence, essential being, inmost nature, substance, inner reality, life, vital principle, root, core, heart, centre of life.

3. Sentient, conscious, *or* personal agent, living thing, creature, living being.

**Be in the ascendant.** Have superior influence, have commanding influence.

**Be in the wrong box.** Mistake, err, make a mistake. See BARK UP THE WRONG TREE.

**Be it so.** 1. Suppose it to be so, granted, grant it, admit it.

2. Amen, so be it, let it be so.

**Belabor,** *v. a.* Thump, bethump, strike, knock, lay blows upon. See BEAT.

**Belate,** *v. a.* 1. Delay, retard, render tardy, make too late.

2. Delay into night, benight, cover with darkness *or* night.

**Belated,** *a.* 1. Delayed, retarded, hindered, made late.

2. Overtaken by night, out late in the night, overtaken by darkness, caught in *or* by the dark.

**Belaud,** *v. a.* Overlaud, overpraise, cover with laudations, load with praises, praise lavishly.

**Belay,** *v. a.* (*Naut.*) Fasten, make fast.

**Belch,** *v. a.* 1. Eject from the stomach, throw up, eject, vomit, expel.

2. Throw out violently, cast forth, discharge, emit, vomit, eject, expel, hurl forth.

**Belch,** *v. n.* 1. Eructate, eject wind from the stomach.

2. Be ejected violently, rush forth, gush.

**Belching,** *n.* Eructation.

**Beldam,** } *n.* Hag, Jezebel, virago, vixen, fury,
**Beldame,** } old hag.

**Beleaguer,** *v. a.* 1. Besiege, invest, beset, blockade, lay siege to.

2. Beset, encompass, encumber, block up, environ, surround, obstruct.

**Bel-esprit,** *n.* [Fr. *pl. Beaux-esprits.*] Wit, man of wit, man of genius.

**Belfry,** *n.* Campanile, bell-tower.

**Belial,** *n.* Satan. See APOLLYON.

**Belie,** *v. a.* 1. Falsify, misrepresent, represent falsely.

2. Give the lie to, convict of falsehood, show to be false, charge with falsehood.

3. Contradict, controvert, go counter *or* contrary to.

4. Load with lies, lie about, slander, calumniate.

**Belief,** *n.* 1. Believing (*the active phase of the fact*), persuasion, conviction, confidence, trust, reliance, assurance, feeling of certainty. See FAITH.

2. Being believed (*the passive phase*), credence, credit, acceptance, assent, currency.

3. Creed (*the thing* or *things believed*), doctrine, tenet *or* tenets, dogma, opinion, view, article of faith, profession of faith.

**Believe,** *v. a.* Credit, give credit to, think to be true, give faith to, put faith in, rely upon, make no doubt of, put confidence in, be persuaded, convinced, confident, *or* sure of, assent to, trust, confide in.

**Believe,** *v. n.* 1. Exercise faith, have faith, have a firm persuasion.

2. Think, suppose, conceive, fancy, apprehend, imagine, hold, be of opinion, entertain the idea, take it. See OPINE.

**Believe in.** 1. Trust, have confidence in, place reliance on.

2. Be convinced of, be for, be in favor of, approve of, go in for.

**Belike,** *ad.* (*Colloq.*) Probably, perhaps, perchance, peradventure, mayhap, it may be, it is likely.

**Belladonna,** *n.* Banewort, dwale, deadly nightshade (*Atropa belladonna*).

**Belle,** *n.* Beauty, toast, fair damsel.

**Belles-lettres,** *n. pl.* [Fr.] Polite literature, elegant literature, polite letters, elegant letters, the humanities.

**Belligerent,** *a.* 1. Carrying on war, engaged in war, waging war, contending, in conflict, at war, in arms.

2. Of belligerents, pertaining to parties at war.

3. Antagonistic, rival, contending, hostile, conflicting, opposed, adverse.

4. Warlike, hostile.

5. Bellicose, pugnacious, contentious, quarrelsome, full of fight.

**Belligerent,** *n.* Belligerent state *or* nation, party to war, contending party, antagonist, rival, combatant, opponent.

**Bellow,** *v. n.* 1. Roar (*as a beast*).

2. Vociferate, clamor, yell, howl, cry, bawl, make a loud outcry.

**Bell-pepper,** *n.* Red pepper, Guinea pepper (*Capsicum annuum, Capsicum grossum*).

**Bell-shaped,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Campanulate.

**Belly,** *n.* 1. Abdomen, paunch.

2. Convexity, swell, swelling, bulge, protuberance.

3. Concavity, hollow, deep, depth *or* depths, recesses, womb, bosom, bowels, cave, cavernous depths, *penetralia.*

**Belly,** *v. a.* Inflate, swell out, fill, round, round out.

**Belly,** *v. n.* Swell, swell out, protrude, be protuberant.

**Belonging,** *n.* 1. Endowment, attribute, quality, gift.

2. Property, goods and chattels, estate, possession.

3. Appendage, appurtenance, appliance, accessory (*which see*).

**Belong to.** 1. Be the property of, be possessed by, be owned by.

2. Be an attribute *or* quality *or* characteristic *or* mark of, characterize, pertain *or* appertain to, inhere in, be the prerogative *or* right of, be the privilege of.

3. Regard, relate to, refer to, have reference to.

4. Be appendant to, constitute a part of, be connected with.

5. Behoove, concern, be incumbent on, be the duty of, devolve on, be the business *or* concern of.

6. Be domiciled in, live in, come from, have one's legal home in, reside in, inhabit.

7. Originate in, spring from, come from, be native of.

**Belong with.** Go with, should be appended to *or* joined with, be designed to be connected with.

**Beloved,** *a.* Dear, darling, much loved.

**Below,** *prep.* 1. Under, beneath, underneath.

2. Unbecoming, unworthy of.

**Below,** *ad.* 1. Under, beneath, underneath.

2. On the earth, in this world, in the present life, in time, in the world of sense.

3. In hell, in the lower regions, in the under world, among the shades, in the world of the departed, in the regions of the dead.

**Belt,** *n.* 1. Girdle, cincture, cestus, band, zone, girth.

2. Strip, zone, stretch, long and narrow piece *or* region.

3. Constraint, restraint, check.

**Bemire,** *v. a.* Daggle, draggle, bedaggle, bedraggle, besmirch, mire, muddy, befoul, foul, dirty, soil.

**Bemoan,** *v. a.* Bewail, lament, deplore, moan over, mourn over, express sorrow for.

**Bemused,** *a.* Stupefied, confused, bewildered, muddled, muzzy, tipsy, half-seas-over, half-drunk.

**Bench,** *n.* 1. Long seat, seat, form.

2. Work-bench.

3. [With *The.*] Judge's seat, woolsack.

4. Court, tribunal, body of judges, rank of a judge.

**Bend,** *v a.* 1. Curve, crook, bow, incurvate, flex, make crooked, deflect, draw.

2. Direct, turn, incline.

3. Exert, apply (*earnestly*), direct (*attentively*).

4. [*Usually in the passive.*] Incline, determine, resolve, set.

5. Subdue, cause to yield, bring to submission, make submissive, persuade, influence, mould, dispose, bias.

6. (*Naut.*) Fasten, make fast.

**Bend,** *v. n.* 1. Crook deflect, deviate, swerve, diverge, incline, be crooked, be bent, be curved.

2. Lean, incline, turn, deflect, deviate, diverge.

3. Overhang, jut out, jut, beetle.

4. Bow, stoop, lower *or* lour, hang low.

5. Yield, submit, bow, stoop, kneel, give way.

6. Condescend, stoop, deign, be gracious.

**Bend,** *n.* 1. Curve, curvity, curvature, flexure, angle, elbow, crook, incurvation, turn, turning, arcuation.

2. Bight, coil.

**Beneath,** *prep.* 1. Under, underneath, below.

2. Unbecoming, unbefitting, unworthy of below the level of.

**Beneath,** *ad.* See BELOW, *ad.*

**Benedick,** } *n.* Newly married man, neogamist.
**Benedict,** }
**Benedictine,** *n.* Blackfriar.
**Benediction,** *n.* 1. Blessing, benison, invocation of happiness, beatitude.
2. Gratitude, thanks, thanksgiving, devout praise.
3. Benefit, blessing, grace, favor, boon, benison, beatitude.
**Benefaction,** *n.* Gift, donation, gratuity, grant, offering, contribution, boon, present, alms, charity.
**Benefactor,** *n.* 1. Succorer, well-doer, savior, beneficent friend.
2. Patron, favorer, supporter, upholder, contributor, friend.
**Benefice,** *n.* Ecclesiastical living.
**Beneficence,** *n.* Charity, bounty, liberality, generosity, alms-giving, active goodness, kind action, doing of good.
**Beneficent,** *a.* 1. Bountiful, benevolent, kind, liberal, generous, bounteous, princely, munificent.
2. Benign, favorable, beneficial, benignant, salutary.
**Beneficial,** *a.* Useful, profitable, advantageous, helpful, serviceable, salutary, wholesome, favorable, good for one's advantage, for one's good, for one's interest.
**Benefit,** *n.* 1. Favor, service, act of kindness, good turn, kind office.
2. Advantage, profit, avail, gain, good, utility, behalf, behoof, account, interest.
**Benefit,** *v. a.* 1. Befriend, help, serve, do good to, be useful to, advance the interest of, confer a favor on, do a good turn *or* kind office to.
2. Profit, advantage, avail, be of advantage to.
**Benevolence,** *n.* 1. Kindness, benignity, kind-heartedness, humanity, humaneness, philanthropy, tenderness, charitableness, good-will, altruism, unselfishness, disposition to do good, milk of human kindness.
2. Charity, benefaction, beneficence, alms-giving, charitable effort(s).
**Benevolent,** *a.* Kind, benignant, benign, kind-hearted, obliging, humane, tender, charitable, generous, liberal, philanthropic, altruistic, unselfish, disposed to do good, full of good-will.
**Benighted,** *a.* 1. Overtaken by night, belated, out in the dark.
2. Involved in darkness, profoundly ignorant, sunk in ignorance, unenlightened.
**Benign,** *a.* 1. Kind, kindly, benevolent, gracious, complaisant, humane, obliging, benignant, good, amiable, gentle, friendly, kind-hearted, tender-hearted, of a gentle disposition.
2. Beneficent, most salutary, most propitious, most favorable, benignant, most wholesome, most beneficial.
3. (*Med.*) Mild, of a mild nature.
**Benignant,** *a.* Kind. See BENIGN.
**Benignity,** *n.* 1. Kindness, graciousness, benevolence, complaisance, humanity, amiability, gentleness, amenity, friendliness, kind-heartedness, fellow-feeling, good feeling, good-humor, good temper, obliging manner.
2. (*Rare.*) Mildness.
**Benison,** *n.* Blessing. See BENEDICTION.
**Benne,** *n.* Sesame, oil-plant, tilseed, vangloe, bene.
**Bent,** *n.* 1. Disposition, inclination, tendency, turn, *penchant*, learning, bias, propensity, proclivity, predisposition, predilection, partiality, liking, fondness, proneness, appetency.
2. Bent-grass, wiry grass, agrostis.
3. Dried reed, stalk.
4. Wild land, hill, moor, wild.
**Bent,** *a.* Crooked, hooked, bowed, curved, flexed, deflected, aduncous, arcuate, incurvate.
**Bent on.** Resolved, determined, fixed, *or* set on.
**Benumb,** *v. a.* Stupefy, paralyze, deaden, blunt, make torpid, render insensible.
**Benzoin,** } *n.* Gumbenjamin, benjamin, friar's
**Benzoine,** } balsam.
**Benzole,** *n.* Benzolin (e), benzine, benzene.
**Be of opinion.** Think, believe, conclude, judge, suppose, imagine, fancy, apprehend, deem, ween, opine, hold, methinks, entertain the idea, take it.
**Be on the carpet.** Be under consideration, be upon the tapis.
**Bepraise,** *v. a.* Puff, overpraise. See BELAUD.
**Bequeath,** *v. a.* 1. Leave, demise, devise, will, give by will.
2. Transmit, hand down, impart.
**Bequest,** *n.* Legacy, devise.
**Berate,** *v. a.* 1. Scold, chide, reprimand, rate.
2. Abuse, vilify, defame, betongue, rail at. See ASPERSE.
**Bereave,** *v. a.* 1. Deprive (*of something that cannot be restored*), dispossess, rob, divest, strip, despoil, spoil, take away from, make destitute of.
2. Deprive of friend *or* kindred, afflict with personal loss, render lorn.
**Bereaved,** *p.* and *a.* Deprived of friend *or* kindred, desolate, lorn.
**Bereavement,** *n.* Deprivation, loss (*especially of friends by death*).
**Bereft,** *p.* and *a.* Stripped, deprived, destitute, despoiled.
**Bernardine,** *n.* Cistercian.
**Berth,** *n.* (*Naut.*) 1. Ship's station.
2. Bed, place to sleep in.
3. Situation, office, post, appointment, employment, place.
**Beseech,** *v. a.* 1. Entreat, beg, implore, supplicate, petition, conjure, importune, pray to. See ADJURE.
2. Solicit, ask, entreat, beg, implore, importune, plead for, crave, petition for, pray for, beg for.
**Beseem,** *v. a.* Become, befit, behoove, be proper for, be appropriate for, be meet for.
**Be seized of.** Possess, have possession of, be possessed of.
**Be selfish.** Consult one's own wishes, interest, *or* pleasure, take care of, *or* look out for, number one, have an eye to the main chance.
**Beset,** *v. a.* 1. Surround, encompass, environ, encircle, enclose, besiege, hem in. See BELEAGUER.
2. Embarrass, perplex, entangle.
3. Set, bestud, bestick, set about, engirdle, encircle, decorate, ornament, embellish, garnish.
**Beshrew,** *v. a.* Execrate, curse, wish evil to, implore a curse upon.
**Beside,** *prep.* 1. Near, close to, at the side of, by the side of.
2. Aside from, out of the way of, out of the course of, not according to.
3. Out of, not in possession of.
**Besides,** *prep.* Except, save, over and above, in addition to, distinct from.
**Besides,** } *ad.* 1. Moreover, too, also, further-
**Beside,** } more, more than that, over and above, in addition, yet.
2. Else, more, further, beyond that, in addition.
**Besiege,** *v. a.* Surround (*with a military force*), beset, invest, lay siege to. See BELEAGUER.
**Besmear,** *v. a.* 1. Bedaub, daub, smear, bespatter, beplaster, beslime, daub over.
2. Defile, soil, foul, befoul, besmirch, pollute, contaminate.

**Besot,** *v. a.* 1. Intoxicate, steep, drench, soak.
2. Stupefy, make sottish, make foolish *or* stupid.
3. Infatuate, stultify, befool, intoxicate, delude

**Bespatter,** *v. a.* Spatter (*usually with something filthy*), bedaub. See BESMEAR.

**Bespeak,** *v. a.* 1. Order, speak for beforehand, engage.
2. Solicit, speak for.
3. Address, speak to, accost.
4. Indicate, imply, proclaim, declare, betoken, evince, show.

**Besprinkle,** *v. a.* Sprinkle, bedew, bestrew, sprinkle over, scatter over, cover with drops *or* spray.

**Best,** *a.* 1. Most good, most excellent, superlatively good, good in the highest degree.
2. Most wise, most judicious, most expedient. See the various meanings of GOOD.

**Best,** *ad.* 1. Most of all, in the highest degree, beyond all others.
2. With most propriety, most profitably *or* advantageously, to the greatest advantage.
3. Most intimately, most thoroughly, most completely.
4. With the highest qualification, by the clearest title.

**Best,** *n.* 1. Highest perfection, highest good, greatest good.
2. Utmost, highest endeavor, whatever in one lies, all that one can, the most that can be done.

**Bestial,** *a.* 1. Beastlike, brutal, brutelike, brute, irrational.
2. Beastly, brutal, brutish, vile, low, depraved, degraded, degrading, sensual.

**Bestir one's self.** Labor, work, toil, strive, be alert, hasten, lose no time, be lively, look alive, fall to work, exert one's self, rouse one's self, trouble one's self, busy one's self, take pains, be busy, be active, be quick, bear a hand.

**Bestow,** *v. a.* 1. Put, place, stow, store, deposit, dispose, lay away, lay up in store.
2. Give, accord, grant, impart. See CONFER.

**Bestowal, Bestowing, Bestowment,** *n.* 1. Putting, placing, stowing, stowage, storing, storage, disposing.
2. Giving, grant, granting, imparting, impartation, conferring.

**Bestower,** *n.* Giver, disposer, donor (*law*), donator.

**Bestrew,** *v. a.* Strew, sprinkle, scatter, bescatter, besprinkle, spread, bespread.

**Bestride,** *v. a.* 1. Straddle, stride over.
2. Ride astraddle upon.
3. Bespan, arch over.
4. Overrule, rule over, dominate, overmaster, control, weigh upon, overawe.

**Bet,** *n.* Wager, stake.

**Bet,** *v. n.* Wager, lay a wager, make a bet.

**Bet,** *v. a.* Stake, pledge, wager, lay, wage.

**Betake one's self.** Resort, repair, apply, have recourse.

**Bethink one's self.** Consider, reflect, ponder, rouse one's thoughts, take thought.

**Betide,** *v. a.* Befall, overtake, bechance, happen to, come to.

**Betide,** *v. n.* Happen, befall, bechance, come to pass, occur, take place.

**Betime, Betimes,** *ad.* Seasonably, in season, in good season, in time, in good time, before it is too late, early, soon.

**Betoken,** *v. a.* 1. Signify, denote, indicate, represent, typify, imply, prove, evince, show, argue, betray.
2. Prefigure, foreshow, foreshadow, foretell, presage, portend, augur, presignify.

**Betray,** *v. a.* 1. Deliver up (*by breach of trust*), give up treacherously, give over to the foe.
2. Violate, break, prove recreant to, let perish, be false to.
3. Violate the confidence of, disclose the secrets of, deceive by treachery
4. Divulge, reveal, discover, expose, tell, blab, show, make known.
5. Display, exhibit, manifest, show, indicate, imply, betoken, argue, evince, expose, reveal, uncover.
6. Mislead, lure, ensnare, entrap, beguile, delude, inveigle.
7. Seduce, ruin, corrupt, undo, lead astray.

**Betroth,** *v. a.* Affiance, plight, pledge in marriage, engage to marry.

**Betrothal, Betrothment,** *n.* Engagement, betrothing, affiancing, plighting.

**Better,** *a.* 1. More good, more excellent, good in a higher degree.
2. More useful, more valuable.
3. Preferable, more desirable, more acceptable.
4. More fit, more appropriate, more suitable.
5. Improved in health, less ill.
6. More familiar, more intimate. See various meanings of GOOD.

**Better,** *n.* 1. Superiority, advantage, victory, upper hand.
2. Improvement, greater good.
3. Superior.
4. Bettor, wagerer, taker of odds.

**Better,** *ad.* 1. In a superior manner, in a more excellent way, more fully, more completely.
2. With greater advantage, more usefully *or* profitably.
3. More, in a higher degree.

**Better,** *v. a.* Improve, amend, emend, meliorate, ameliorate, reform, correct, rectify, advance, promote, make *or* render better.

**Better,** *v. n.* Grow, get, *or* become better, improve, advance, mend, come up.

**Better-half,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Wife.

**Bettering,** *n.* Improvement, amendment, melioration, amelioration, betterment.

**Between,** *prep.* Betwixt.

**Betwixt,** *prep.* [*Nearly obsolete*]. Between.

**Be upon the tapis.** Be under consideration, be on the carpet.

**Bevel,** *n.* Chamfer, slope, inclination.

**Bevel,** *v. a.* Chamfer.

**Beverage,** *n.* Drink, potion

**Bevy,** *n.* 1. Flock, covey, swarm, flight.
2. Company (*especially of women*), group, throng, flock, party.

**Bewail,** *v. a.* Bemoan, lament, deplore, rue, grieve for *or* over, mourn for, mourn over, express sorrow for.

**Bewail,** *v. n.* Mourn, moan, lament, sorrow, grieve.

**Beware,** *v. n.* Mind, take care, be cautious, be wary, be careful, look out.

**Bewilder,** *v. a.* Perplex, confound, confuse, embarrass, puzzle, stagger, pose, nonpluss, mystify, entangle, daze, befog, muddle, bemuddle.

**Bewilderment,** *n.* Perplexity, embarrassment, confusion, entanglement, mystification, daze, maze, muddle.

**Bewitch,** *v. a.* Charm, fascinate, enchant, captivate, transport, enravish, enrapture, entrance.

**Be with child.** Be pregnant, be big, be on the increase, be *enceinte*, be in the family way.

**Beyond,** *prep.* 1. On the farther side of, over, across, on the other side of.
2. Before, at a distance before.
3. Remote from, out of the reach of, out of the grasp of.
4. Farther than.

5. Above, superior to, exceeding, in advance of.

**Beyond,** *ad.* Yonder, at a distance.

**Bezonian,** *n.* Beggar, wretch, pauper, tatterdemalion, ragamuffin, vagabond, scrub, *sans culotte*, Pariah.

**Bhang, Bang, Beng,** *n.* 1. Indian hemp (*Cannabis Indica*). 2. Hashish (*or* hasheesh).

**Bias,** *n.* Inclination, bent, leaning, tendency, predilection, prepossession, proclivity, proneness, propensity, partiality, prejudice disposition, predisposition, turn, *penchant*.

**Bias,** *v. a.* Influence, incline, prejudice, dispose, predispose, bend.

**Bible,** *n.* [Used with *The* prefixed.] The Scriptures, the Old and New Testaments, the sacred volume, the Book of books, the Word of God.

**Biblical,** *a.* Scriptural.

**Bibliography,** *n.* 1. History of editions, history of publications.

2. Literature (*of a given subject*), pertinent *or* relevant literature.

**Bibliomania,** *n.* Book-madness, bibliomany.

**Bibliopole,** *n.* Bookseller, bibliopolist.

**Bibliotheca,** *n.* Library, collection of books, bibliotheke.

**Bibliothecal,** *a.* Of a library, pertaining to a library.

**Bibulous,** *a.* 1. Spongy, porous, absorbent, imbibing.

2. Drinking, intemperate, tippling, fond of drink, cup-loving, soaking.

**Bicephalous,** *a.* 1 Bicipital, bicipitous, two-headed, double-headed.

2. (*Anat.*) Double-attached, bicipital, bicipitous, biceps, with two origins.

**Bichloride of mercury.** Corrosive sublimate.

**Bicker,** *v. n.* 1. Wrangle, dispute, quarrel, spar, spat, jangle, squabble, have words, have an altercation.

2. Quiver, tremble, vibrate, play, be tremulous.

3. Clatter, rattle, clash.

**Bickering,** *n.* Dispute, quarrel, wrangle, wrangling, jangle, jarring, jangling, sparring, altercation, dissension, contention, strife, war of words.

**Bicorn, Bicorned, Bicornous,** *a.* Two-horned, crescented, crescent-shaped, crescentic, bicornute.

**Bicuspid, Bicuspidate,** *a.* Two-pointed, two-fanged, two-pronged, double-pronged.

**Bid,** *n.* Offer (*of a price*), bidding, proposal.

**Bid,** *v. a.* 1. Command, order, require, charge, enjoin, direct, summon.

2. Invite, ask, request, call, solicit, pray.

3. Wish, greet, say.

4. Offer, propose, proffer, tender.

**Bidding,** *n.* 1. Command, order, direction, injunction, precept, behest, requisition, mandate, appointment.

2. Offer (*of a price*), bid, proposal.

**Biddy,** *n.* 1. Housemaid, domestic, maid, servant-girl.

2. Chicken, chick, chickabiddy.

**Bide,** *v. a.* 1. Endure, suffer, tolerate, bear, put up with, submit to, abide.

2. Abide, await, wait for.

**Bide,** *v. n.* 1. Dwell, abide, stay, have one's home.

2. Remain, abide, wait, stay, lie still.

**Bidental,** *a.* Two-toothed, bidentate, bidentated, bidented, bidential.

**Bid fair.** Promise, seem likely, offer a good prospect, present a fair prospect, make a fair promise.

**Bifid,** *a* Cloven, cleft, forked, bifurcate (d), bifidate (d).

**Bifurcate, Bifurcated,** *a.* Forked, two-pronged, two-branched, bifurcous.

**Bifurcation,** *n.* Forking, branching, diverging, divergence.

**Big,** *a.* 1. Great, large, huge, bulky, massive, massy.

2. Haughty, arrogant, proud, pompous, important, swelling, swollen, tumid, inflated, boastful, lofty, bombastic, blustering, assuming, self-conceited, self-sufficient.

3. Distended, swollen, inflated, tumid, full.

4. Pregnant, *enceinte*, with child, in the family way, on the increase.

5. Full, teeming, fecund, fruitful, productive.

**Big-bellied,** *a.* Large-bellied, great-bellied, pot-bellied, tun-bellied, abdominous, paunchy.

**Bight,** *n.* 1. (*Naut.*) Bend, coil, round, loop.

2. Bay, inlet, cove.

**Bigot,** *n.* Zealot, fanatic, dogmatist.

**Bigoted,** *a.* Prejudiced, intolerant, obstinate, opiniative, hidebound, dogmatical, narrow-minded, self-opinionated, over-zealous, creed-bound, wedded to an opinion.

**Bigotry,** *n* Prejudice, intolerance, blind zeal, obstinacy, opiniativeness, dogmatism, zealotry, fanaticism.

**Big-sounding,** *a.* High-sounding, magniloquent, altiloquent, tumid, perfervid, inflated.

**Big-wig,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Person of consequence, high official, great personage.

**Big-wigged,** *a.* Consequential, pompous, self-important. See BIG, 2.

**Bijou,** *n.* [Fr.] 1. Jewel, trinket, elegant ornament.

2. Gem, beauty, darling, little darling, little beauty, little dear, little gem.

**Bijouterie,** *n.* Jewelry, jewels, trinkets.

**Bilabiate,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Two-lipped.

**Bilateral,** *a.* Two-sided, with two sides, in two sides.

**Bilbo,** *n.* Rapier, short sword.

**Bilboes,** *n. pl.* Shackles, fetters, gyves, chains, stocks.

**Bile,** *n.* 1. Hepatic excretion.

2. Ill-nature, gall, venom. See ACRIMONY.

**Bile-duct,** *n.* Biliary duct, hepatic duct.

**Bile-stone,** *n.* Gall-stone, biliary calculus.

**Biliary calculus.** Gall-stone, bile-stone.

**Biliary duct.** Bile-duct, hepatic duct.

**Bilk,** *v. a.* Deceive (*by not fulfilling an engagement*), disappoint, frustrate, thwart, balk, leave in the lurch, elude.

**Bill,** *n.* 1. Beak, mandible, neb.

2. Bill-hook, hedge-bill, hedging-knife, brush-cutter.

3. Account, charges, reckoning, score.

4. Statement of particulars.

5. Draft of a law, projected law.

6. Note, note of hand, promissory note, evidence of debt, I. O. U.

7. Placard, poster, broadside, advertisement.

**Bill,** *v. n.* Kiss, caress, fondle, toy, exchange kisses and caresses.

**Billet,** *n.* 1. Note, short letter.

2. Stick, small piece, fagot, splitting.

**Billet,** *v. a.* Assign (*to a lodging-place, as soldiers, by a billet*), apportion, allot, distribute, quarter, place in lodgings.

**Billet,** *v. n.* Be quartered, lodge, have one's quarters.

**Billet-doux,** *n.* [Fr.] Love-letter.

**Billing and cooing.** Caresses, toying, dalliance. See BLANDISHMENT.

**Billingsgate,** *n.* Ribaldry, foul language. See ABUSE, *n.*

**Bill of exchange.** Draft.
**Billow,** *n.* Wave, surge.
**Billow,** *v. n.* Surge, swell, roll, heave, roll in great surges.
**Billowy,** *a* 1. Surging, rolling, heaving, full of surges *or* billows.
2. Fluctuating, rising and falling, heaving, undulating.
**Bimonthly,** *a.* Coming every two months, appearing once in two months, bimensal, bimestrial.
**Bin,** *n.* Bunker, crib, box, receptacle.
**Binary,** *a.* Dual, double, twofold, binal, consisting of two.
**Bind,** *v. a.* 1. Confine, restrain, restrict, put bonds upon.
2. Bandage, wrap, put a bandage round, wrap up, tie up.
3. Tie, fasten, secure.
4. Stitch and cover, put into a binding.
5. Engage, oblige, obligate, make responsible, lay under obligation.
6. Indenture, apprentice, place under indenture.
7. Confirm, ratify, sanction.
8. Put a border round.
**Bind,** *v. n.* 1. Contract, harden, stiffen, shrink.
2. Make sheaves, tie sheaves.
3. Be obligatory, be binding, be valid, hold.
**Binder,** *n.* 1. Sheaf-maker, sheaf-tyer.
2. Bookbinder.
**Bindery,** *n.* Bookbindery, book-binding establishment.
**Binding,** *n.* 1. Bandage, band, fillet.
2. Cover, covering.
**Binding,** *a.* 1. Astringent, contracting, styptic.
2. Obligatory, valid.
**Bindweed,** *n.* Convolvulus, calystegia.
**Bindwith,** *n.* Travellers' joy (*Clematis vitalba*).
**Bindwood,** *n.* Ivy.
**Bine,** *n.* Creeping-stem, climbing-stem, twining-stem.
**Bing,** *n.* Heap, pile.
**Binoxide,** *n.* Deutoxide.
**Biography,** *n.* 1. Life, memoir, personal history.
2. Biographical writings.
**Bioplasm,** *n.* Germinal matter.
**Biotaxy,** *n.* Classification of organic beings.
**Birch,** *n.* 1. Birch-tree, betula.
2. Rod, lash, whip, rattan, ferule.
**Bird,** *n.* Fowl, fowl of the air.
**Bird's-eye view.** 1. View from above, air-view.
2. General survey, rapid glance over, conspectus, synoptical view.
**Bird-witted,** *a.* Flighty, inconsecutive, lacking concentration.
**Birth,** *n.* 1. Nativity, coming into life, origin, beginning, rise.
2. Lineage, extraction, descent, race, family, line, ancestry, blood.
3. Offspring, progeny, creation, creature, production, being.
**Birthday,** *n.* 1. Natal day.
2. Anniversary of one's birth.
**Bisect,** *v. a.* Cut *or* divide into two equal parts, cut in halves, halve.
**Bisection,** *n.* Halving, cutting *or* dividing into two equal parts.
**Bisexual,** *a.* Hermaphrodite, androgynous.
**Bishop,** *n.* 1. Prelate.
2. Bustle, tournure.
**Bishopric,** *n.* Diocese, see, jurisdiction *or* charge of a bishop.
**Bison,** *n.* Aurochs, buffalo (*U. S.*).
**Bissextile,** *n.* Leap-year.
**Bit,** *n.* 1. Mouthful, morsel, crumb, fragment, scrap, piece, small piece.
2. Whit, tittle, jot, iota, particle, atom, grain, mite, ace, scintilla.
3. Bridle-bit, mouth-piece.
4. Boring-tool, borer.
5. Coin (*of small value*), piece.
**Bit,** *v. a.* Bridle, get the bits on.
**Bitch,** *n.* Slut, female dog.
**Bite,** *v a.* 1. Gnaw, chew, champ.
2. Pierce with the teeth, tear, rend, nip.
3. Sting, burn, cause to smart, make smart, make tingle.
4. Grip, grasp, catch, grapple, clutch, cling to, catch hold of, take firm hold of.
5. Blast, nip (*as frost*), blight.
6. Defraud, deceive, cheat, dupe, trick, gull, overreach, jockey, cozen, chouse, outwit, bamboozle, impose upon, beguile, mislead, inveigle, gammon.
**Bite,** *v. n.* See 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 under preceding.
**Biter,** *n.* 1. Render, seizer, tearer, taker.
2. Cheat, cheater, misleader, beguiler, cozener, trickster, jockey, knave.
**Biting,** *a.* 1. Pungent, piquant, hot, sharp, peppery, burning, stinging, high-flavored, high-seasoned.
2. Severe, sarcastic, cutting, caustic.
3. Cold, freezing, nipping, piercing, blasting, blighting.
**Bitter,** *a.* 1. Acrid, tasting like wormwood, like gall.
2. Fierce, savage, cruel, merciless, relentless, virulent, fell, ruthless, dire.
3. Severe, harsh, stern.
4. Distressing, painful, grievous, intense, sore, sorrowful, afflictive, poignant, calamitous.
**Bitter-apple,** *n.* Colocynth, coloquintida, bitter-cucumber, bitter gourd.
**Bitter-cucumber,** *n.* See BITTER-APPLE.
**Bittern,** *n.* Butter-bump, miredrum (*Botaurus*).
**Bitterness,** *n.* 1. Bitter taste, acridity, acridness.
2. Intensity, poignancy, grievousness, severity.
3. Spleen, gall, rankling, rancor, heart-burning, animosity, hatred, malice, malignity, spite, enmity, ill-will, bad blood.
4. Asperity, acerbity, severity, harshness, acrimony, ill-temper.
5. Distress, pain, grief, sorrow, affliction, heaviness, regret, despondency
**Bitter-sweet,** *n.* Woody nightshade (*Solanum dulcamara*).
**Bitterwort,** *n.* Yellow gentian (*Gentiana lutea*).
**Bivalve,** / **Bivalved,** } *a.* Two-valved, bivalvular.
**Bivalvular,** *a.* Two-valved, bivalve(d).
**Bivouac,** *n.* and *v. n.* Halt for the night (*without encamping*).
**Bizarre,** *a.* [Fr.] Odd, fantastic, strange, singular, whimsical, incongruous, extravagant, outlandish.
**Blab,** *v. a.* Betray, disclose, reveal, divulge, let out, speak out, prate abroad, tattle abroad.
**Blab,** *v. n.* Tattle, prattle, prate, blow, blabber, tell tales, tell a secret, let the cat out of the bag, tell tales out of school.
**Blab,** *n.* Prater, tattler, babbler, tell-tale, blabber.
**Black,** *a.* 1. Dark, ebon, inky, atramentous, swarthy.
2. Murky, dusky, pitchy, dingy, Cimmerian, lowering.
3. Dismal, sullen, forbidding, gloomy, dark, depressing, doleful, sombre, mournful, disastrous, calamitous.
4. Wicked, atrocious, villanous, infamous, nefarious, heinous, flagitious, diabolic, infernal, hellish, fiendish, devilish, outrageous, monstrous, horrible.
**Black,** *n.* 1. Black color.
2. Mourning, black garments.

3. Negro, blackamoor, black man, moor, blackey.

**Blackamoor,** *n.* Negro, black, black man, moor, blackey.

**Black art.** Magic, conjuration, sorcery, diabolic art, necromancy, witchcraft, witchery, black magic (*in contrast to white, or innocent*), magical art.

**Blackball,** *v. a.* Exclude (*by black balls*), reject (*by a negative vote*).

**Blackcap,** *n.* Blackcap warbler, mock-nightingale (*Corucca* or *Curruca atricapilla*).

**Black-coat,** *n.* Clergyman, minister, divine, pastor, priest.

**Blackcock,** *n.* Heath-cock, black-grouse, black-game (*Tetrao tetrix*).

**Blacken,** *v. a.* I. Darken, make black.

2. Sully, deface, soil, defile, darken, stain.

3. Vilify, defame, slander, calumniate, asperse, traduce, malign, besmirch, revile, rail at, sneer at, run down, speak ill of. See ABUSE.

**Blacken,** *v. n.* Grow black, darken, gloom, lower, threaten.

**Blackfish,** *n.* Tautog (*Labrus Americanus*).

**Blackfriar,** *n.* Benedictine, dominican, predicant, jacobin, preaching friar, *frère prêcheur*.

**Black-game,** } *n.* See BLACKCOCK
**Black-grouse,** }

**Blackguard,** *n.* Scurrilous *or* abusive fellow, low fellow, vile fellow, scamp, scoundrel, villain, rascal, rogue, rapscallion, loon, lown.

**Blackguard,** *a.* I. Scurrilous, abusive, contumelious, insulting, ribald, vituperative, opprobrious, black-mouthed, foul-mouthed.

2. Vile, low, worthless, base, villanous, scoundrel, scoundrelly, rascally, rascal, dishonorable, blackguardly.

**Blackguardism,** *n.* I. Ribaldry, scurrility, indecency, obscenity, foul language, billingsgate.

2. Scoundrelism, rascality, baseness, villany, villanousness, low ways, vile behavior, worthlessness.

**Black-gum,** *n.* Sour-gum, yellow-gum (*Nyssa villosa*).

**Black-hearted,** *a.* Malignant, malicious, malevolent, villanous, base, cruel, unfeeling, full of hate.

**Black hellebore.** Christmas rose (*Helleborus niger*).

**Black-jack,** *n.* I. [*Term used by miners.*] Blende, zinc-blende, sulphuret of zinc, false galena, mock lead.

2. Black flag, piratical ensign, skull and cross-bones.

**Black-lead,** *n.* Plumbago, graphite.

**Blackleg,** *n.* Gambler, sharper, swindler.

**Blackmail,** *n.* I. Tribute (*paid for immunity from robbery*), brigand-tax.

2. Hush-money, bribe to keep silence.

3. Extortion by threats.

**Black man.** Negro, blackamoor, black, blackey, moor.

**Black-mouthed,** *a.* Foul-mouthed, scurrilous. See BLACKGUARD, *a.*

**Black-quarter,** *n.* Quarter-evil, quarter-ill, black-spaul, blackleg.

**Black Sea.** Euxine.

**Black-sheep,** *n.* Scapegrace, disgrace to the family.

**Blackthorn,** *n.* Sloe (*Prunus spinosa*).

**Blade,** *n.* I. Leaf.

2. Flat part (*as of a knife* or *an oar*).

3. Buck, gallant, spark, gay, dashing fellow.

**Blain,** *n.* Pustule, blister, blotch, sore.

**Blamable,** *a.* Culpable, censurable, reprehensible, faulty, blameworthy.

**Blame,** *v. a.* Censure, condemn, disapprove, reprehend, reproach, reflect upon, lay *or* cast blame upon, find fault with, cry out against, animadvert upon

**Blame,** *n.* I. Censure, reprehension, animadversion, disapproval, disapprobation, reproach, reproof, condemnation, imputation of fault.

2. Fault, wrong, misdeed, misdoing, ill-desert, guilt, shortcoming, sin, reproach, defect, demerit.

**Blameless,** *a.* Irreproachable, unimpeachable, irreprehensible, inculpable, faultless, guiltless, unblemished, unspotted, unsullied, undefiled, spotless, stainless, innocent.

**Blameworthy,** *a.* See BLAMABLE.

**Blanc-fix,** *n.* Permanent white, sulphate of baryta (*artificially made*).

**Blanch,** *v. a.* Bleach, whiten, etiolate, make *or* render white.

**Blanch,** *v. n.* Bleach, whiten, pale, etiolate, become white, fade.

**Bland,** *a.* I. Soft, mild, gentle, balmy, soothing, demulcent.

2. Affable, suave, kindly, mild, amiable, mild-mannered, complaisant.

**Blandishment,** *n.* I. Fascination, flattery, cajolery, cajoling compliment, artful caresses, coaxing, wheedling.

2. Caressing, caresses, endearment, soft words, expression of affection, billing and cooing, toying, fawning.

3. Delight, joy, pleasure, attraction, sweet, charm.

**Blank,** *a.* I. Void, empty.

2. White, of a white color.

3. Astonished, confounded, confused, dumfounded, disconcerted, nonplussed, struck dumb. See AMAZED.

4. Utter, pure, simple, unmixed, unmingled, unadulterated, perfect, entire, complete, absolute, unabated, unqualified, unmitigated, mere, the merest.

**Blank,** *n.* I. Void, vacancy, empty place, empty space, unfilled room.

2. Blank form, form.

3. Unwrought piece (*of metal*), block.

**Blank verse.** Unrhymed verse (*especially the heroic verse of five iambic feet*).

**Blare,** *n.* Blast, peal, clang, clangor.

**Blare,** *v. n.* Blow, peal, sound loudly.

**Blare,** *v. a.* Sound forth, blazon, proclaim, trumpet.

**Blarney,** *n.* Flattery, adulation, smooth phrases, cajolery, gammon.

**Blasé,** *a.* [Fr.] Surfeited, cloyed, satiated, palled, incapable of enjoyment (*in consequence of excesses*), worn out, exhausted

**Blaspheme,** *v. a.* I. Speak impiously of

2. (*Rare.*) Revile, calumniate, defame, traduce, malign, speak evil of.

**Blaspheme,** *v. n.* Utter blasphemy, speak impiously of God *or* of sacred things, be impious, utter sacrilege.

**Blasphemous,** *a.* Impious, sacrilegious, profane.

**Blasphemy,** *n.* Impiousness, sacrilege, profanity.

**Blast,** *n.* I. Gust, squall, sudden burst, blow.

2. Peal, blare, clang.

3. Explosion, outbreak, burst, discharge.

4. Blight, pestilential influence.

**Blast,** *v. a.* I. Blight, kill, destroy, ruin, annihilate, wither, shrivel.

2. Rend by explosion, burst, explode, split.

**Blatant,** *a.* I. Bellowing, braying.

2. Clamorous, obstreperous, vociferous, noisy.

**Blatherskite,** *n.* (*Colloq. U. S. and Scotland.*)

I. Blusterer, vaporer, prater, vapid talker, voluble dunce, noisy fool.

2. Vaporing, voluble vapidity. See BLUSTER.

**Blattering,** *a.* Blustering, swaggering, noisy.

**Blattering,** *n.* See BLUSTER.

**Blaze,** *n.* Flame, flaming light, intense light, glow.
**Blaze,** *v. n.* Flame, burn with a flame.
**Blaze,** *v. a.* Publish, proclaim, blazon, make known, noise abroad, spread abroad, blaze abroad.
**Blaze abroad.** See preceding.
**Blazing star.** Comet.
**Blazon,** *v. a.* 1. Emblazon, emblaze, adorn with ensigns armorial.
2. Display, exhibit, set forth, make a show of, show off.
3. Proclaim, publish, blaze, blare, trumpet, herald, noise abroad, bruit about, make known, spread *or* blaze abroad.
**Blazon,** *n.* 1. Blazonry.
2. Publication, proclamation, trumpeting, heralding.
3. Exhibition, show, pompous display.
**Blazonry,** *n.* Emblazonry, heraldry.
**Bleach,** *v. a.* Whiten, blanch, etiolate, make *or* render white.
**Bleach,** *v. n.* Whiten, blanch, etiolate, grow *or* become white.
**Bleaching powder.** Chloride of lime, Tennant's powder.
**Bleak,** *a.* 1. Unsheltered, exposed, bare, unprotected, wind-swept, storm-beaten.
2. Cold, chill, chilly, raw, biting, piercing, desolating.
3. Desolate, drear, dreary, ungenial, cheerless, comfortless.
**Blear,** *v. a.* Dim, make rheumy, make watery.
**Bleariness,** *n.* Lippitude, dim-sightedness.
**Blear-eyed,** *a.* Dim-sighted.
**Bleb,** *n.* 1. Blister, vesicle, little tumor.
2. Air-bubble, blob.
**Bleed,** *v n.* 1. Lose blood, drip blood, be dropping with blood.
2. Lose sap *or* juice, drip sap.
3. Be slaughtered, be slain, die.
**Bleed,** *v. a.* 1. Take blood from.
2. Exude, secrete, give forth, drop.
**Bleeding,** *n.* Phlebotomy, venesection, blood-letting.
**Blemish,** *v. a.* 1. Stain, sully, blur, spot, tarnish, mar, injure, taint.
2. Defame, vilify, traduce, asperse, calumniate, slander, malign, revile, run down, speak ill of. See ABUSE.
**Blemish,** *n.* 1. Stain, spot, defect, speck, blot, blur, soil, tarnish, flaw, fault.
2. Disgrace, dishonor, reproach, taint, stain, spot, blot.
**Blench,** *v. n.* Shrink, flinch, start back, give way, yield, weaken.
**Blench,** *v. a.* Shrink from, evade, shirk, avoid.
**Blend,** *v. a.* and *v. n.* Mingle, mix, intermingle, commingle, amalgamate, unite, combine.
**Blende,** *n.* (*Min.*) Black-jack, sulphuret of zinc, mock lead, false galena.
**Bless,** *v. a.* 1. Ask *or* implore a blessing upon, call down blessings on.
2. Delight, gladden, make happy, beatify.
3. Wish happiness to, thank.
4. Glorify, exalt, celebrate, magnify, praise, extol, give thanks to, adore, gratefully adore.
**Blessed,** *a.* 1. Happy, beatified, blissful.
2. Holy, hallowed, sacred.
**Blessedness,** *n.* Bliss, blissfulness, happiness, felicity, beatitude, joy.
**Blessing,** *n.* 1. Benediction, benison, invocation of happiness.
2. Good, benefit, advantage, profit, gain, boon, service.
3. Glory, honor, praise, thanksgiving, gratitude.
**Blight,** *n.* Pestilence (*among plants*), mildew, blast, withering.
**Blight,** *v. a.* 1. Blast, wither, shrivel, kill, destroy, taint with mildew, cause to decay.
2. Disappoint, frustrate, blast, destroy, crush, annihilate, annul, bring to naught.
**Blind,** *a.* 1. Sightless, destitute of vision, eyeless.
2. Ignorant, undiscerning, unenlightened, benighted, without insight, injudicious, incapable of judging.
3. Concealed, hidden, remote, obscure, dim, unlucid, involved, intricate, labyrinthine, confused, mazy, dark, private.
4. Indiscriminate, heedless, careless, thoughtless, inconsiderate, headlong, rash.
5. Closed, shut, issueless, without exit, leading nowhere
**Blind,** *v. a.* 1. Make blind, deprive of sight.
2. Hoodwink, blindfold.
**Blind,** *n.* 1. Screen, cover, shade, curtain.
2. Blinder, blinker.
3. Concealment, disguise, pretext, misleader, pretence, ruse, feint, stratagem.
**Blind-alley,** *n.* *Cul-de-sac.*
**Blind-coal,** *n.* Anthracite, glance-coal, hard-coal, stone-coal.
**Blinder,** *n.* Blind, blinker.
**Blindfold,** *v. a.* Blind, hoodwink, cover the eyes of, hinder from seeing (*by a bandage over the eyes*).
**Blindfold,** *a.* 1. Blinded (*by a bandage over the eyes*), blindfolded.
2. Blind, headlong, rash, heedless, inconsiderate.
**Blindman's-buff,** *n.* Hoodman-blind, blind-man-buff.
**Blindside,** *n.* Weakness, foible, failing, defect, weak side, weak point.
**Blink,** *n.* 1. Glance, glimpse, sight, view, wink.
2. Glimmer, gleam, sheen, shimmer, twinkle.
**Blink,** *v. n.* 1. Wink, nictitate, nictate, see obscurely.
2. Flicker, flutter, intermit, shine fitfully, twinkle, glitter, gleam.
**Blink,** *v. a.* Overlook (*purposely*), disregard, avoid, evade, ignore, pass over, gloss over, gloze, shut out of sight, make no account of, pretend not to see.
**Blinker,** *n.* Blinder, blind.
**Bliss,** *n.* Happiness, felicity, blessedness, blissfulness, beatitude, beatification, joy, transport, rapture, ecstasy, heavenly joy, heaven.
**Blissful,** *a.* 1. Transported, enraptured, in raptures, in ecstasies, very happy, full of joy, highly blessed.
2. Transporting, enrapturing, delightful, happy, joyful, rapturous, ecstatic, ravishing, blessed, conferring bliss.
**Blister,** *n.* 1. Vesicle, pustule, blain, bleb, blob.
2. Puffy film, bleb, blob, air-bubble.
3. Vesicatory, vesicant, blistering plaster, sinapism.
**Blister,** *v. a.* Raise blisters on, vesicate.
**Blister,** *v. n.* Rise in blisters, form vesicles *or* blebs.
**Blithe,** *a.* Cheerful, gay, sprightly, lively, animated, elated, vivacious, joyous, joyful, merry, mirthful, jocund, sportive, airy, buoyant, debonair, blithesome, of good cheer, in high spirits, in good spirits, full of life, full of spirit.
**Blithesome,** *a.* Cheerful, gay. See BLITHE.
**Bloat,** *v. a.* Swell, inflate, distend, dilate, puff up, blow up, make turgid.
**Bloat,** *v. n.* Swell, dilate, be swollen, be inflated *or* distended, be puffed *or* blown up, become turgid.
**Bloating,** *n.* Swelling, dilatation, tumefaction, expanding, expansion. See DILATION.
**Blob,** *n.* Bubble, blobber, bleb, blister, vesicle.

**Blobber-lip,** *n.* Thick lip, blubber-lip, hanging lip, flabby lip.
**Blobber-lipped,** *a.* Thick-lipped, blubber-lipped, flabby-lipped.
**Block,** *v. a.* I. Obstruct, close, blockade, stop, arrest, shut up, stop up, block up, fill up.
2. Mould, shape, form (on a block).
3. Make steady *or* firm, stiffen, brace.
**Block,** *n.* I. Thick and heavy piece (*as of wood* or *stone*), mass.
2. Mould (*on which objects are made*).
3. Simpleton, fool, blockhead. See DUNCE.
4. Mass of houses (*in a square* or *a continuous row*), mass of buildings.
5. City block, square.
6. (*Naut.*) Pulley, tackle.
7. Executioner's block (*in fig. sense*), scaffold, execution.
8. Stoppage, obstruction, jam, pack.
**Blockade,** *v. a.* Close (*as ports, so as to prevent egress or ingress*), block, shut up, stop up. See BESET and BELEAGUER.
**Blockade,** *n.* Closure (*as of a port*), shutting up, blocking up.
**Blockhead,** *n.* Simpleton, fool. See DUNCE.
**Blockish,** *a.* Stupid, stolid, heavy, doltish, unintelligent, dull, stockish. See BEETLE-HEADED and STUPID.
**Block up.** Obstruct. See BLOCK.
**Blond,** } *a.* Fair, light, flaxen.
**Blonde,** }
**Blood,** *n.* I. Vital fluid, vital current, life-blood, life-current.
2. Posterity, descendants, offspring, children, progeny.
3. Kin, kindred, relations, family, house, line.
4. Lineage, descent, kinship, kindred, consanguinity, relationship, common derivation, common ancestry.
5. Royal lineage, royal line.
6. High birth, noble extraction.
7. Temper, disposition, feelings, spirit, courage, passion, mettle.
8. Hotspur, madcap, fiery fellow, hot spark, blade.
**Blood-letting,** *n.* Bleeding, phlebotomy.
**Blood-pudding,** *n.* Black-pudding.
**Bloodroot,** *n.* Red-root, puccoon, turmeric (*Sanguinaria Canadensis*).
**Bloodshed,** *n.* Slaughter, carnage, butchery, massacre, murder, bloodshedding, homicide, blood-spilling.
**Blood-stained,** *a.* I. Bloody, stained with blood, ensanguined.
2. Blood-guilty, murderous, homicidal.
**Bloodstone,** *n.* I. Hematite.
2. Heliotrope.
**Blood-sucker,** *n.* Leech.
**Blood-thirsty,** *a.* Cruel, savage, ferocious, inhuman, barbarous, barbarian, fell, truculent, ruthless, bloody, murderous, bloody-minded.
**Bloodwort,** *n.* Red dock (*Rumex sanguineus*).
**Bloody,** *a.* I. Sanguinary, ensanguined, gory. See BLOOD-STAINED.
2. Murderous, cruel. See BLOOD-THIRSTY.
**Bloody-flux,** *n.* Dysentery.
**Bloody-minded,** *a.* See BLOOD-THIRSTY.
**Bloom,** *n.* I. Efflorescence, flower, blossom, blow.
2. Efflorescence, flowering, blossoming, blow.
3. Flush, freshness, vigor, prime, heyday.
4. Flush, glow, carnation, rose, roseate hue.
5. Powdery film, delicate furze, down.
6. First freshness, delicate newness, delicacy, innocence.
**Bloom,** *v. n.* Flower, blossom, put forth blossoms, blow.
**Bloomy,** *a.* I. Flowery, full of blossoms.
2. Fresh, glowing, roseate.
3. Downy, covered with bloom.
**Blossom,** *n.* Flower, bloom, blow, efflorescence.
**Blossom,** *v. n.* Flower, bloom, blow.
**Blot,** *v. a.* I. Efface, obliterate, erase, cancel, expunge, rub out, blot out, scratch out, strike out.
2. Spot, stain, blur, disfigure, deface, sully.
3. Tarnish, sully, disgrace, dishonor, blur, spot, stain.
**Blot,** *n.* I. Obliteration, erasure, blotting, blur.
2. Blur, spot, stain, blemish.
3. Disgrace, cause of reproach, blur, spot, stain, dishonor.
**Blotch,** *n.* I. Pustule, eruption, pimple, blain, bleb, blemish.
2. Spot (*of any kind, especially irregular*), patch, splotch.
**Blow,** *n.* I. Stroke, knock, rap, pat, thump, dab, beat, lick, thwack, bang.
2. Calamity, disaster, misfortune, affliction.
3. Bloom, blossom, flower, efflorescence.
4. Gale, blast, gust.
**Blow,** *v. n.* I. Move *or* flow in currents (*as the wind*).
2. Pant, puff, lose breath, breathe hard.
3. Flower, bloom, blossom.
4. Sound, give forth sound, peal forth, breathe.
5. (*Colloq.*) Boast, brag, gasconade, talk large, bluster.
6. Spout (*as a whale*).
**Blow,** *v. a.* I. Drive (*by blowing*), impel.
2. Force wind upon, direct a current of air upon.
3. Sound, wind, sound upon, wind a blast upon.
4. Spread, spread *or* sound abroad, diffuse.
5. Form (*with the breath*).
6. Deposit eggs in, fly-blow, make putrid.
**Blow down.** Prostrate (*by the wind*), overthrow, lay low.
**Blown,** *a.* I. Swollen, inflated, puffed up.
2. Stale, worthless, discredited, past its prime.
3. Out of breath, exhausted, fatigued, tired out.
**Blow off.** I. Drive from shore (*by the wind, as a ship*).
2. Detach *or* scatter (*by the wind, as fruit from trees*).
3. Let off (*as steam*), suffer to escape.
**Blow out.** Extinguish.
**Blow-out,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Feast, entertainment, rout, merry-making.
**Blow up.** (*Active.*) I. Inflate, fill with air.
2. Burst, explode, blast, burst in pieces, shatter, scatter by explosion, cause to explode.
3. Kindle.
4. (*Low.*) Scold, rate, berate, chide, reprimand, censure, reprove, blame, scold at.
**Blow up.** (*Neuter.*) Explode, burst, be scattered by explosion.
**Blow upon.** I. Discredit, blast, taint, bring into disfavor, make distasteful.
2. Inform against, turn informer upon.
**Blow-valve,** *n.* Snifting-valve.
**Blowzed,** *a.* Ruddy, blowzy.
**Blowzy,** *a.* Ruddy, blowzed, tanned, ruddy-faced, high-colored, sun-burnt.
**Blubber,** *n.* Whale-fat.
**Blubber,** *v. n.* Cry (*so as to swell the cheeks*), whine, whimper, weep.
**Bludgeon,** *n.* Club, cudgel

**Blue,** *a.* I. Azure, cerulean, sapphirine, amethystine, sky-colored.
2. Livid, ghastly, pallid.
3. (*Colloq.*) Melancholy, dejected, dispirited, depressed, sad, glum, gloomy, mopish, downcast, desponding, downhearted, hypochondriac, hipped, chapfallen, low-spirited, cast down, in the dumps, with a long face, in the blues, down in the mouth.
4. (*Colloq.*) Dismal, depressing, doleful, gloomy, dispiriting, melancholy, disheartening.
5. Pedantic (*said of women*), on the blue-stocking order, sapient.
**Blue,** *n.* Azure, sky-color, cerulean, amethystine, sapphirine.
**Blue-devils,** *n. pl.* See BLUES.
**Blue-fish,** *n.* Tailor, skip-jack, snapping mackerel (*Temnodon saltator*).
**Blues,** *n. pl.* [With *The.*] Melancholy, dejection, depression, despondency, hypochondria, dumps, vapors, low spirits, blue-devils, the dismals.
**Blue-stocking,** *n.* Pedantic woman, sapient female.
**Blue-vitriol,** *n.* Sulphate of copper, blue-stone.
**Bluff,** *a.* I. Broad and full, hearty and open. (*Said of the countenance.*)
2. Rough and hearty, blunt and frank, roughly good-natured.
3. Steep, abrupt, precipitous, like a bluff.
**Bluff,** *n.* Precipitous bank (*especially on the margin of a river* or *the sea*).
**Blunder,** *v. n* I. Mistake (*grossly*), err (*from want of care*).
2. Flounder, stumble, go bungling.
3. Bungle, be awkward, miss the mark, miss the point, be stupid, inaccurate, *or* at loose ends.
**Blunder,** *n.* Mistake (*of the grossest kind*), error (*from thoughtlessness*), gross mistake, piece of stupidity.
**Blunderbuss,** *n.* I. Short gun (*with a large bore*).
2. Blunderer, blunderhead, stupid fellow, dolt.
**Blunderer,** *n.* Blunderhead, blunderbuss, stupid fellow, dolt.
**Blunderhead,** *n.* See BLUNDERER.
**Blunt,** *a.* I. Dull, obtuse, pointless, edgeless.
2. Dull-witted, dull, thick-witted, obtuse, stupid, stolid.
3. Abrupt, bluff, plain, uncourtly, unceremonious, without formal civility.
4. Brusk (*or* brusque), rough, harsh, uncourteous, ungracious, impolite, rude.
**Blunt,** *v. a.* I. Dull, make dull.
2. Benumb, paralyze, deaden, stupefy, obtund, hebetate, make insensible, callous, *or* obtuse.
3. Moderate, allay, assuage, mitigate, quiet, alleviate, soften.
**Blunt-witted,** *a.* Dull, stupid, stolid, doltish, blockish, obtuse, unintelligent, unintellectual.
**Blur,** *n.* I. Blot, stain, spot, blemish, soil, tarnish, defect.
2. Confusion (*of vision*), dim and uncertain spot, confused glimmer.
3. Blot, stain, disgrace, spot, blemish, blotch.
**Blur,** *v. a.* I. Obscure, darken, dim, bedim, partially erase.
2. Tarnish, stain, blot, sully, spot, blemish.
**Blush,** *v. n.* Redden (*in the cheeks*), color.
**Blush,** *n.* Reddening (*of the cheeks*), suffusion of the face.
**Bluster,** *v. n.* I. Roar (*as the wind*), make a loud noise.
2. Vapor, swagger, bully, vaunt, swell, domineer, gasconade, play the bully. See BOAST.
3. Make a great ado, make much ado about nothing.
**Bluster,** *n.* I. Boisterousness, noise, tumult, turbulence.
2. Boasting, swaggering, bullying, blattering, vaporing, gasconade, fanfaronade.
3. Great ado, much ado about nothing
**Blusterer,** *n.* Swaggerer, bully, boaster, braggart, vaunter, roisterer, huff, braggadocio, drawcansir, fire-eater, fanfaron, noisy fellow, bouncer (*colloq.*).
**Blustering,** *a.* I. Windy, stormy, tempestuous, squally, gusty, tumultuous, turbulent, noisy, roaring.
2. Swaggering, boasting, bragging, braggart, blattering, pompous, assuming, important, arrogant, swelling, big, bullying, vaporing, self-sufficient.
**Board,** *n.* I. Plank (*thin*).
2. Table (*for food*).
3. Food, diet, provision, fare, victuals, entertainment, meals
4. Conclave, council, committee.
**Board,** *v. a.* I. Cover with boards.
2. Enter *or* go on board of (*a vessel*) by force.
3. Furnish with meals.
**Boards,** *n. pl.* [With *The.*] The stage (*of a theatre*).
**Boast,** *v. n.* Brag, vaunt, gasconade, vapor, bluster, crow, crack, flourish, exalt one's self, magnify one's self, give one's self airs, talk big, ride a high horse.
**Boast,** *v. a.* I. Magnify (*unduly*), make much of, boast of, brag of.
2. (*Sculp.*) Shape roughly (*as a block of marble*)
**Boast,** *n.* I. Vaunt, brag, gasconade, rodomontade, vaporing, bravado, boasting, blustering, swaggering, fanfaronade, flourish of trumpets, much cry and little wool.
2. Cause of pride *or* laudable exultation.
**Boaster,** *n.* Braggart, braggadocio See BLUSTERER.
**Boastful,** *a.* Boasting, vaunting, bragging, braggart, vaporing, blustering, exulting, triumphant, cock-a-hoop.
**Boasting,** *n.* Vaunt, brag. See BOAST.
**Boast one's self.** Exult over-confidently.
**Boat-shaped,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Cymbiform, navicular, scaphoid.
**Bob,** *v. a.* I. Move with a jerk.
2. Strike (*suddenly and lightly*), rap, knock.
3. Clip, cut short.
4. (*Rare.*) Steal, purloin, rob, pilfer, filch, cabbage, get by fraud
**Bob,** *v. n.* I. Play back and forward, have a jerking motion.
2. Angle (*with a jerking motion*), fish
**Bob,** *n.* I. Jerking motion.
2. Pendant, hanging appendage.
**Bobolink,** *n.* Rice-bird, rice-bunting, reed-bird, butter-bird, skunk-bird, skunk-blackbird, Bob o' Lincoln, Robert o' Lincoln, Bob-lincoln, bob-link (*Dolichonyx oryzivorus*).
**Bob-white,** *n.* American partridge, quail (*Odontophorus Virginianus*).
**Bode,** *v. a.* Betoken, portend, foreshow, foreshadow, prefigure, presage, augur, foretell, predict, forebode, prophesy, be ominous of.
**Bode,** *v. n.* Forebode, presage, be ominous.
**Bodice,** *n.* I. Corset, stays
2. Waist (*of a dress*), corsage.
**Bodiless,** *a.* Incorporeal, without a body.
**Bodily,** *a.* I. Of the body.
2 Corporeal, physical.
**Bodily,** *ad.* I. Corporeally.
2. Entirely (*as respects the body or mass*), completely, wholly, altogether.

**Body,** *n.* I. Material substance, material part (*as distinguished from the spirit or life*).
2. Carcass, corpse, dead body.
3. Visible form *or* frame.
4. Trunk (*as distinguished from the limbs*), stem, bole.
5. Bulk, main part (*as distinguished from subordinate parts*), greater part.
6. Person, being, individual, mortal, creature.
7. Company, band, party, coterie, society, association, corporation.
8. System, summary, general collection.
9. Consistency, thickness, substance.
**Body-coat,** *n.* Dress-coat.
**Bœotian,** *a.* I. Of Bœotia, from Bœotia.
2. Dull, heavy, befogged. See STUPID.
**Bog,** *n* Morass, quagmire, slough, fen, marsh, swamp, moss.
**Bog-berry,** *n.* Cranberry (*Oxycoccus palustris*).
**Bogey,** } *n.* Hobgoblin, bugaboo.
**Bogy,** }
**Boggle,** *v. n.* I. Hesitate, vacillate, waver, falter, demur, shrink, hang back, shrink back, hang fire, be in suspense.
2. Dissemble, play fast and loose, shuffle.
**Bogtrotter,** *n.* [*In derision*] Irishman.
**Boil,** *v. n.* I. Be agitated by heat, be in ebullition.
2. Be in violent agitation, seethe, foam, froth.
3. Bubble, rise in bubbles.
4. Be ardent, be hot, be wildly turbulent, rage
**Boil,** *v. a.* Seethe.
**Boil,** *n.* Furuncle, pustule, gathering, inflamed tumor.
**Boiling,** *n.* Ebullition
**Boisterous,** *a.* I. Roaring, loud, stormy.
2. Noisy, furious, tumultuous, turbulent, vehement, violent, impetuous.
3. Noisy, vociferous, clamorous, obstreperous, loud.
**Bold,** *a.* I. Fearless, dauntless, daring, valiant, valorous, doughty, undaunted, hardy, intrepid, courageous, brave, heroic, audacious, adventurous, gallant, spirited, mettlesome, manful, manly, stout-hearted, bold-spirited
2. Confident, assured, self-reliant, self-possessed, self-poised, free from bashfulness.
3. Impudent, insolent, rude, impertinent, saucy, forward, pushing, assuming, brazen-faced, bold-faced.
4. Conspicuous, striking, prominent, standing out to the view.
5. Steep, abrupt, precipitous, prominent.
**Bold-faced,** *a.* Impudent. See BOLD.
**Boldness,** *n.* I. Fearlessness, dauntlessness, intrepidity, courage, bravery, doughtiness, dauntlessness, adventurousness, gallantry, spirit, mettle, valor, audacity, daring, pluck, heroism, hardihood, spunk.
2. Confidence, assurance, self-reliance, self-possession, self-poise, confident mien, freedom from bashfulness.
3. Impudence, insolence, sauciness, rudeness, impertinence, assurance, effrontery, presumption, brass, face, front.
4. Prominence, striking character *or* quality.
5. Steepness, abruptness, precipitousness, prominence.
**Bold-spirited,** *a.* Courageous See BOLD.
**Bole,** *n.* I. Body (*of a tree*), stem, trunk
2. Bolus, large pill
**Boll,** *n.* Pod, capsule, pericarp.
**Bolster,** *n.* Supporting cushion.
**Bolster,** *v a.* Support (*something weak* or *undeserving*), prevent from falling, hold up, prop up, defend, maintain.
**Bolt,** *n.* I. Arrow, dart, shaft, missile.
2. Thunderbolt, stroke of lightning.
3. Metal pin *or* fastening.
4. Sieve.
**Bolt,** *v. a.* I. Fasten with a bolt *or* bolts.
2. Swallow (*without chewing*), gulp down, swallow whole.
3. Sift, pass through a sieve
**Bolt,** *v. n.* I. Bounce, start suddenly, spring out abruptly.
2. Abscond, make off rapidly, run away, leave suddenly.
**Bolt-upright,** *a.* Perpendicular, quite upright.
**Bolus,** *n.* Bole, large pill.
**Bombard,** *v. a.* Attack with bombs.
**Bombardment,** *n.* Attack with bombs.
**Bombast,** *n.* Fustian, rodomontade, rant, altiloquence, magniloquence, sesquipedalianism, grandiloquence, *sesquipedalia verba*, turgid talk, inflated style, swelling *or* pompous phraseology.
**Bombastic,** *a.* Inflated, turgid, tumid, swelling, stilted, grandiloquent, magniloquent, altiloquent, sesquipedalian, pompous, sophomorical, high-flown, high-sounding.
**Bona fide.** [L.] Really, truly, actually, sincerely, in good faith, upon honor.
**Bonbon,** *n.* Sugar-plum, sweet, confection, sweetmeat.
**Bond,** *n.* I. Band, ligature, cord, ligament, fastening, link.
2. [*In pl*] Fetters, chains, bondage, captivity, constraint, durance, imprisonment, prison.
3. Tie, connection, attraction, link, union, attachment, uniting, influence
4. Obligation, compact, binding, contract.
5. Promissory note (*of highest obligation*), evidence of debt.
**Bond,** *a.* Enslaved, slave, in bonds, in bondage, captive, destitute of freedom.
**Bondage,** *n* Servitude, slavery, thraldom, captivity, imprisonment, confinement, bond-service, bonds, restraint of personal liberty.
**Bonds,** *n. pl.* See BOND, 2
**Bone-ash,** *n.* Bone-earth, burnt bones, earthy matter of bones.
**Bone-black,** *n.* Ivory-black, animal charcoal.
**Bone-earth,** *n.* See BONE-ASH.
**Bone of contention.** Subject of contention, subject of dispute.
**Boneset,** *n.* Thoroughwort, feverwort, ague-weed, Indian sage (*Eupatorium perfoliatum*).
**Bonhomie,** *n.* [Fr.] Good-nature, easy humor.
**Bonito,** *n.* Albicore, horse-mackerel, striped tunny (*Thynnus pelamys*).
**Bon-mot,** *n.* [Fr.] Jest, joke, witticism, witty repartee.
**Bonne-bouche,** *n.* [Fr.] Titbit, delicacy, nice bit, delicate morsel, choice morsel, delicious mouthful.
**Bonnet-rouge,** *n.* [Fr.] Red republican.
**Bonny,** *a.* I. Handsome, beautiful, fair, fine, pretty.
2. Cheerful, blithe, sprightly, buoyant, airy, gay, merry, joyous, jolly, jocund, winsome, buxom, playful, sportive, jocose, in good spirits, in high spirits.
3. Plump, round, chubby, in good health.
**Bon-ton,** *n.* [Fr.] I. High mode, fashionable style, style of high life.
2. Fashionable society, people of fashion, the upper ten.
**Bonus,** *n.* [L.] Premium, reward, honorarium, gift, subsidy.
**Bon-vivant,** *n.* [Fr.] Luxurious liver, boon companion, jovial companion, jolly fellow.
**Booby,** *n.* I. Simpleton, fool. See DUNCE.
2. (*Ornith.*) Gannet, noddy, solan, goose (*Sula bassana* or *fusca*).

**Book,** *n.* I. Work, volume.
2. Main division (*of a written work*), part.
**Booked up.** Posted, well-informed, *au fait, au courant.*
**Bookish,** *a.* Given to reading, fond of books, fond of study, very studious.
**Book-keeper,** *n.* Accountant.
**Book-learned,** *a.* Versed in books.
**Book-madness,** *n.* Bibliomania.
**Book-maker,** *n.* I. Compiler.
2. Bettor, layer of odds.
**Book-making,** *n.* I. Compilation.
2. Betting, laying of odds.
**Bookseller,** *n.* Bibliopole, bibliopolist.
**Bookstore,** *n.* [*U. S.*] Bookseller's shop.
**Bookworm,** *n.* Great reader *or* student (*without discrimination and without definite purpose*).
**Booley,** *n.* [*Irish.*] Nomad, wanderer.
**Boom,** *v. n.* I. Roar, resound, drone, hum.
2. Rush, bound, dash forward.
**Boom,** *n.* Resounding noise, roar, booming, droning, deep and hollow humming.
**Boon,** *n.* I. Gift, present, benefaction, grant, favor.
2. Benefit, blessing, advantage, good, privilege.
**Boon,** *a.* I. Kind, bountiful, generous, benign, benignant.
2. Gay, merry, jovial, jolly, convivial.
**Boor,** *n.* Rustic, clown, hind, lout, lubber, swain, peasant, bumpkin, clodpole, countryman, ploughman.
**Boorish,** *a.* Rustic, rude, clownish, loutish, bearish, awkward, clumsy, ungainly, coarse, rough, unrefined, uncourtly, ungraceful, gawky, lubberly.
**Boosy,** *a.* See Boozy.
**Boot,** *n.* Profit, advantage, gain, premium.
**Boot,** *v. a.* [*Generally used impersonally.*] Profit, benefit, advantage, avail, make difference.
**Bootee,** *n.* Bootikin, half-boot, short boot.
**Bootikin,** *n.* I. Bootee, half-boot, short boot.
2. Half-glove, soft glove, mitten (*made of oiled skin for gouty persons*).
**Bootless,** *a.* Useless, unavailing, fruitless, futile, unprofitable, profitless, valueless, worthless, ineffectual, abortive, vain, idle, without avail.
**Booty,** *n.* Plunder (*to be used for any purpose*), spoil, pillage. See Prey.
**Boozy,** *a.* [Written also *Boosy.*] Tipsy, bemused, inebriated, fuddled, disguised, maudlin, mellow, half-drunk, half-seas-over, in liquor.
**Borax,** *n.* Bi-borate of soda, tincal.
**Border,** *n.* I. Edge, rim, brim, verge, brink, margin, marge, skirt.
2. Limit, boundary, confine, frontier, march.
**Border,** *v a.* Put a border upon, adorn with a border, make a border for.
**Border on.** I. Adjoin, be in contact with, be coterminous with, touch at the side *or* end of, be contiguous to, lie adjacent to, be in juxtaposition with, border upon.
2. Approach, come near to, approximate, almost reach, want but little of, border upon.
**Border upon.** See Border on.
**Bore,** *v. a.* I. Perforate, pierce, drill.
2. Weary (*by tedious repetition*), fatigue, tire, tire out, plague, trouble, vex, worry, annoy.
**Bore,** *n.* I. Hole, calibre.
2. Proser, button-holer.
3. Eagre, eger *or* eygre, great tidal flood.
**Boreal,** *a.* Northern, northerly, arctic.
**Boreas,** *n.* The north wind.
**Boredom,** *n.* I. Realm of bores, domain of bores, land of bores.
2. Bores, the aggregate of bores, all the bores.
3. Being bored, *ennui*, tedium, weariness, dulness.
4. Tiresomeness.
**Born again.** Regenerated, regenerate, converted, renewed in spirit.
**Borough,** *n.* Town (*in England, a town represented in Parliament*), township, corporate town, corporation.
**Borrow,** *v. a.* I. Take *or* receive as a loan, get on credit, obtain on trust.
2. Take, appropriate, adopt, imitate, make use of.
3. Take on, simulate, dissemble, feign.
**Boscage,** } *n.* I. Thicket, grove, shrubbery.
**Boskage,** }
2. Foliage, leafage, shrubbiness, leafiness.
**Bosh,** *n.* Nonsense, trash, twaddle. See Balderdash.
**Bosk,** *n.* Thicket, grove, bushes.
**Bosky,** *a.* Shrubby, woody, leafy, bushy, sylvan, shady.
**Bosom,** *n.* I. Breast, heart, affection.
2. Hollow, deep, depth, depths, midst, inmost recesses.
3. Retirement, quiet, retreat, inner mystery, intimate privacy.
**Bosom-friend,** *n.* Confidant, intimate friend, dear friend, inseparable companion.
**Boss,** *n.* I. Protuberance, knob, stud, protuberant part.
2. Superintendent, overseer, master-workman, master.
**Boss,** *v. a.* Stud, cover with bosses, bestud, emboss.
**Bossy,** *a.* Full of bosses, covered with studs.
**Botch,** *n.* I. Pustule, biotch, blain, sore
2. Failure, miscarriage, bad work, bad job, clumsy performance, bungling piece of work.
**Botch,** *v. a.* I. Mend awkwardly, patch clumsily.
2. Put together unskilfully, construct in a bungling manner.
**Both,** *a.* The two, the one and the other, one as well as the other, the pair, the couple.
**Both,** *conj.* [*Preceding a word* or *phrase which is followed by* and; Both — and.] As well — as; not only — but also; not only — but; not alone — but.
**Bother,** *v. a.* Perplex, worry, harass, trouble, annoy, tease, vex, plague, molest, incommode, disturb, pester, pother.
**Bother,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Perplexity, vexation, annoyance, plague, trouble, pother.
**Bottle-holder,** *n.* I. Second (*at fisticuffs*), backer.
2. Second, supporter, backer, encourager, adviser, abettor, promoter, subsidiary.
**Bottom,** *n.* I. Lowest part, base, foot.
2. Foundation, basis, groundwork, base.
3. Dale, valley, meadow, alluvial land.
4. Ship, vessel, sailing craft.
5. Fundament, seat, buttocks.
6. Seat (*of a chair*).
7. Stamina, native strength, power of endurance.
8. Grounds, lees, dregs, sediments.
**Bottom,** *v. a.* Found, establish, build.
**Bottom,** *v. n.* Rest (*for support*), be based.
**Bondoir,** *n.* [Fr.] Cabinet, private room, retired apartment.
**Bough,** *n.* Branch, limb, shoot.
**Bouilli,** *n.* [Fr.] Stew, boiled meat, stewed meat.
**Bouillon,** *n.* [Fr.] Broth, soup.
**Bounce,** *n.* I. Knock, thump, sudden blow.
2. Bound, leap, jump, spring.
3. (*Colloq.*) Boast, vaunt, brag.
4. (*Colloq.*) Falsehood, lie, bouncer, whopper

**Bounce,** *v. n.* I. Bolt, leap, *or* spring suddenly.
2. Rebound, recoil.
3. Knock, thump. See BEAT.
**Bounce,** *v. a.* Thrust, drive against.
**Bouncer,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) I. Roaster. See BLUSTERER.
2. Falsehood, lie, whopper, bounce.
3. Giant, strapper, huge fellow, huge specimen.
**Bouncing,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Stout, lusty, strong, portly, burly, huge, great, strapping.
**Bound,** *n.* I. Limit, bourn, border, confine. See BOUNDARY.
2. Leap, jump, spring, bounce.
**Bound,** *v. a.* Limit, border, terminate, circumscribe.
**Bound,** *v. n.* I. Jump, leap, spring.
2. Rebound, spring back.
**Bound,** *a.* [Followed by *to* or *for*.] Destined, tending, going, on the way.
**Boundary,** *n.* Limit, border, confine, march, bourn, bound, verge, term, termination.
**Bounden,** *a.* Obligatory, binding, appointed.
**Boundless,** *a.* Unbounded, unlimited, unconfined, undefined, immeasurable, illimitable, infinite.
**Bounteous,** *a.* Liberal. See BOUNTIFUL.
**Bountiful,** *a.* I. Liberal, munificent, beneficent, generous, princely, bounteous.
2. Abounding, abundant, overflowing, plenteous.
**Bounty,** *n.* I. Liberality, munificence, beneficence, generosity.
2. Present, gift, benefaction.
3. Premium (*for encouragement*), reward, bonus.
**Bouquet,** *n.* [Fr.] I. Nosegay, bunch of flowers, posy.
2. Cluster (*e. g. of gems*), bunch, posy.
3. Aroma, delicate odor and flavor.
**Bourdon,** *n.* I. Walking-staff, pilgrim's staff.
2. Bagpipe-drone, drone.
3. Bass-stop.
**Bourgeoisie,** *n.* [Fr.] Middle classes (*especially such as depend on trade*), tradespeople, townsfolk.
**Bourn,** *n.* I. Bound, limit, confine, border. See BOUNDARY.
2. Brook, torrent, rivulet, rill, beck, runnel, runlet, burn.
**Bourse,** *n.* [Fr.] Exchange.
**Bout,** *n.* I. Turn, twist, flexure, curve, curvature. See BEND.
2. Conflict, contest, set to, trial.
**Bow,** *v. a.* I. Bend, inflect, crook, incurvate, curve, make crooked.
2. Incline, turn downward, bend, bend down, droop, drop.
3. Depress, sink, cast down, bring down, crush, subdue.
4. Attend with bows, conduct with bows, express by bows.
**Bow,** *v. n.* I. Bend, buckle, be inflected, be bent, give way.
2. Incline (*in token of respect, reverence*, or *submission*), bend the head, make a bow.
**Bow,** *n.* (*Naut.*) Fore part (*of a ship*), prow, beak, stem, fore-foot.
**Bowels,** *n. pl.* I. Intestines, entrails, viscera, inwards, guts.
2. Inside, interior, interior parts, midst.
3. Compassion, pity, tenderness, mercy, mercifulness, feeling, fellow-feeling, sympathy.
**Bower,** *n.* I. Arbor, shady recess, shady retreat, summer-house.
2. Bow-anchor, working-anchor.
3. Knave (*of the trump color*).
**Bow-hand,** *n.* I. (*Archery.*) The left hand.
2. (*Mus.*) The right hand.
**Bowl,** *n.* I. Goblet, beaker.
2. Hollow, depression, receptacle.
**Bowman,** *n.* Archer, sagittary.
**Bow-window,** *n.* Bay-window.
**Box,** *n.* I. Case, receptacle, chest.
2. Driver's seat, coachman's seat.
3. Enclosed seat *or* seats (*in a theatre*).
4. Blow, stroke, cuff, buffet.
**Box,** *v. a.* I. Enclose in a box, case, put in chests *or* cases.
2. Strike (*with the hand* or *fist, as the ears*), buffet, cuff.
**Box,** *v. n.* Spar, practise pugilism, play at fisticuffs, practise with the gloves.
**Box-berry,** *n.* Wintergreen, tea-berry, partridge-berry, mountain-tea (*Gaultheria procumbens*).
**Box-elder,** *n.* Ash-leaved maple (*Negundo aceroides, Negundium Americanum*).
**Boy,** *n.* Lad, stripling, male child.
**Boyish,** *a.* I. Of boyhood.
2. Childish, puerile.
**Boy-servant,** *n.* Page, serving-boy.
**Brace,** *v. a.* I. Tighten, draw tight, make tense, strain up.
2. Strengthen, fortify, support, prop, give strength to.
**Brace,** *n.* I. Couple, pair.
2. Prop, support, stay, shore, strut.
3. Bit-stock.
**Braces,** *n. pl.* I. Suspenders, gallowses.
2. Straps (*on which a carriage rests*).
**Brachygraphy,** *n.* Stenography, tachygraphy, tacheography, shorthand.
**Bracing,** *a.* Strengthening, invigorating, stimulating.
**Brackets,** *n. pl.* (*Printing.*) Crotchets.
**Brackish,** *a.* Saltish, somewhat salt.
**Brag,** *v. n.* Boast, vaunt, gasconade, bluster, vapor, flourish, exalt one's self, magnify one's self, talk big.
**Brag,** *n.* Boast, vaunt, gasconade, bluster, bravado, vaporing, blattering, braggadocio, great cry and little wool.
**Braggadocio,** *n.* I. Boaster, blusterer, vaunter, braggart, bouncer, vaporer, blatterer, gascon, vain-glorious fellow.
2. Brag. See BOAST, *n.*
**Braggart,** *n.* See BOASTER.
**Braggart,** *a.* See BOASTFUL.
**Brahm,** } *n.* (*Hindoo Mythol.*) The Eternal,
**Brahmā,** } the Self-existent, the Supreme Original, the Immaterial Substance, God.
**Brahmā,** *n.* (*Hindoo Mythol.*) The Creator, the Creative deity, the Formative Energy in God.
**Brahman,** } *n.* [Written also *Bramin*] Hindoo
**Brahmin,** } priest.
**Braid,** *v. n.* Plait, plat, intertwine, interweave, interlace, weave together.
**Brain-fever,** *n.* Phrenitis, meningitis.
**Brain-pan,** *n.* Skull, cranium.
**Brains,** *n. pl.* Understanding, sense, mind, reason, intellect, capacity, intellectual faculties.
**Brain-sick,** *a.* Demented, alienated, fantastic, disordered, crotchety, crazed, crazy.
**Brake,** *n.* I. Fern (*Pteris aquilina*).
2. Thicket, brushwood, jungle.
**Brake up.** Put down the brakes (*to stop a railway train*).
**Bramah press.** Hydraulic press, hydrostatic press.
**Bramble,** *n.* Brier-bush, brier, prickly shrub, bramble-bush.
**Brambling,** *n.* Mountain-finch, bramble-finch, (*Fringilla montifringilla*).
**Branch,** *n* I. Bough, limb, shoot.
2. Offshoot, ramification, arm, projecting part.
3. Section, department, subdivision, part, portion, article, member.

4. Tributary, affluent, tributary stream.
5. Derivative line, cognate line, member of a stock.

**Branch,** *v. n.* Diverge, ramify, spread in branches, shoot off, branch off.

**Branchiæ,** *n. pl.* [L.] Gills.

**Branching,** *n.* Ramification, arborescence

**Branching,** *a.* Arborescent, arboriform, dendriform, dendroid, dendritic.

**Branch off.** Ramify. See BRANCH.

**Branch out.** Expatiate, be diffuse, speak diffusely.

**Brand,** *n.* 1. Fire-brand.
2. Thunderbolt, lightning-flash, bolt.
3. Mark (*of a hot iron*).
4. Kind, quality, grade.
5. Stigma, stain, reproach. See BLOT.
6. (*Poetical.*) Sword.

**Brand,** *v. a.* 1. Mark (*with a hot iron*), mark as a criminal.
2. Stigmatize, denounce, gibbet.

**Brand-goose,** *n.* Brant, brent, brant-goose, brent-goose (*Anser bernicla*).

**Brandish,** *v. a.* Flourish, wave, shake.

**Brand-new,** } *a.* Quite new, fire-new, spick and
**Bran-new,** } span new, span new.

**Brangle,** *n.* Squabble, quarrel, wrangle, dispute, jangle, bickering, bandying of words, war of words, branglement.

**Brangle,** *v. n.* Wrangle, squabble. See BICKER.

**Brant,** *n.* Brent, brand-goose, brant-goose (*Anser bernicia, Bernicia brenta*).

**Brash,** *a.* 1. Hasty, rash, impetuous.
2. (*Local, U. S.*) Brittle, fragile, easily broken.

**Brass,** *n.* 1. Alloy of copper and zinc.
2. Assurance, boldness, impudence, impertinence, pertness, effrontery, presumption, audacity, forwardness, face, front.

**Brassy,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Bold, pert, assuming, forward, brazen, brazen-faced.

**Brat,** *n.* [*Term of contempt.*] Child, urchin, bantling, infant, *bairn.*

**Bravado,** *n.* Boast, boasting, brag, bluster, storming, furious bombast.

**Brave,** *a.* 1. Fearless (*from temperament*), courageous, intrepid, daring, undaunted, dauntless, valiant, bold, chivalrous, chivalric, gallant, valorous, doughty, heroic, hardy, spirited, mettlesome, manful, manly, stout-hearted, high-spirited, high-hearted, Spartan, lion-hearted.
2. Gay, brilliant, fine, effective, showy, debonair.
3. Glowing, ruddy, splendid, gorgeous, effulgent.

**Brave,** *n.* 1. (*Rare.*) Bully, hector, blusterer.
2. Indian warrior.

**Brave,** *v. a.* Defy, dare, challenge, set at defiance.

**Bravery,** *n.* Fearlessness, intrepidity, audacity, valor, gallantry, daring, boldness, spirit, mettle, pluck, manhood, heroism, spunk. See COURAGE.

**Bravo,** *n.* Bandit, assassin, assassinator, murderer, cut-throat, daring villain.

**Bravo,** *interj.* Well done.

**Brawl,** *v. n.* 1. Quarrel (*noisily*), dispute (*angrily*), wrangle, brangle, jangle, squabble, bicker.
2. Roar, resound.

**Brawl,** *n.* Quarrel, wrangle, brangle, jangle, squabble, dispute, uproar, broil, altercation, fracas, squabble, fray, feud, tumult, disturbance, row, *mêlée*, rumpus (*colloq.*), outbreak. See AFFRAY.

**Brawny,** *a.* Muscular, sinewy, stalwart, sturdy, athletic, powerful, strong, vigorous, lusty, robust, strapping, Herculean, able-bodied.

**Bray,** *v. a.* Pound (*into small pieces* or *powder*) bruise, crush, grind, comminute, triturate.

**Bray,** *n.* 1. Ass's cry.
2. Harsh sound, blare, roar, crash, blatant voice.

**Bray,** *v. n.* 1. Utter a harsh cry (*like the ass*).
2. Make a harsh sound, clamor, vociferate.

**Braying,** *a.* Blatant, bellowing, clamorous, vociferous, n[illegible]erous.

**Braze,** *v. a.* Solder with brass.

**Brazen,** *a.* 1. Made of brass.
2. Bold, brazen-faced. See BRASSY.

**Brazen-faced,** *a.* Bold, impudent, assuming, forward, pert, saucy, brazen. See BRASSY.

**Brazier,** *n.* 1. Worker *or* artificer in brass.
2. Pan for coals.

**Brazil-root,** *n.* Ipecacuanha, ipecac.

**Brazil-tea,** *n.* Maté.

**Breach,** *n.* 1. Break, fracture, rupture, opening, chasm, gap, crack, flaw, fissure, rent, rift.
2. Infraction, violation, infringement, non-observance.
3. Quarrel, difference, variance, disagreement, dissension, schism, misunderstanding, alienation, disaffection, rupture, falling out.

**Bread,** *n.* Food (*especially food made of grain*), sustenance, aliment, nutriment, nourishment, subsistence, fare, diet, regimen, victuals, viands, provisions.

**Breadth,** *n.* 1. Width.
2. Largeness, openness, freedom, liberality, generosity, tolerance, width of view.

**Break,** *v. a.* 1. Rend, sever, part, dispart, fracture, tear asunder.
2. Shatter, shiver, smash, batter, dash to pieces.
3. Enfeeble, enervate, weaken, impair.
4. Tame, make tractable, make docile.
5. Make bankrupt, bankrupt.
6. Discard, dismiss, discharge, degrade, cashier.
7. Violate, infringe, transgress, disobey, set at nought.
8. Lessen the force of (*as a fall*), mitigate. See ASSUAGE.
9. Interrupt, stop, intermit, cut short.
10. Disclose, open, unfold, lay open.

**Break,** *v. n.* 1. Be shattered, be shivered, be dashed to pieces.
2. Burst, explode.
3. Open, dawn, appear.
4. Become bankrupt.
5. Decline, lose health *or* strength.

**Break,** *n.* 1. Breach, opening, gap, fissure, rent, rift, chasm, rupture, fracture.
2. Interruption, pause, cæsura.
3. Dawn, dawning.

**Break away.** 1. Escape (*against resistance*), break loose.
2. Be scattered, be dissipated.

**Break-bone fever.** Dengue, dandy-fever.

**Break bulk.** Begin to unload.

**Break down.** (*Active.*) Crush, overwhelm, overcome.

**Break down.** (*Neuter.*) Fail, give out.

**Breakdown,** *n.* Crash, fall, ruin, downfall, failure, collapse.

**Breaker,** *n.* Rock-broken surge.

**Break faith.** Be faithless, be perfidious, falsify one's word.

**Break forth.** Issue, burst out, break out.

**Break ground.** Begin, commence operations.

**Break in.** 1. Make an irruption.
2. Intrude one's self, take up the discourse begin to speak, interrupt.

**Breaking,** *n.* Rupture, fracture.

**Break jail.** Escape from jail.

**Break of day.** Dawn, dawning, daybreak, morning, cockcrowing, dayspring, peep of day, prime of day, first blush of the morning. See MORN.
**Break off.** I. Be ruptured.
2. Desist, cease, stop, leave off.
**Break out.** Issue, break forth, burst out.
**Break the ice.** Make a beginning, prepare the way, open a way.
**Breakwater,** *n.* Jetty, pier, mole.
**Break with.** Fall out, part friendship with, separate from, give up association with.
**Breast,** *n.* I. Bosom, thorax, chest.
2. Heart, conscience, affections.
3. Pap, mammary organ, *mamma*, udder, dug.
**Breast,** *v. a.* Face, stem, withstand, oppose, resist, bear the breast against.
**Breast-bone,** *n.* Sternum.
**Breastwork,** *n.* (*Fort.*) Parapet.
**Breath,** *n.* I. Respired air.
2. Breathing, respiration, power to breathe.
3. Exhalation, odor, perfume, aroma.
4. Life, existence, animation, breath of life, vital spark.
5. Respite, pause, rest.
6. Moment, instant, breathing-space.
7. Faint movement, slightest motion, faint breeze.
**Breathe,** *v. n.* I. Respire.
2. Live, exist.
3. Pause, rest, take breath, have a respite.
**Breathe,** *v. a.* I. Respire.
2. Exhale, emit, give out, throw out.
3. Whisper, utter softly.
4. Indicate, manifest, express, show, send forth, diffuse.
**Breathe in.** Inhale, draw into the lungs.
**Breathe out.** Expire, force out of the lungs.
**Breathing,** *n.* I. Respiration.
2. Aspiration, wish, desire, longing, craving, yearning.
**Breathing,** *a.* Living, alive, live.
**Breathing-hole,** *n.* Vent-hole.
**Breathless,** *a.* I. Out of breath.
2. Dead, lifeless, defunct.
**Breech,** *n.* Hinder part, after part, butt.
**Breech-band,** *n.* Breeching.
**Breeches,** *n. pl.* I. Small-clothes, knee-breeches.
2. Trousers, pantaloons.
**Breeching,** *n.* Breech-band.
**Breed,** *v. a.* I. Bring forth, bear, conceive and bring to birth, beget, produce, engender.
2. Nourish, nurture, foster, bring up, rear, raise.
3. Discipline, educate, instruct, train, teach, school, bring up, nurture, rear.
4. Originate, occasion, beget, produce, engender, generate, be the occasion of, give rise to, be the cause of.
**Breed,** *v. n.* I. Bring forth young, produce offspring.
2. Be born, be produced, have birth, arise, take rise, grow, develop.
3. Raise live-stock, engage in breeding.
**Breed,** *n.* Race (*of animals*), lineage, pedigree, progeny, stock, family, line, extraction, strain.
**Breeding,** *n.* I. Procreation, having *or* begetting offspring, bearing, bringing forth.
2. Nurture, education, discipline, instruction, training, schooling, rearing, upbringing.
3. Deportment, manners
**Breeze,** *n.* I. Zephyr, air, gentle gale, moderate wind, light wind.
2. (*Colloq.*) Quarrel, disturbance, commotion, noise, tumult, uproar, stir, agitation.
**Bregma,** *n.* (*Anat.*) Sinciput, top of the head.
**Brent,** *n.* Brant, brand-goose (*Anser bernicla*).
**Brett,** *n.* Britzska
**Breviary,** *n.* I. Abridgment, epitome, compend, compendium, summary, synopsis, syllabus, abstract, digest, brief, conspectus, outline, sum and substance
2. Prayer-book.
**Brevipennate,** *a.* (*Ornith.*) Short-winged.
**Brevity,** *n.* I. Briefness, shortness.
2. Conciseness, terseness, compression, succinctness, pithiness.
**Brew,** *v. a.* I. Prepare by fermentation.
2. Contrive, plot, devise, project, hatch, concoct, foment, excite, stir up.
**Brew,** *v. n.* I. Make beer, be a brewer.
2. Be gathering, be forming.
**Brewery,** *n.* Brew-house.
**Bribe,** *n.* Reward of treachery, price of corruption, corrupting gift.
**Bribe,** *v. a.* Suborn, gain by a bribe, give a bribe to.
**Bridal,** *a.* Nuptial, connubial, hymeneal, matrimonial, conjugal.
**Bridal,** *n.* Marriage, wedding, nuptials, nuptial festival.
**Bridewell,** *n.* Prison, jail, penitentiary, workhouse, house of correction.
**Bridge,** *v. a.* I. Build a bridge over *or* upon, span with a bridge.
2. [Usually with *over*.] Span, traverse, overcome, surmount.
**Bridle,** *n.* Restraint, curb, check.
**Bridle,** *v. a.* I. Put a bridle on, bit.
2. Restrain, check, curb, control, govern.
3. [Usually with *up*.] Ruffle, rustle, bristle, toss the head, be incensed, put on an air of offended dignity.
**Brief,** *a.* I. Short, concise, succinct, compendious, laconic, curt.
2. Short, transitory, fleeting, transient, temporary, short-lived, ephemeral.
**Brief,** *n.* I. Epitome, compendium, summary, synopsis, syllabus, abstract, breviary, abridgment, conspectus.
2. Pontifical letter, papal rescript.
3. (*Law.*) Writ, precept.
**Briefless,** *a.* Without clients, unretained, unemployed, without business.
**Briefly,** *ad.* Concisely, in short, in brief, in a few words.
**Brigand,** *n.* Robber, highwayman, footpad, freebooter, marauder, outlaw, bandit.
**Bright,** *a.* I. Luminous, shining, resplendent, glowing, lustrous, beaming, gleaming, glittering, glistening, glistering, twinkling, beaming, shimmering, sparkling, scintillating, scintillant, coruscating, flashing, flaming, blazing, dazzling, irradiant, radiant, brilliant, effulgent, refulgent, splendid, luminiferous, luciferous, light, vivid, nitid, sheeny, glossy, burnished, sunny, orient, noon-day, meridian, noontide, fulgid, fulgent, beamy, silvery, argent.
2. Clear, transparent, lucid, pellucid, lucent, lambent, cloudless, untroubled, limpid.
3. Illustrious, glorious, famous.
4. Acute, ingenious, discerning, keen. See INTELLIGENT.
5. Auspicious, cheering, promising, propitious, encouraging, favorable, enlivening, inspiriting, exhilarating, inspiring.
6. Merry, lively, cheerful, cheery, happy, sprightly, genial, smiling, pleasant, animated, vivacious.
**Bright,** *n.* Brightness, light, splendor, effulgence, sheen, radiance, lustre, luminosity, luminousness.
**Brighten,** *v. a.* I. Polish, burnish, furbish, make bright, illuminate, illumine, illume, irradiate.

2. Make cheerful, make joyous, cheer, animate, enliven, encourage, hearten, exhilarate, inspirit, inspire.

**Brighten,** *v. n.* Grow bright *or* brighter, clear, clear up, improve, grow better, become more encouraging.

**Brightness,** *n.* 1. Lustre, splendor, brilliancy, radiance, resplendence, effulgence, light, sheen, luminousness, luminosity, shine, glow, blaze, gloss, burnish, gleam, gleaming, beam, beaming, flash, flashing, flame, flaming, sparkle, sparkling.

2. Clearness, transparency, lucidity, lucency, translucency, limpidity, cloudlessness, uncloudedness.

3. Acuteness, ingenuity, sagacity, acumen, astuteness, discernment, mother-wit, quick parts.

4. Cheerfulness, cheeriness, merriment, liveliness, happiness, sprightliness, vivacity, vivaciousness, animation, geniality, lightness.

**Brilliancy,** *n.* 1. Splendor, lustre, brightness, effulgence, refulgence, radiance, shine, sheen, gloss, glister, glitter, gleam, sparkle, sparkling, brilliance.

2. Fame, illustriousness, renown, distinction, eminence, celebrity, prominence, excellence, preeminence, force.

**Brilliant,** *a.* 1. Sparkling, glittering, splendid, lustrous, shining, bright, beaming, radiant, effulgent, refulgent, resplendent, glistening, gleaming. See BRIGHT, 1.

2. Illustrious, glorious, celebrated, famous, renowned, distinguished, eminent, admirable.

3. Striking, prominent, decided, unusual, impressive, signal, dazzling.

**Brilliant,** *n.* Diamond (*cut into facets*).

**Brim,** *n.* 1. Edge, border, rim, verge, margin, skirt, brink.

2. Shore, bank, border, margin, marge, rim, sands, coast.

**Brimful,** *a.* Quite full, full to the brim, choke-full, *or* chock-full, *or* chuck-full, full to overflowing.

**Brimstone,** *n.* 1. Sulphur.

2. [*Commercial term.*] Cane brimstone, roll sulphur, stick sulphur.

**Brinded,** } *a.* Tabby.
**Brindled,** }

**Brine,** *n.* 1. Salt water.

2. Sea, ocean, deep, main.

**Bring,** *v. a.* 1. Convey, bear, fetch.

2. Conduct, convey, lead, guide, attend, accompany, convoy.

3. Produce, gain, procure, obtain, be the cause of, be the means of.

4. Draw, lead, induce, prevail upon.

**Bring about.** Effect, achieve, accomplish, bring to pass.

**Bring back.** 1. Recall, call to mind, recover, recollect.

2. Restore, return.

**Bring down.** Humble, abase.

**Bring forth.** 1. Give birth to, bear.

2. Produce, exhibit, show, expose, bring out, bring to light, make manifest.

**Bring forward.** Introduce, propose, bring in.

**Bring near.** See APPROXIMATE.

**Bring on.** Originate, give rise to, occasion.

**Bring out.** Produce, expose, show, exhibit, bring forth, bring to light.

**Bring over.** 1. Bear across, fetch over.

2. Convert, win over.

**Bring to.** 1. Check the course of (*said of a ship*).

2. Resuscitate, revive.

**Bring under.** Subdue, repress, restrain, conquer, get the better of.

**Bring up.** Educate, instruct, rear, nurse, breed, nurture.

**Brink,** *n.* 1. Edge, border, margin, verge, brow.

2. Shore, bank, brim, rim, margin, marge, sands, border.

**Briny,** *a.* Salt.

**Brisk,** *a.* Active, lively, quick, agile, nimble, smart, alert, spry, spirited, vivacious, sprightly.

**Bristle,** *v. a.* 1. Point with a bristle, fasten a bristle on.

2. Make bristly, roughen, erect in bristles, corrugate, bethorn, bespine, ruffle.

**Bristle,** *v. n.* 1. Stand on end, stand up like bristles.

2. Be horrent.

3. [With *up.*] Become irritated, show anger, take offence, ruffle, bridle.

**Brittle,** *a.* Fragile, crumbling, shivery, frail, frangible, brash, easily broken (*into pieces*), easily shivered.

**Britzka,** *n.* Brett.

**Broach,** *v. a.* 1. Pierce, tap, set running, open (*for the first time*).

2. Open (*a subject*), suggest, hint, approach one on, break.

3. Utter, publish, proclaim, give out.

**Broached,** *a.* Tapped, abroach, on tap.

**Broad,** *a.* 1. Wide.

2. Large, ample, extensive, expanded, extended, vast, wide-reaching, spacious, capacious.

3. Liberal, uncontracted, large, large-minded, enlarged, hospitable, tolerant, free from narrowness.

4. Spread, diffused, open.

5. Gross, indelicate, vulgar, indecent, unrefined, coarse.

**Broaden,** *v. a.* Widen, make broad, enlarge, liberalize.

**Broadside,** *n.* 1. Cannonade (*from all the guns on the side of a ship*).

2. Placard, bill, poster, hand-bill.

**Brochure,** *n.* [Fr.] Pamphlet.

**Brock,** *n.* Badger, bawson, bawsin.

**Broil,** *n.* Affray, fray, quarrel, contention, feud. See BRAWL.

**Broken,** *a.* 1. Shattered, shivered, rent, severed, separated.

2. Weakened, impaired, feeble, enfeebled, shattered, shaken, spent, wasted, exhausted.

3. Imperfect, defective, hesitating, stammering, halting, stumbling.

4. Humble, lowly, penitent, contrite.

5. Abrupt, craggy, steep, precipitous, rough.

**Broken-hearted,** *a.* Disconsolate, inconsolable, comfortless, cheerless, sad, sorrowful, melancholy, woe-begone, forlorn, undone, crushed, broken-down, despairing, hopeless, quite dispirited, heart-broken, in despair.

**Broker,** *n.* Factor, agent, middleman, go-between.

**Bronze,** *n.* 1. Alloy of copper, tin, and zinc.

2. Brown, brown color.

3. Brass, impudence, assurance, effrontery.

**Bronze,** *v. a.* 1. Brown, embrown, embronze.

2. Harden, indurate, render insensible *or* unfeeling.

**Brooch,** *n.* Pin, clasp, broach.

**Brood,** *v. n.* 1. Incubate, sit.

2. Lie outspread, lie incumbent, lie low.

**Brood,** *n.* 1. Offspring, progeny, issue.

2. Breed, sort, kind, line, lineage, strain, extraction.

**Brood over.** Dwell upon, think anxiously upon, morbidly meditate.

**Brook,** *n.* Rivulet, streamlet, run, runnel, runlet, rill, burn, beck, small stream.

**Brook,** *v. a.* Endure, bear, abide, tolerate, suffer, put up with, submit to, bear with, take patiently *or* easily.

**Broom,** *n.* Besom.

**Broth,** *n.* Soup (*in which meat has been macerated*).
**Brothel,** *n.* Bagnio, stew, bawdy-house, bordel, house of prostitution, house of ill-fame.
**Brotherhood,** *n.* 1. Relation of a brother, body of brethren.
2. Brotherliness, mutual kindness, friendliness, fraternal feeling, brotherly love.
3. Fraternity, association, sodality, society, clique, coterie, clan, junto.
**Brotherly,** *a.* Fraternal, affectionate, kind, amicable, friendly, cordial.
**Brow,** *n.* 1. Eyebrow.
2. Forehead.
3. Edge (*as of a precipice*), brink, border.
**Browbeat,** *v. a.* Bully, overbear, beat down, treat insolently.
**Brown study.** Reverie, musing, abstraction, preoccupation, absence, absence of mind.
**Brownwort,** *n.* Yellow figwort.
**Browse,** *n.* Tender twigs of shrubs and trees.
**Browse,** *v. a.* Nibble, crop, feed upon.
**Browse,** *v. n.* 1. Feed on browse.
2. (*Colloq.*) Live precariously.
**Bruin,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Bear.
**Bruise,** *v. a.* 1. Crush, squeeze, contuse.
2. Break, batter, pound, bray, pulverize, comminute, triturate, break to pieces.
3. Indent, batter, deface.
**Bruise,** *n.* Contusion.
**Bruit,** *n.* Rumor, fame, report, hearsay, town-talk.
**Bruit,** *v. a.* Report, noise, blaze, blazon, *or* spread abroad.
**Brunt,** *n.* Shock, heat of onset.
**Brush,** *n.* 1. Skirmish, engagement, rencounter, encounter, contest, fight, conflict, collision, action, affair.
2. Thicket, bushes, shrubs, underwood, brushwood.
**Brushwood,** *n.* Underwood, shrubs, bushes, brush.
**Brusque,** } *a.* Rude, rough, blunt, unceremonious,
**Brusk,** } abrupt, bluff, gruff, ungentle, uncivil, ungracious, bearish, discourteous, uncourteous, impolite.
**Brutal,** *a.* 1. Savage, ferocious, cruel, inhuman, unfeeling, barbarous, barbarian, fell, barbaric, ruthless, truculent, bloody, brutish, brute.
2. Churlish, gruff, bearish, harsh, uncivil, rude, rough, impolite, unmannerly, brusque, ungentlemanly.
3. Gross, coarse, sensual, carnal, brutish, beastly, bestial.
**Brutality,** *n.* Savageness, inhumanity, barbarity, cruelty, brutishness, ferocity, truculence, hardness of heart.
**Brute,** *n.* 1. Beast (*in a wild state*), quadruped, four-footed animal, ferocious animal.
2. Ruffian, barbarian, brutal monster.
**Brute,** *a.* 1. Irrational, void of reason.
2. Dumb, speechless, inarticulate, silent, voiceless, destitute of language.
3. Bestial, savage, barbarous. See BRUTAL.
4. Rough, rude, uncivilized.
**Brutish,** *a.* 1. See BRUTAL.
2. Irrational, brute.
3. Stupid, dull, insensible, stolid.
4. Gross, carnal, sensual, bestial, beastly.
**Brutum fulmen.** [L.] Harmless thunderbolt, loud but harmless threatening, empty sound, "sound and fury, signifying nothing."
**Bubble,** *n.* 1. Bleb, blob, fluid vesicle.
2. Trifle, bagatelle, small matter.
3. Cheat, delusion, hoax, false show.
**Buccaneer,** *n.* Pirate, corsair, sea-rover, sea-robber, freebooter, picaroon.
**Buck,** *n.* 1. Male (*of the deer, sheep, goat, rabbit, and hare*).
2. Blade, spark, gallant, blood, fop, dandy, beau; gay, dashing fellow.
3. Lye, bleaching-matter, bleaching-liquid.
**Buckish,** *a.* Gay, dashing, dandified, foppish.
**Buckle,** *n.* 1. Clasp, brooch, broach.
2. Curl, crimp, crimpage.
**Buckle,** *v. a.* Fasten with a buckle.
**Buckle,** *v. n.* 1. Bend, bow, double up, curl, shrivel.
2. (*Rare.*) Struggle, contend, strive.
**Buckle one's self.** Apply vigorously, set one's self earnestly.
**Buckler,** *n.* 1. Shield, ægis.
2. Defence, protection, safeguard.
**Bucolic,** *n.* Eclogue, pastoral, idyl, pastoral poem.
**Bucolic,** } *a.* Pastoral, rustic.
**Bucolical,** }
**Bud,** *n.* Germ, gem, bourgeon, sprout, shoot.
**Bud,** *v. n.* Sprout, shoot, push, bourgeon, germinate, vegetate, pullulate, put forth, burst forth, shoot forth.
**Budge,** *v. n.* Stir, move, go, move the least, flinch.
**Budget,** *n.* 1. Bag (*with its contents*), pack, packet, parcel, package, bundle, roll.
2. Stock, store, batch, lot, set, assortment, collection.
3. Governmental estimate, fiscal estimate.
**Buff,** *n.* Buff-skin.
**Buff,** *a.* 1. Light yellow.
2. Made of buff *or* buff-skin.
**Buffalo,** *n.* [*U. S.*] Bison.
**Buffer,** *n.* 1. Buffing-apparatus, guard, concussion-guard.
2. Stupid lout, clown, dolt, duffer.
**Buffet,** *n.* 1. Slap, box, knock, stroke, rap, blow, cuff.
2. Cupboard, sideboard.
3. Refreshment-counter, luncheon-board.
**Buffet,** *v. a.* 1. Beat, box, slap, strike, smite, cuff.
2. Struggle against, contend against, resist.
**Buffle-headed,** *a.* Dull, doltish, foolish, blockish, simple, witless, thick-skulled, stolid, loutish, beetle-headed, ox-headed, muddle-headed. See STUPID.
**Buffoon,** *n.* Mountebank, harlequin, jester, droll, merry-andrew, punch, punchinello, clown, zany, scaramouch, fool, antic, jack-pudding, pickle-herring.
**Buffoonery,** *n.* Jesting (*of a low sort*), mummery, foolery, tomfoolery, harlequinade, low pranks, vulgar tricks.
**Buff-skin,** *n.* Buff.
**Bugaboo,** *n.* See BUGBEAR.
**Bugbear,** *n.* Hobgoblin, spectre, ogre, bugaboo, Gorgon, hydra, frightful object, raw head and bloody bones, object of baseless terror.
**Bugle,** *n.* 1. Hunting-horn, bugle-horn.
2. (*Mil.*) Call-bugle, key-bugle.
3. Elongated bead, drop-ornament.
**Build,** *v. a.* Construct, erect, raise, fabricate.
**Build,** *v. n.* Construct edifices.
**Build,** *n.* Make, form, shape, construction, model, figure.
**Building,** *n.* 1. Construction.
2. Structure, edifice, erection, fabric, pile.
**Build up.** Establish, settle, preserve, increase, strengthen.
**Build upon.** Depend on, rest on, repose on, rely upon, calculate upon, reckon upon, count upon.
**Bulb,** *n.* 1. (*Bot.*) Scaly bud (*like those of the onion and the tulip*).
2. Protuberance.
**Bulbous,** *a.* 1. (*Bot.*) Like a bulb, having bulbs, bulb-like.
2. Round, roundish, protuberant, swelling out.
**Bulbul,** *n.* (Persian) nightingale (*Pycnonotus jocosus*).

**Bulge,** *n.* Protuberance, bilge, belly, swell, swelling.
**Bulge,** *v. n.* Protrude, jut out, swell, be protuberant.
**Bulk,** *n.* 1. Magnitude, size, volume, mass, dimensions.
2. Largeness, bulkiness, great size, bigness, massyness, massiveness, greatness, amplitude.
3. Majority, mass, body, major part, most, main part, greater part, principal part.
**Bulkhead,** *n.* (*Naut.*) Partition, dividing wall.
**Bulky,** *a.* Large, great, big, huge, vast, massive, massy, of great size *or* bulk.
**Bull,** *n.* 1. Male (usually of bovine animals).
2. Edict (*issued by the Pope*), rescript.
3. Blunder (*involving a contradiction*), gross mistake.
4. (*Astron.*) Taurus.
5. Speculator on a rise, stimulator of the stock-market.
**Bull-head,** *n.* 1. Blockhead, simpleton, fool. See DUNCE.
2. Horn-pout, mud-pout, cat-fish (*Pimelodus cattus*).
**Bully,** *n.* 1. Blusterer, swaggerer, vaporer, hector, fire-eater, Hotspur, mock hero, swash-buckler, browbeater, bully-rook, bully-rock, domineering stormer.
2. Desperado, villain, blackguard, bawd-protector, harlot's henchman.
**Bully,** *v. a.* Browbeat, overbear, intimidate with threats, treat insolently.
**Bullying,** *a.* Blustering, swaggering, vaporing, vaunting, hectoring, bluff, gruff, bearish.
**Bullying,** *n.* Bluster, swagger, fanfaronade, gasconade, vaporing, hectoring, fire-eating, mock-heroics, browbeating, domineering.
**Bulwark,** *n.* 1. Rampart, redoubt, fortification.
2. Security, safeguard, palladium, protection, main reliance, chief defence.
**Bumble-bee,** *n.* Humble-bee.
**Bump,** *n.* 1. Thump, knock, blow, shock, jar, jolt.
2. Swelling, protuberance, lump.
3. (*Colloquial, in allusion to the doctrine of Phrenology that protuberances on the skull indicate faculties of the mind*). Faculty, power, endowment, gift.
**Bump,** *v. a.* Knock, thump, strike, hit.
**Bump,** *v. n.* 1. Come in contact, strike together, strike, thump.
2. Boom (*as the bittern*), make a hollow, resounding noise.
**Bumper,** *n.* Full glass, flowing bowl, brimming beaker, brimmed goblet.
**Bumpkin,** *n.* Rustic, peasant, clodpoll, clown, boor, hind, lout, lubber, swain, ploughman, country-fellow, chaw-bacon (*colloq.*).
**Bumptious,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Conceited, vain, egotistical, self-opinionated, self-conceited.
**Bunch,** *n.* 1. Protuberance, hunch, knob, lump, bump.
2. Cluster (*as of grapes*)
3. Batch, assortment, lot, set, parcel, collection, group.
4. Tuft, knot.
**Bundle,** *n.* Package, pack, packet, parcel, budget, roll.
**Bundle,** *v. a.* Tie in a bundle, put into bundles, bundle up.
**Bundle,** *v. n.* 1. Depart hurriedly, set off in a hurry.
2. Sleep together (*without undressing*).
**Bundle off.** (*Active.*) Send off in a hurry, hurry off.
**Bundle out.** Hustle out, thrust out.
**Bundle up.** (*Active.*) Bundle, wrap up.
**Bungle,** *v. a.* Botch, do clumsily, mismanage, make a botch of, make a mess of.
**Bungle,** *v. n.* Work clumsily, be a botcher.
**Bungler,** *n.* Botcher, lout, mismanager, lubber, fumbler, clumsy workman, bad hand (*at anything*), fresh-water sailor.
**Bungling,** *a.* 1. Clumsy, awkward, unhandy, unskilful, maladroit, inapt.
2. Ill-done, botched.
**Bunk,** *n.* (*Colloq. U. S.*) Berth, bed.
**Bunk,** *v. n.* (*Colloq. U. S.*) Lie (*in a bunk*), sleep.
**Bunker,** *n.* Bin, crib.
**Bunt,** *v. n.* (*Colloq.*) Butt, strike with the head *or* the horns.
**Buoy,** *n.* Float (*to indicate shoals, anchoring-places, etc.*).
**Buoyancy,** *n.* 1. Lightness, levity, specific lightness.
2. Vivacity, liveliness, sprightliness, cheerfulness. See GAYETY.
**Buoyant,** *a.* 1. Tending to float, light.
2. Cheerful, hopeful, lively, sprightly, vivacious, animated, spirited, joyful, joyous, gay, blithe, blithesome, jocund, sportive, elated, jubilant, in good spirits, in high spirits, full of life, full of spirit.
**Buoy up.** 1. Float, keep afloat, bear up, keep on the surface.
2. Encourage, sustain, keep up, keep in spirits, keep in heart, hearten, embolden, reassure.
**Burbot,** *n.* Eel-pout, Coney-fish (*Lota vulgaris*).
**Burden,** / **Burthen,** *n.* 1. Load, weight.
2. Cargo, freight, lading
3. Capacity, carrying capacity, tonnage.
4. Encumbrance, clog, impediment, incubus, grievance, trial, trouble, sorrow, affliction, drag weight, dead weight.
5. Chorus, refrain.
6. Main topic, drift, tenor, point, substance, reiterated doctrine.
**Burden,** *v. a.* Load, overload, overlay, oppress, surcharge, put a burden upon, grieve, try, afflict.
**Burdensome,** *a.* 1. Heavy, oppressive, onerous.
2. Troublesome, grievous, afflicting, hard to bear.
**Bureau,** *n.* 1. Chest of drawers.
2. Office, counting-room, place of business.
3. Department (*of Government*).
**Burgall,** *n.* Conner, cunner, chogset, blue perch.
**Burgher,** *n.* Townsman, citizen, dweller in the town.
**Burglar,** *n.* House-breaker.
**Burglary,** *n.* House-breaking.
**Burial,** *n.* Interment, sepulture, inhumation, entombment, burying.
**Burial-ground,** *n.* Cemetery, grave-yard, burying-ground, church-yard, necropolis, God's Acre.
**Burin,** *n.* Graver, style.
**Burke,** *v. a.* 1. Suffocate, murder by suffocation, smother to death.
2. Smother, suppress, shelve, bury, shuffle aside.
**Burlesque,** *a.* Caricaturing, travestying, parodying, parodical, ridiculing.
**Burlesque,** *n.* Caricature, travesty, parody, farce, ludicrous representation, piece of ridicule
**Burlesque,** *v. a.* Caricature, travesty, make ludicrous *or* ridiculous
**Burly,** *a.* 1. Stout, lusty, brawny, portly, bulky, strong, strapping, bouncing (*colloq.*).
2. (*Obsolescent.*) Boisterous, noisy, blustering, swaggering, bullying, hectoring, coarse and rough.
**Burn,** *v. a.* 1. Consume (with fire), reduce to ashes.
2. Calcine, char, scorch, toast, parch, bake.
3. Injure by fire *or* heat.
4. Shrivel, cause to wither.
5. Tan, bronze, brown, embrown.

**Burn,** *v. n.* I. Flame, be on fire.
2. Glow, warm, be excited.
3. Tingle, be hot, be feverish.
**Burn,** *n.* [*Scotch.*] Brook, rivulet, streamlet, runnel, runlet, rivulet, rill, beck, small stream.
**Burning,** *a.* I. Fiery, flaming, hot, scorching.
2. Glowing, ardent, fervent, fervid, impassioned, intense, earnest.
3. Vehement, powerful.
4. Feverish, fevered, hot.
**Burning-glass,** *n.* Convex lens.
**Burnish,** *v. a.* Polish, furbish, brighten, make bright, make glossy, make glisten *or* glistening.
**Burn one's fingers.** Get one's self into trouble (*as by meddling in the affairs of others, or by speculation*), smart for it, get scorched.
**Bursar,** *n.* I. Treasurer, cashier (*of a college* or *monastery*).
2. Holder of a bursary.
**Bursary,** *n.* I. Treasury, pay-office.
2. Prize, stipendiary reward *or* gift.
**Burst,** *v n.* I. Break open (*from internal pressure*), fly open, be rent asunder, explode, blow up, split, split open, crack.
2. Break (out *or* forth *or* upon) suddenly.
**Burst,** *v. a.* Rend asunder, break open, split apart.
**Burst,** *n.* I. Explosion. See BURSTING.
2. Sudden rush, outpouring, gust, breaking forth.
**Bursting,** *n.* Explosion, disruption, blast, blasting, burst.
**Bury,** *v. a.* I. Cover (*with earth, etc.*), cover up.
2. Inter, inhume, entomb, inurn, inearth, lay in the grave, consign to the grave.
3. Hide, conceal, secrete, shroud.
4. Immure, confine, plunge into retirement.
5. Cover with oblivion, utterly forget, hide beyond remembrance, lay aside forever, cancel, compose, hush.
**Burying,** *n.* Interment, sepulture, inhumation, entombment, burial.
**Burying-ground,** *n.* Cemetery. See BURIAL-GROUND.
**Bury the hatchet.** Make peace, be reconciled, sheathe the sword, put up the sword.
**Bush,** *n.* Shrub.
**Bushel,** *n.* Four pecks, eight gallons, thirty-two quarts.
**Business,** *n.* I. Calling, employment, occupation, pursuit, vocation, profession, craft, avocation, walk of life.
2. Trade, commerce, traffic, dealing.
3. Concern, matter, affair, transaction.
4. Office, duty, function.
**Buskin,** *n.* I. Half-boot (*especially one with high soles, worn by the ancient tragedians*).
2. Tragedy, tragic drama.
**Buskined,** *a.* I. Dressed in buskins.
2. (*Rare.*) Tragic
**Buss,** *v. a* (*Colloq.*) Kiss.
**Buss,** *n.* Kiss, smack.
**Bustle,** *v. n.* Fuss, stir about, busy one's self, be active, be busy, bestir one's self, make a fuss, be in a fidget, be in a pucker (*colloq.*), be in a stew, make much ado about trifles *or* about nothing.
**Bustle,** *n* I. Stir, fuss, hurry, flurry, tumult, pother, commotion, ado, to-do.
2. Bishop, tournure
**Busy,** *a.* I. Engaged, employed, occupied, at work, hard at work.
2. Diligent, assiduous, industrious, sedulous, notable, active, working, hard-working.
3. Brisk, stirring, bustling, nimble, agile, spry, constantly in motion.
4. Meddling, officious, pragmatical, priggish.
**Busy,** *v. a.* Occupy, employ, make busy.
**Busybody,** *n.* Meddler, intermeddler, meddlesome person, officious person, prig.
**But,** *conj.* I. On the other hand, on the contrary.
2. Yet, still, however, nevertheless, moreover, further.
3. Unless, if it were not that, if it be not that.
4. But that, otherwise than that.
**But,** *prep.* Except, excepting.
**But,** *ad.* Only, no more than.
**But,** *n.* I. End (*especially the larger end*), but-end.
2. Bound, boundary, mete, goal, limit.
**Butcher,** *n.* I. Slaughterer, flesher.
2. Murderer, slayer, assassin, cut-throat, thug, bravo.
3. Indiscriminate slayer, wholesale killer.
**Butcher,** *v. a.* I. Slaughter, kill for food, kill for the market.
2. Murder barbarously, massacre, slaughter.
3. Slay indiscriminately, kill by thousands.
**Butchery,** *n.* I. Murder, slaughter, massacre.
2. Great slaughter, wholesale killing, carnage, enormous bloodshed.
**But-end,** *n.* Blunt end, but.
**Butt,** *n.* I. Mark, object, target, point aimed at.
2. Laughing-stock.
3. Stroke, blow.
4. Cask, pipe.
**Butt,** *v. n.* Strike (with the head *or* the horns), push, bunt (*colloq.*)
**Butter-bird,** *n.* Bobolink, rice-bird, rice-bunting, reed-bird, skunk-bird, skunk-blackbird, Bob o' Lincoln, Bob Lincoln, Robert o' Lincoln (*Dolichonyx oryzivorus*).
**Buttercup,** *n.* King-cup, gold-cup, crowfoot, ranunculus, butter-flower
**Butterfly-shaped,** *a.* Papilionaceous.
**Buttery,** *n.* Pantry.
**Buttock,** *n.* Rump.
**Button-ball tree.** See BUTTON-WOOD.
**Button-hole,** *v. a.* Persuade importunately, hang about, prose at, bore.
**Button-holer,** *n.* Bore, proser, importunate tease, barnacle.
**Button-wood,** *n.* Sycamore, plane-tree, button-ball tree, water-birch (*Platanus occidentalis*).
**Buttress,** *n.* and *v. a.* Shore, prop, support, stay, brace.
**Buxom,** *a.* I. Healthy, vigorous, plump, hearty, well-fed, rosy, ruddy, comely, fresh, fresh-looking, in high health.
2. Gay, brisk, sprightly, lively, cheerful, jocund, jolly, blithe.
**Buy,** *v a.* I. Purchase.
2. Bribe, corrupt, pervert with money *or* gain.
**Buzz,** *v. n.* I. Hum, make a humming sound (*as bees*).
2. Whisper, murmur.
**Buzz,** *n.* I. Hum, humming noise.
2. Whisper, murmur.
**By,** *prep.* I. Through (*as the cause,* or *the remote agent*), by the agency of, by means of, by dint of. See WITH.
2. At, on, by way of.
3. From, according to.
4. Near to, close by, near.
5. Past.
6. Along, over.
7. In the name of, before, in the sight of.
8. In proportion to, in the quantity of, per, a.
**By,** *ad* Near.
**By and by.** I. Presently, soon, before long, in a short time.
2. After a while, hereafter, some time hence.

**By chance.** 1. Perhaps, perchance, possibly, haply, peradventure, maybe, it may be, as luck may have it.
2. As it happened, as luck would have it, it so happened that, accidentally, it so chanced that.
**By degrees.** Gradually, step by step, little by little, by little and little.
**By dint of.** By, by force of, by means of, by the agency of.
**By-end,** *n.* By-purpose, private interest, secret purpose, self-interested purpose, clandestine design.
**By far.** Very much, in a great degree, greatly, exceedingly.
**By fits.** Irregularly, fitfully, by fits and starts.
**Bygone,** *a.* Past, gone by.
**By hand.** With the hands, by the use of the hands.
**By hook or by crook.** Somehow *or* other, one way *or* other, in one way *or* another, some means *or* other.
**By one's self.** 1. Alone, solitary.
2. Alone, by one's own powers, without help, without assistance, without aid, out of one's own head.
**By-path,** *n.* 1. By-way, side-path.
2. Private way, secret path, devious way, indirect course, crooked means.
**By-place,** *n.* Retired place, out-of-the-way place.
**By-purpose,** *n.* See By-end.
**By-road,** *n.* Private road, unfrequented road.
**By-room,** *n.* Private room. See Cabinet.
**By rote.** Mechanically, perfunctorily, parrot-like, by mere repetition, without any exercise of the understanding, with no attention to the meaning.
**Bystander,** *n.* Spectator, looker-on.
**By stealth.** Secretly, clandestinely.
**By the board.** Overboard, over the side.
**By the bye.** In passing, *en passant, apropos* of the matter in hand, by the way.
**By the job.** At a stipulated price (*for the whole job*), by contract.
**By the strike.** By the level measure.
**By the way.** See By the bye.
**By-way,** *n.* By-path, private way, side-path, secluded road, out-of-the-way path.
**Byword,** *n.* 1. Saying, saw, maxim, adage, proverb, aphorism, apothegm, dictum, sententious precept.
2. Object of contempt, mark for scorn.
3. Slang, cant term.

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**Cabal,** *n.* 1. Clique (*for some sinister purpose*), junto, coterie, set, party, gang, faction, combination, league, confederacy, *camarilla.*
2. Intrigue, plot, complot, conspiracy, machination.
**Cabal,** *v. n.* Intrigue, plot, conspire, complot, machinate.
**Cabalistic,** *a.* Occult, secret, mysterious, mystic, mystical, dark.
**Cabaret,** *n.* Tavern, inn, wine-shop, public-house, house of entertainment.
**Cabbage,** *n.* 1. Plant of the genus *Brassica.*
2. [*Cant term.*] Shreds of cloth, tailors' remnants.
**Cabbage,** *v. a.* (*Colloq.*) Steal, purloin, filch, pilfer, make off with.
**Cabin,** *n.* Hut, hovel, shed, cot, cottage, humble dwelling.
**Cabinet,** *n.* 1. Closet, boudoir, by-room, small room, private room, retired apartment, private apartment.
2. Collection (*of antiquities, curiosities, specimens, etc.*).
3. Case, set of encased drawers.
4. Ministry, council, body of advisers.
**Caboose,** *n.* [Written also *Camboose.*] Cook-room (*of a ship*), galley.
**Cabriolet,** *n.* Cab, hansom, brougham.
**Cachalot,** *n.* Sperm-whale, spermaceti whale (*Physeter macrocephalus*).
**Cachinnation,** *n.* Laughter (*loud* or *immoderate*), laugh, guffaw, horse-laugh.
**Cackle,** *v. n.* 1. Laugh (*with a sound like the cackling of a goose*), giggle, titter, snicker.
2. Chatter, prattle, babble, palaver, talk idly, talk nonsense. See Prate.
**Cackle,** *n.* Prattle, twaddle, idle talk, small talk. See Prate.
**Cacoethes,** *n.* [L.] 1. Bad habit, bad custom, diseased propensity.
2. (*Med.*) Incurable ulcer.
**Cacophonous,** *a.* Harsh, grating, discordant, cacophonic (al), cacophonious.
**Cacophony,** *n.* 1. Discord, jarring, jar, harsh sound.
2. (*Rhet.*) Inharmonious phraseology, discordant diction.
**Cadaver,** *n.* Corpse, dead body, body, remains, subject (*for dissection*).
**Cadaverous,** *a.* Pale, pallid, wan, ghastly, death-like.
**Caddice,** } *n.* Case-worm, cade-worm, caddy, ca-
**Caddis,** } dew, cad-bait, cod-bait, cad-bate.
**Caddice-fly,** } *n.* May-fly.
**Caddis-fly,** }
**Cadence,** *n* 1. Fall of the voice.
2. Tone, intonation, modulation of the voice.
**Cade-worm,** *n.* See Caddice.
**Caduceous,** *n.* [L.] Mercury's rod, Mercury's staff.
**Caducity,** *n.* 1. Tendency to decay, tendency to fall
2. Decadence, decline, senility, dotage.
**Caducous,** *a.* 1. Tending to decay, decaying, declining, decadent, dropping, falling
2. (*Bot.* and *Zool.*) Dropping off early, deciduous, non-persistent, temporary, transient.
**Cæsura,** *n.* Pause (*in a verse*), break.
**Cæteris paribus.** [L.] Other things being equal, in like circumstances.
**Café,** *n.* [Fr.] Restaurant, coffee-house
**Caitiff,** *n.* Villain, wretch, miscreant, coward, sneak, traitor, knave, rascal, scoundrel, mean fellow, vagabond, bezonian.
**Cajole,** *v. a.* 1. Coax, wheedle, flatter, fawn upon, blandish.
2. Deceive (*by flattery*), delude, beguile, inveigle, entrap, impose upon.
**Cajolery,** *n.* 1. Flattery, wheedling, fawning, coaxing, adulation, blandishment, blarney.
2. Deceit, deception, imposture, imposition.

**Cake,** *v. n.* Harden, solidify, concrete, become firm *or* solid.

**Calamar,** } *n.* Decapod, cuttle-fish, squid, sea-
**Calamary,** } sleeve, preke, pen-fish.

**Calambour,** *n.* Mottled aloes-wood.

**Calamine,** *n.* Silicate of zinc (*in a mineral state*).

**Calamitous,** *a.* Disastrous, unlucky, unfortunate, adverse, untoward, unhappy, unprosperous, hapless, ill-fated, ill-starred, deplorable, ruinous, miserable, wretched, dreadful, distressful, distressing, baleful, severe, afflictive, sad, grievous.

**Calamity,** *n.* Disaster, misfortune, catastrophe, mishap, mischance, reverse, visitation, trial, blow, stroke, trouble, affliction, adversity, distress, misery, evil, ill, hardship, casualty, ill-luck, ill fortune.

**Calcareous,** *a.* Limy.

**Calcareous spar.** Iceland spar, Iceland crystal, crystallized carbonate of lime.

**Calcine,** *v. a.* Burn, reduce to ashes, powder.

**Calculable,** *a.* Computable.

**Calculate,** *v. a.* 1. Compute, reckon, estimate, count, rate, cast.
2. Adjust, adapt, fit, suit.

**Calculate,** *v. n.* Tell, estimate, make a calculation, make a computation, cast accounts.

**Calculate upon.** Anticipate, contemplate, foresee, expect, look forward to, look out for, reckon upon, count upon, rely upon, depend upon, prepare one's self for.

**Calculating,** *a.* 1. Scheming, crafty, cool, hard, self-considering, selfish.
2. Wary, cautious, careful, guarded, circumspect, far-sighted, far-seeing, sagacious.

**Calculation,** *n.* 1. Computation, reckoning.
2. Expectation, expectance, anticipation, contemplation, prospect.
3. Forethought, foresight, circumspection, wariness, caution, cautiousness, discretion, deliberation, prudence.

**Calculous,** *a.* Stony, gritty, calculose.

**Calculus,** *n.* 1. (*Med.*) [*L. pl. Calculi.*] Morbid concretion, stone, gravel.
2. [*Eng. pl. Calculuses.*] Fluxions, differential and integral calculus.
3. Computation, method of computation, computative method, computative art.

**Caldron,** } *n.* Boiler, kettle, copper.
**Cauldron,** }

**Caledonian,** *a.* Scottish, Scotch.

**Caledonian,** *n.* Scotchman, Scot.

**Calefacient,** *a.* 1. Warming, heating.
2. Rubefacient, vesicatory, tending to blister.

**Calefacient,** *n.* Rubefacient, vesicant, vesicatory.

**Calefaction,** *n.* 1. Heating, warming.
2. Incalescence, hotness, warmth, becoming warm.

**Calefy,** *v. a.* Heat, warm, make warm *or* hot, cause to incalesce.

**Calembour,** } *n.* [Fr.] Pun, quibble, parono-
**Calembourg,** } masia, play upon words.

**Calendar,** *n.* 1. Almanac, ephemeris, register of the year.
2. List, schedule, catalogue, register.

**Calendar,** *v. a.* List, catalogue, register, enroll, enter, place upon the calendar.

**Calender,** *n.* Hot-press.

**Calender,** *v. a.* Smooth *or* glaze (*by a calender*).

**Calendering,** *n.* Glazing (*by a calender*).

**Caliber-compasses,** *n. pl.* Calibers, callipers, calliper-compasses, cannipers.

**Calibrate,** *v. a.* Determine the diameter *or* bore of, measure with callipers.

**Calibre,** *n.* [Written also *Caliber.*] 1. Diameter (*of a cylindrical body*).
2. Bore, diameter of bore, capacity.
3. Capacity, scope, talent, ability, faculty, endowment, parts, gifts, compass of mind.

**Calico,** *n.* 1. [*Eng.*] Cotton cloth.
2. [*U. S.*] Print, printed cotton cloth.

**Call,** *v. a.* 1. Name, term, denominate, entitle, style, phrase, designate, dub, christen.
2. Bid, invite, summon, ask to come, send for.
3. Convoke, assemble, convene, muster, call together.
4. Appoint, designate, elect, ordain, set apart.
5. Invoke, appeal to.

**Call,** *v. n.* 1. Exclaim, cry, cry out, speak aloud, make appeal.
2. Make a short visit.

**Call,** *n.* 1. Cry, outcry, voice.
2. Invitation, summons, appeal.
3. Demand, claim, requisition.
4. Short visit.
5. Appointment, election, invitation.
6. Divine summons, divine choice *or* election.

**Calling,** *n.* Occupation, business, profession, pursuit, trade, craft, employment, vocation, avocation, walk of life.

**Calliper-compasses,** *n. pl.* See CALLIPERS

**Callipers,** *n. pl.* Calibers, cannipers, caliber-compasses, calliper-compasses.

**Call on.** 1. Invoke, appeal to, pray to, call upon.
2. Solicit, apply to.
3. Make a visit to, pay a visit to.

**Callous,** *a.* 1. Indurated, hardened, hard.
2. Insensible, unfeeling, apathetic, obtuse, unsusceptible, unimpressible, sluggish, dull, torpid, indifferent, dead.

**Callow,** *a.* 1. Unfledged, unfeathered, naked.
2. Inexperienced, immature, silly, unfledged, green, soft, sappy

**Call upon.** See CALL ON.

**Calm,** *a.* 1. Tranquil, placid, quiet, still, smooth, unruffled.
2. Peaceful, serene, unruffled, tranquil, placid, mild, halcyon.
3. Undisturbed, composed, self-possessed, sedate, unruffled, cool, collected.

**Calm,** *n.* 1. Fall of the wind, wind-lull, lull.
2. Peace, serenity, tranquillity, placidity, quiet, stillness, repose, equanimity, calmness.

**Calm,** *v. a.* 1. Still, compose, hush, smooth, allay, lull, becalm, tranquillize.
2. Tranquillize, pacify, appease, assuage, quiet, soothe, soften, mollify, moderate, alleviate.

**Calmness,** *n.* 1. Quietness, tranquillity, serenity, repose, peace, peacefulness, stillness, calm, placidity, lull.
2. Mildness, sedateness, composure, self-possession, coolness, quiet, tranquillity, serenity, placidity, peace, equanimity, repose.

**Calomel,** *n.* Chloride of mercury, protochloride of mercury, subchloride of mercury, mercurous chloride.

**Calorific,** *a.* Heating, heat-producing.

**Calumet,** *n.* Indian pipe, pipe.

**Calumniate,** *v. a.* Slander, malign, traduce, defame, vilify, revile, abuse, libel, blacken, blemish, accuse falsely. See ASPERSE.

**Calumniator,** *n.* Slanderer, maligner, traducer, defamer, vilifier, reviler, blackener, backbiter, libeller, detractor.

**Calumnious,** *a.* Slanderous, abusive, defamatory, contumelious, opprobrious, vituperative, scurrilous, insulting.

**Calumny,** *n.* Slander (*known to be false*), defamation, aspersion, backbiting, detraction, abuses, scandal, obloquy, false accusation, malicious lying.

**Calyx,** *n.* Flower-cup.

**Camarilla,** *n.* [Sp.] Clique, cabal, junto, ring, secret cabinet, power behind the throne.

**Camber,** *n.* Convexity, arch, arching, rounding up, swell, curve.
**Camber,** *v. a* Arch, bend, curve (*especially a ship's planks*).
**Cambist,** *n.* Expert in exchange, skilled banker.
**Cambistry,** *n.* Science of exchange.
**Camboose,** *n.* See CABOOSE.
**Cambrian,** *a.* Welsh, Cymric.
**Cambrian,** *n.* Welshman, Cambro-Briton, Cymro.
**Cambro-Briton,** *n.* Cambrian, Welshman, Cymro.
**Camel-backed,** *a.* Hump-backed.
**Camel-bird,** *n.* Ostrich.
**Camelopard,** *n.* Giraffe.
**Camerated,** *a.* I. Arched, vaulted, bowed.
2. (*Conch.*) Partitioned, chambered.
**Camp,** *n.* Encampment.
**Camp,** *v. n.* Encamp, pitch one's tent, pitch a camp.
**Campanile,** *n.* Belfry, bell-tower.
**Campanula,** *n.* Bell-flower.
**Campanulate,** *a.* Bell-shaped.
**Campeachy wood.** Logwood (*Hæmatoxylon campechianum*).
**Can,** *v. n.* I. Be able to, have power to.
2. Be possible to.
**Canada balsam.** Balsam of fir, Canada turpentine.
**Canada snakeroot.** Wild ginger.
**Canaille,** *n.* [Fr.] Populace, rabble, mob, riff-raff, the vulgar, the crowd, vulgar herd, the ignoble vulgar, low people, lowest class of people, the multitude, the million, scum of society, dregs of society, *ignobile vulgus*, rag-tag, tag-rag, tag-rag and bobtail.
**Canakin,** *n.* Drinking-cup, pot.
**Canal,** *n.* I. Artificial water-way.
2. Channel, duct, pipe, tube.
**Canard,** *n.* [Fr.] Hoax, groundless story, false rumor, fabrication.
**Cancel,** *v. a.* I. Obliterate, efface, erase, expunge, blot, blot out, rub out, scratch out, wipe out.
2. Abrogate, annul, repeal, rescind, revoke, abolish, nullify, quash, set aside, make void.
**Cancellated,** *a.* Cross-barred.
**Candelabrum,** *n.* [L. *pl. Candelabra; Eng. pl. Candelabrums.*] Chandelier, lustre, branched candlestick.
**Candid,** *a.* I. Impartial, fair, just, unprejudiced, unbiassed.
2. Open, free, ingenuous, artless, frank, sincere, honest, plain, honorable, *naïve*, guileless, straightforward, open-hearted, frank-hearted, above-board.
**Candidate,** *n.* Aspirant, solicitant.
**Candle,** *n.* Taper, light.
**Candle-ends,** *n. pl.* Scraps, savings, scrapings, fragments, worthless trifles, petty savings.
**Candle-holder,** *n.* Inferior, subordinate, assistant. See AID.
**Candle-light,** *n.* I. Light of candles, illumination by candles.
2. Dark, dark hours, after dark.
**Candlemas,** *n* February 2.
**Candor,** *n.* I. Fairness, impartiality, justice, freedom from prejudice, freedom from bias.
2. Openness, ingenuousness, artlessness, frankness, guilelessness, truthfulness, honesty, sincerity, straightforwardness, simplicity, *naïveté*.
**Cane brimstone.** Roll sulphur, stick sulphur.
**Canicula,** *n.* Sirius, dog-star.
**Canicular days.** Dog-days.
**Canine madness.** Hydrophobia.
**Canker,** *n.* I. Mordent ulcer, gangrene, rot.
2. Corrosion, erosion, blight.
3. Corruption, infection, blight, bane, bale, irritation.
**Canker,** *v. a* I. Corrode, erode, eat away.
2. Infect, corrupt, blight, envenom, poison, sour, embitter, fill with gall.
**Canker,** *v. n.* Be blighted, grow embittered, become malignant, become infected *or* corrupted.
**Canker-rash,** *n.* Putrid sore throat.
**Canker-worm,** *n.* Span-worm, looper, geometer.
**Cannibals,** *n. pl.* Anthropophagi, man-eaters.
**Cannon,** *n.* Great gun.
**Cannonade,** *v. a.* Attack with cannon, attack with heavy artillery.
**Canon,** *n.* I. Rule (*especially in ecclesiastical matters*), law, formula, formulary, standard.
2. Received books of Scripture, canonical books.
3. Catalogue of saints.
**Canonical,** *a.* I. Received, authorized, according to the canon.
2. Regular, stated.
**Canonicals,** *n. pl.* Full dress (*of a clergyman*).
**Canonize,** *v. a.* Declare a saint, make a saint of, enroll in the canon.
**Canopy,** *n.* Awning, tilt, baldaquin.
**Canorous,** *a.* Musical, tuneful.
**Cant,** *n* I. Whining talk, pious prating, sanctimonious phrases.
2. Hypocrisy, affected piety, sham holiness.
3. Peculiar form of speech, professional parlance, partisan vocabulary, shibboleths of sect, popular cry.
4. Slang, jargon, low language, thieves' vocabulary, argot, lingo.
5. Auction, vendue, auction sale.
6. Turn, tilt, slant.
**Cant,** *a.* Set, partisan, routine, current, rote, popular, bandied by the crowd.
**Cant,** *v. n.* Whine, affect piety.
**Cantankerous,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Crabbed, perverse, stubborn, obstinate, unyielding, refractory, contumacious, headstrong, wilful, dogged, intractable, heady, obdurate, stiff, cross-grained.
**Canter,** *n.* I. Whiner, sanctimonious prater, pious twattler, Pharisee.
2. Easy gallop, gentle gallop.
**Canter,** *v. n.* Gallop gently.
**Cantharides,** *n. pl.* See SPANISH FLIES.
**Canticle,** *n.* See SONG
**Canticles,** *n. pl.* The song of songs, Song of Solomon.
**Cantilever,** / **Cantaliver,** / **Cantiliver,** } *n.* Bracket, modillion, projecting beam.
**Canting,** *a.* I. Affected, whining, affectedly pious, sanctimonious.
2. Hypocritical, insincere, hollow.
**Cantonment,** *n.* Quarters.
**Canvass,** *v. a.* I. Debate, discuss, dispute, agitate.
2. Investigate, examine, scrutinize, sift, study, consider, follow up, inquire into.
3. Bespeak the votes of, solicit votes from.
**Canvass,** *n.* I. Discussion, debate, dispute.
2. Examination, scrutiny, sifting.
3. Solicitation of votes.
**Canyon,** *n.* [Sp. *Cañon.*] Gorge, ravine, gulch.
**Caoutchouc,** *n.* India-rubber, gum-elastic.
**Cap,** *n* I. Head-cover, head-gear, bonnet, head-dress, coif, coiffure, caul.
2. Cover, covering.
3. Acme, crown, head, summit, pitch, peak, top, chief, perfection.
**Cap,** *v. a.* I. Cover, surmount.
2. Crown, complete, finish.
3. Exceed, surpass, transcend, overtop.
4. Match, pattern, parallel.
**Capability,** *n.* I. Capableness, capacity, ability.
2. Ability, power, skill, competency, capacity, efficiency, calibre, faculty, force, scope, brains.

**Capable,** *a.* 1. Susceptible, open (to), admitting.
2. Qualified, suited, fitted, adapted.
3. Able, competent, intelligent, clever, skilful, efficient, ingenious, sagacious, gifted, accomplished.

**Capableness,** *n.* See CAPABILITY.

**Capacious,** *a.* Spacious, ample, large, wide, broad, extensive, roomy, expanded, comprehensive.

**Capaciousness,** *n.* Spaciousness, amplitude, largeness, roominess, vastness, openness, freedom, breadth, extent, extensiveness, expansiveness, comprehensiveness.

**Capacitate,** *v. a.* Qualify, enable, make able, make *or* render capable.

**Capacity,** *n.* 1. Containing power, magnitude (*in reference to contents*), volume, dimensions, amplitude, extent of room *or* space.
2. Power (*of apprehension*), faculty, talent, genius, gift, turn, forte, parts, brains, aptness, aptitude, discernment, wit, mother-wit, calibre.
3. Ability, ableness, capability, cleverness, skill, skilfulness, competency, efficiency, readiness. See CALIBRE.
4. Office, post, position, sphere, province, character, function, service, charge.

**Cap-a-pie,** *ad.* [Fr.] From head to foot.

**Caparison,** *n.* Trapping (*for a horse*), housing, barde, barb(e).

**Cape,** *n.* Headland, promontory.

**Caper,** *v. n.* Leap (*in a frolicsome mood*), hop, skip, jump, bound, romp, gambol, frisk, dance.

**Caper,** *n.* Leap (*in a frolicsome mood*), skip, hop, spring, bound, gambol, romp, prank, freak.

**Capillary,** *a.* Fine (*like a hair*), slender, minute, delicate, filiform.

**Capital,** *a.* 1. Chief, principal, leading, essential, cardinal, first in importance.
2. Fatal, forfeiting life, involving death.
3. (*Colloq.*) Excellent, good, prime, first-rate, first-class.

**Capital,** *n.* 1. Metropolis, chief city *or* town.
2. Large letter, capital letter.
3. Stock, sum invested.
4. (*Arch.*) Head of a column, pillar, *or* pilaster.

**Capital crime.** Crime punishable with death.

**Capitalist,** *n.* Investor, man of means, holder of surplus wealth, person of large resources.

**Capital letter.** Capital, large letter.

**Capital punishment.** Punishment *or* penalty of death, death-penalty.

**Capitation tax.** Poll tax.

**Capitulate,** *v. n.* Surrender (*by treaty*), yield on conditions.

**Capitulation,** *n.* Surrender (*by treaty*).

**Caprice,** *n.* Whim, freak, fancy, humor, crotchet, maggot, quirk, vagary, whimsey, whim-wham.

**Capricious,** *a.* Whimsical, fanciful, fantastical, crotchety, humorsome, wayward, odd, queer, fitful, freakish, changeable, uncertain, fickle, variable.

**Capsicum,** *n.* Cayenne, cayenne pepper, red pepper.

**Capsize,** *v. a.* Upset, overturn.

**Capsule,** *n.* 1. Case, wrapper, envelope, covering, shell, sheath.
2. (*Bot.*) Pod, pericarp, seed-vessel.
3. (*Chem.*) Evaporating dish.
4. Percussion cap.

**Captain,** *n.* 1. Commander, leader, chief, chieftain.
2. Warrior, soldier, military genius.

**Captain-general,** *n.* Generalissimo, general, commander-in-chief.

**Captious,** *a.* 1. Censorious, cavilling, carping, hypercritical, disposed to cavil, given to faultfinding.
2. Crabbed, snappish, testy, touchy, waspish, splenetic, cross, snarling, acrimonious, cantankerous (*colloq.*), contentious.
3. Ensnaring, insidious.

**Captivate,** *v. a.* Charm, fascinate, enchant, bewitch, enamour, win, catch, lead captive, please highly.

**Captive,** *n.* Prisoner.

**Captivity,** *n.* 1. Imprisonment, confinement, duress, durance.
2. Bondage, thraldom, enthralment, servitude, subjection, slavery, vassalage.

**Capture,** *n.* 1. Seizure, arrest, apprehension, catching, catch, taking captive, making prisoner.
2. Prize.

**Capture,** *v. a.* Seize, catch, apprehend, arrest, take by force, take possession of, make prisoner.

**Capuchin,** *n.* Franciscan, Minorite, Gray Friar.

**Caput mortuum.** Residuum (*of distillation* or *of sublimation*), worthless residue.

**Carack,** *n.* [Written also *Carac.*] Argosy, galleon.

**Caracole,** *v. n.* Wheel, prance, curvet.

**Carafe,** *n.* Water-bottle, water-cooler.

**Caramel,** *n.* Burnt sugar.

**Caravansary,** } *n.* Tavern (*in the East*), khan,
**Caravansera,** } inn, public-house, house of entertainment.

**Carbonate of ammonia.** Sal-volatile, smelling-salts, sesqui-carbonate of ammonia.

**Carbonic acid.** Choke-damp, fixed air, foul air, mephitic air, carbonic-acid gas.

**Carbonize,** *v. a.* Convert into carbon.

**Carcass,** *n.* 1. Dead body (*of an animal*), corpse, corse.
2. Body (*in contempt* or *ridicule*).
3. Mere framework.

**Cardiac,** *n.* (*Med.*) Cordial.

**Cardialgia,** } *n.* (*Med.*) Heart-burn, cardiac pas-
**Cardialgy,** } sion.

**Cardinal,** *a.* Principal, chief, main, leading, most important, essential, capital, central, vital.

**Cardinal-bird,** *n.* Cardinal-grosbeak, Virginian nightingale, scarlet grosbeak, red-bird (*Fringilla cardinalis, Cardinalis Virginianus*).

**Cardinal-flower,** *n.* Scarlet lobelia (*Lobelia cardinalis*).

**Cardinal-grosbeak,** *n.* Cardinal-bird, scarlet grosbeak, red-bird, Virginian nightingale.

**Cardinal points.** East, west, north, and south; the four points of the compass.

**Cardinal virtues.** Prudence, temperance, justice, and fortitude.

**Carditis,** *n.* (*Med.*) Inflammation of the heart.

**Care,** *n.* 1. Anxiety, solicitude, concern, trouble, perplexity, worry (*colloq.*).
2. Caution, heed, regard, attention, circumspection, carefulness, watchfulness, vigilance.
3. Charge, oversight, superintendence, direction, management.
4. Object of care, charge, burden.

**Care,** *v. n.* 1. Be anxious, be solicitous, feel concerned, be troubled, worry one's self.
2. Be inclined, be disposed, like, feel interested.
3. Have regard.

**Careen,** *v. a.* Lay on one side.

**Careen,** *v. n.* Lean to one side, incline to one side.

**Career,** *n.* 1. Course, race.
2. Procedure, conduct, course of action, manner of life, course of life, course of conduct, active life.

**Career,** *v. n.* Sweep, rush, course, move rapidly.

**Care for.** 1. Have regard for, pay heed to, attach value to, ascribe importance to.
2. Be interested in, like, be fond of, be attached to

**Careful,** *a.* I. (*Rare.*) Anxious, solicitous, concerned, troubled, uneasy.
2. Heedful, attentive, thoughtful. See PROVIDENT.
3. Watchful, cautious, circumspect, vigilant.
**Careless,** *a.* I. Unperplexed, undisturbed, untroubled, free from care, without anxiety, unsolicitous.
2. Heedless, thoughtless, inattentive, unconcerned, unmindful, incautious, unthinking, forgetful, remiss, listless, supine, regardless, neglectful, negligent.
3. Unconsidered, inconsiderate.
**Carelessness,** *n.* Thoughtlessness, heedlessness, inattention, inadvertence, inconsiderateness, remissness, listlessness, negligence, neglect, unconcern, supineness.
**Caress,** *v. a.* Fondle, embrace, hug, pet, kiss, coddle, cosset, treat with fondness.
**Caress,** *n.* Embrace, kiss, expression of affection.
**Caressing,** *n.* Fondling, endearment, blandishment, billing and cooing.
**Cargo,** *n.* Lading, freight, load, burden *or* burthen.
**Caribou,** *n.* American reindeer.
**Caricature,** *n.* Travesty, parody, farce, burlesque, ludicrous representation, take-off (*colloq.*).
**Caricature,** *v. a.* Burlesque, travesty, parody, take off (*colloq.*).
**Caries,** *n.* [L.] (*Med.*) Ulceration (*of a bone*), cariosity.
**Cariosity,** *n.* See CARIES.
**Carious,** *a.* Ulcerated (*as a bone*), decayed, mortified, rotten, putrid.
**Cark,** *n.* and *v. n.* See CARE, *n.* and *v. n.*
**Cark,** *v. a.* Fret, worry, perplex, harass, grieve, annoy.
**Carking,** *a.* Distressing, worrying, grievous, wearing.
**Carle,** *n.* Churl, clown, boor, lout, clumsy rustic, bumpkin.
**Carlock,** *n.* Fish-glue (*made from the bladder of the sturgeon*), isinglass, ichthyocol, ichthyocolla.
**Carminative,** *a.* Warming, antispasmodic.
**Carnage,** *n.* Slaughter, butchery, massacre, bloodshed, havoc.
**Carnal,** *a.* I. Fleshly, sensual.
2. Lustful, libidinous, lecherous, lascivious, lickerish, lubric(al), lubricous, concupiscent, salacious.
3. Natural, unspiritual, unregenerate, earthly, temporal.
**Carnality,** *n.* Sensuality, grossness (of mind), sensual appetites, fleshly lusts.
**Carnal-minded,** *a.* Worldly-minded.
**Carnivorous,** *a.* Flesh-eating.
**Carol,** *n.* Song, lay, ditty.
**Carol,** *v. n.* Sing, warble.
**Carol,** *v. a.* I. Sing, warble, chant, hum.
2. Hymn, celebrate in song.
**Carousal,** *n.* I. Feast, festival, entertainment, jovial banquet, merry-making, *regale.*
2. Revelling, revelry, revel, bacchanals, saturnalia, debauch, compotation, wassail, orgies, carouse, cups, drinking-bout, spree (*colloq.*), jollification (*colloq.*).
**Carouse,** *v. n.* Revel, tipple, guzzle.
**Carouse,** *n.* See CAROUSAL.
**Carouser,** *n.* Reveller, tippler, toper, drunkard, debauchee, bacchanal, bacchanalian.
**Carp at.** Cavil at, find fault with, pick flaws in.
**Carper,** *n.* Caviller, censurer, captious censor.
**Carphology,** *n.* (*Med.*) Floccillation, tilmus, picking the bed-clothes.
**Carping,** *a.* Caviling, censorious, captious, hypercritical.
**Carping,** *n.* Censure, cavil, fault-finding, hypercriticism, captious criticism.
**Carpus,** *n.* [L.] (*Anat.*) Wrist.
**Carrageen,** } *n.* [Written also *Carragheen.*] Irish
**Carrigeen,** } moss, carrageen moss (*Fucus crispus* or *Chondrus crispus*).
**Carriage,** *n.* I. Vehicle, conveyance.
2. Bearing, manner, demeanor, air, mien.
3. Behavior, deportment, conduct.
**Carrion,** *n.* Putrefying flesh, putrescent *or* putrid meat.
**Carroty,** *a.* Reddish-yellow (*said of the hair*).
**Carry,** *v. a.* I. Convey, bear, transport.
2. Urge, impel, push forward.
3. Accomplish, effect, gain, secure, compass, bring about.
4. Support, sustain, bear up.
5. Transfer.
6. Imply, import, signify, infer, involve.
**Carry off.** I. Remove, take away.
2. Destroy, kill.
**Carry on.** (*Active.*) I. Conduct, manage, transact, prosecute, continue, help forward.
2. (*Neuter.*) [*Colloq.*] Frolic, cut capers, play tricks, behave wildly *or* rudely.
**Carry one's self.** Conduct, behave, demean, deport, quit, *or* acquit one's self.
**Carry out.** Apply, execute, put in practice, carry into detail, complete.
**Carry through.** Accomplish, consummate, finish, complete, work out, bring to a close, bring about, bring to pass.
**Cart before the horse.** (*Colloq.*) Absurdity, absurd thing, *hysteron proteron*, topsy-turvy.
**Carte,** *n.* [Fr.] Bill of fare.
**Carte-blanche,** *n.* [Fr.] Unlimited authority, full powers.
**Cartilage,** *n.* Gristle.
**Cartilaginous,** *a.* Gristly.
**Cartouch,** *n.* Cartridge-box, cartridge-case.
**Cartridge-box,** *n.* Cartouch, cartridge-case.
**Carucate,** *n.* Plough-land, hide-land. [As much land as a team can plough in the year.]
**Carve,** *v. a.* I. Sculpture, chisel, cut.
2. Form, shape, fashion, mould.
3. Engrave, grave.
4. Cut, hew, hack.
5. Cut in pieces *or* slices, slice, divide.
**Carve,** *v. n.* I. Exercise the trade of a carver.
2. Cut meat at table.
**Carve out.** I. Cut out, cut through.
2. Achieve (*by one's own exertions*), win, accomplish.
**Carver,** *n.* Sculptor (*in wood* or *ivory*).
**Carving,** *n.* Sculpture (*in wood* or *ivory*).
**Cascade,** *n.* Cateract, waterfall, fall.
**Case,** *n.* I. Covering, sheathe, capsule.
2. Box.
3. State, condition, situation, plight, predicament.
4. Instance, particular occurrence, example, specific instance.
5. Circumstance, condition, contingency, event.
6. Suit, action, cause, process, trial.
7. Question, matter of inquiry, subject of discussion.
8. Declension-form, case-ending, inflection, form.
**Case,** *v. a.* I. Cover (*with a case*), protect, wrap, encase, enclose, envelop.
2. Box, put in a box *or* case, pack, pack up.
**Caseharden,** *v. a.* Harden (*on the outside*), steel, convert into steel (*on the surface*).
**Casehardened,** *a.* and *p.* I. Hardened (*on the outside*), steeled, converted into steel (*on the surface*), indurated.
2. Conscience-seared, obdurate, reprobate, dead to duty, lost to shame, brazen, brazen-faced.

**Caseine,** *n.* [Written also *Casein.*] Caseum, curd of milk, coagulable part of milk, coagulum of milk, legumin.
**Caseous,** *a.* Cheesy, of the nature of cheese.
**Caseum,** *n.* [L.] See CASEINE.
**Case-worm,** *n.* Caddice, caddis, cade-worm, cadew, cad-bait, cad-bate, cod-bait.
**Cash,** *n.* 1. Coin, specie.
2. Money, ready money.
**Cash,** *v. a.* Turn into money, pay in money.
**Cashier,** *n.* Cash-keeper, keeper of the ready money, manager of the cash.
**Cashier,** *v. a.* Break, discharge, discard, dismiss from office, cast off, turn away, send away.
**Casino,** *n.* [It.] 1. Cottage, small house, lodge.
2. Club-house, gaming-house, dancing-hall, dancing-saloon.
**Cask,** *n.* 1. Hooped, wooden vessel (*as a hogshead, butt, pipe, tun, barrel, keg, etc.*).
2. Helmet. See CASQUE.
**Casket,** *n.* Little box.
**Casque,** *n.* [Fr.] Helmet, cask, helm, morion.
**Cassava,** *n.* Tapioca (*crude*), manioc.
**Cast,** *v. a.* 1. Throw, fling, hurl, send, toss, pitch, sling, shy (*colloq.*).
2. Drive, impel, force, thrust.
3. Shed, put off, lay aside.
4. Compute, reckon, calculate.
5. Found, form in a mould.
6. Assign, allot, appoint, apportion, appropriate.
7. Direct, turn
8. Impart, communicate, throw, shed, diffuse.
**Cast,** *n.* 1. Throw, fling, toss.
2. Tinge, tint, shade, touch.
3. Manner, style, air, mien, look, turn, tone, character.
4. Mould, form.
5. Assignment of parts.
**Cast about.** Consider, revolve in the mind, ponder, search, seek, inquire.
**Cast anchor.** Let go the anchor.
**Cast away.** 1. Reject, discard. See CAST OFF.
2. Throw away, waste, squander, fling away.
3. Wreck, strand, founder, shipwreck.
**Castaway,** *n.* Outcast, reprobate, vagabond, abandoned wretch, moral shipwreck, moral wreck, lost soul.
**Castaway,** *a.* Rejected, discarded, abandoned, cast-off.
**Cast by.** Reject, discard, throw away, cast off.
**Cast down.** Dejected, depressed, discouraged, melancholy, sad, downcast, disheartened, chapfallen, downhearted, desponding, despondent, blue, dispirited, low-spirited, in low spirits.
**Caste,** *n.* 1. Permanent hereditary order (*among the Hindoos*), Varna, fixed class.
2. Social order (*generally*), class-distinction, class, rank, grade of society.
**Caster,** *n.* 1. Thrower, hurler.
2. Calculator, computer.
3. Founder, moulder.
4. Cruet, cruse, phial.
5. Cruet-frame, cruet-stand. [In this sense, usually in *pl.*, casters.]
6. Castor, small wheel *or* swivel (*on which furniture is rolled*)
**Cast forth.** Eject, emit, throw out.
**Castigate,** *v. a.* 1. Chastise, whip, beat, punish with stripes *or* the lash, lash, flog.
2. Discipline, correct, punish, chasten.
3. Upbraid, flagellate, fall foul of, dress down, take to task, haul over the coals, censure bitterly, criticise severely, trim out, call to account.
**Castigation,** *n.* 1. Whipping, beating, lashing, flagellation, drubbing, flogging, chastisement.
2. Punishment, chastisement, discipline, correction, chastening.
3. Upbraiding, taking to task, lashing, flagellation, trimming, hauling over the coals, dressing down, invective, censorious assault, berating, denunciation, objurgation.
**Castigatory,** *n.* (*Law.*) Trebuchet *or* trebucket, tumbrel *or* tumbril, ducking-stool, cucking-stool.
**Cast in the teeth.** Reproach with, twit with.
**Castle,** *n.* 1. Fortress, citadel, stronghold, fortified residence.
2. Rook (*in chess*).
**Castle-builder,** *n.* Visionary, dreamer, enthusiast, fanciful projector.
**Cast off.** 1. Reject, discard, abandon, forsake, renounce, lay aside, cast by, cast away, throw away, throw by, get rid of.
2. (*Naut.*) Loose, untie, let go, let slip.
**Cast-off,** *a.* Discarded, castaway, cast-aside, thrown aside, worn, worn-out.
**Castor,** *n.* 1. Caster, small wheel *or* swivel (*on which furniture is rolled*).
2. (*Med.*) Castoreum.
**Castoreum,** *n.* [L.] (*Med.*) Castor.
**Cast out.** 1. Eject, expel, oust, turn out of doors.
2. Send forth, throw out, eject, hurl out *or* forth.
**Castrate,** *v. a.* 1. Geld, emasculate, glib, deprive, of virility, make a eunuch.
2. Deprive of vigor, mortify, suppress, subdue, weaken, take the life out of.
**Castration,** *n.* Orchotomy, gelding, emasculation, glibbing.
**Castrel,** *n.* Windhover, kestrel, stannel (*Falco tinnunculus*).
**Cast up.** 1. Compute, calculate, reckon, cast.
2. Eject, throw up, vomit, spew, puke.
**Casual,** *a.* Accidental, fortuitous, incidental, contingent, that happens by chance.
**Casualty,** *n.* 1. Chance, fortuity, contingency hap, unforeseen event.
2. Accident, disaster, misfortune, calamity, mischance, catastrophe.
**Catachrestic,** / **Catachrestical,** } *a.* Forced, strained, far-fetched, recondite, studiously sought, wrested.
**Cataclysm,** *n.* 1. Inundation, deluge, overflow, flood.
2. (*Geol.*) Catastrophe, overwhelming change.
**Catacomb,** *n.* Crypt, vault, tomb.
**Catalepsy,** *n.* (*Med.*) Trance.
**Catalogue,** *n.* List (*arranged in a certain order*) register, roll, record, schedule, invoice, inventory.
**Catamenia,** *n. pl.* [Gr.] Menses, menstrual discharges, menstrual flux, courses.
**Catamenial,** *a.* Menstrual.
**Catamount,** *n.* Cougar, puma, North American tiger (*Felis concolor*).
**Cataplasm,** *n.* Poultice.
**Cataract,** *n.* 1. Waterfall, fall, cascade.
2. (*Med.*) Obstructed sight, loss of sight (*from opacity of the crystalline lens*).
**Catarrh,** *n.* Cold in the head.
**Catastrophe,** *n.* 1. Upshot, issue, consummation, conclusion, termination, *dénouement*, *finale*, winding up, finishing stroke, final event.
2. Disaster, misfortune, mishap, mischance. See CALAMITY.
**Catch,** *v. a.* 1. Grasp, seize, snatch, clutch, gripe, grasp, lay hold of, fasten upon.
2. Arrest, apprehend, capture.
3. Overtake, come up with.
4. Ensnare, entrap, entangle.
5. Captivate, charm, enchant, fascinate, bewitch, win.
6. Take (*as a disease*).
7. Take unawares, surprise, come suddenly on.

**Catch,** *v n.* I. Lay hold, take hold, hold.
2. Get entangled, hitch.
3. Be contagious, be communicated, spread by infection.
**Catch,** *n.* I. Seizure See CAPTURE.
2. Snatch, short effort.
3. Clasp, hook. See HASP.
4. (*Mus.*) Humorous round, comic rondo.
5. Quantity (*of fish caught*), amount caught, catching, take.
**Catch at.** I. Grasp at, try to seize, snatch at, snap at.
2. Be eager to get, be eager for, snatch at, snap at, jump at.
**Catchfly,** *n.* Flybane.
**Catching,** *n.* I. Seizure, capture, arrest, apprehension.
2. Catch, take.
**Catching,** *a.* I. Infectious, contagious, pestilential, pestiferous.
2. Captivating, taking, charming, attractive, winning, winsome, enchanting, fascinating.
**Catch tripping.** Find at fault, find in error.
**Catch-weed,** *n.* Goose-grass, cleavers.
**Catchword,** *n.* I. Cue.
2. Clew-word, marginal clew.
3. Party cry, shibboleth.
**Catechise,** *v. a.* Question, interrogate, examine, put questions to.
**Catechu,** *n.* Cutch, gambier, Japan earth, Terra Japonica.
**Catechumen,** *n* Pupil (*in Christianity*), neophyte, convert, proselyte.
**Categorical,** *a.* Positive, absolute, unconditional, unqualified, unreserved, downright, express, explicit, direct, emphatic.
**Category,** *n.* I. Class, head, division, order, rank.
2. Head of predication, predicable, predicament (*predicate*), leading predicate, universal aspect, supreme distinction, primitive *or* elemental *or* elementary relation.
**Catenation,** *n.* Connection, union, conjunction, linking together, continuous junction, concatenation, intimate connection.
**Cater,** *v. n.* Purvey, provide food, procure provisions.
**Caterer,** *n.* Provider, purveyor.
**Caterpillar,** *n.* Larva.
**Catfish,** *n.* I. Horn-pout, mud-pout, bull-head (*Pimelodus cattus*).
2. Wolf-fish (*Anarrhicas lupus*).
**Catgold,** *n.* I. Yellow mica.
2. Iron pyrites.
**Catgut-scraper,** *n.* [Derisive.] Fiddler, violin-player, violinist.
**Cathartic,** *a.* Purgative, evacuant, abstergent, cleansing.
**Cathartic,** *n.* Purge, purgative, physic, purgative medicine.
**Catheretic,** *n.* (*Med.*) Caustic.
**Catheretic,** *a.* (*Med.*) Caustic.
**Catholic,** *a.* I. Universal, general, world-wide.
2. Liberal, tolerant, unbigoted, unsectarian, unexclusive.
3. Roman Catholic, Romish, papal.
**Catholic,** *n.* Papist, Roman Catholic.
**Catholicism,** *n.* I. Universality, cathoncity.
2. Liberality, tolerance, largeness of mind, catholicity.
3. Roman Catholic religion, Romanism.
4. Adhesion to the papacy, papistry, papism.
**Catholicity,** *n.* I. Universality, generality, world-wideness.
2. Liberality, tolerance, largeness of mind, freedom from prejudice, bigotry, *or* narrowness, generosity.
**Catholicon,** *n.* Panacea, universal remedy universal medicine.
**Catkin,** *n.* Ament, amentum, cat's-tail.
**Cat's-eye,** *n.* Sunstone.
**Cat's-paw,** *n.* I. (*Naut.*) Ripple of air, puff of wind.
2. Dupe (*in serving another's purpose*), gull, cully.
**Cat's-tail,** *n.* I. (*Bot.*) Catkin (*which see*).
2. (*Bot.*) Timothy, timothy-grass, herds'-grass (*Phleum pretense*).
3. Cirrus, mare's-tail.
**Cattle,** *n. pl.* I. Bovine quadrupeds, dumb beasts.
2. Human trash, rabble, riff-raff. See CANAILLE.
**Cattle-plague,** *n.* Murrain, rinderpest.
**Caul,** *n.* I. Cap, coif. [*Worn by women*]
2. Small net.
3. Omentum, epiploön.
4. Adherent amnion.
**Causal,** *a.* Causative.
**Causality,** *n.* I. Causativeness, causativity, causation.
2. Causation, causal system, interdependence of events.
**Causation,** *n.* I. Production, bringing about, creation.
2. Causality, causal system, interdependence of events.
**Causative,** *a.* Causal.
**Cause,** *n.* I. Origin, original, source, spring, mainspring, efficient cause.
2. Ground, reason, motive, consideration, account, inducement, incentive, incitement.
3. Purpose, object, aim, end, final cause.
4. Undertaking, enterprise, attempt.
5. (*Law.*) Suit, action, case, trial.
**Cause,** *v. a.* I. Produce, create, originate, bring into existence, bring into being.
2. Effect, produce, bring about, lead to, occasion, give rise to.
**Caustic,** *n.* Catheretic, mordent, erosive.
**Caustic,** *a* I. Erosive, mordent, corrosive, corroding, catheretic, consuming, acrid, virulent, eating
2. Burning, scalding, scathing, stinging, biting, sharp, cutting, bitter, severe, sarcastic, satirical.
**Cauterize,** *v. a.* Sear, burn with a hot iron, burn with cautery.
**Cautery,** *n.* I. Application of hot iron.
2. Use of caustics.
**Caution,** *n* I. Wariness, heed, heedfulness, circumspection, care, carefulness, watchfulness, vigilance, forethought, providence, prudence, discretion.
2. Warning, admonition, injunction, advice, counsel.
3. (*Scotch law.*) Security, guaranty, surety, pledge.
**Caution,** *v. a.* Warn, admonish, forewarn, put on one's guard.
**Cautious,** *a.* Prudent, wary, careful, heedful, chary, circumspect, discreet, watchful, vigilant.
**Cavalcade,** *n.* Procession (*of mounted men*).
**Cavalier,** *n.* I. Knight, equestrian, horseman, chevalier, horse-soldier.
2. Partisan of Charles I., royalist.
3. Beau, attendant (*on a lady*), partner (*in a dance*).
**Cavalier,** *a.* Disdainful, haughty, arrogant, supercilious, scornful, insolent, curt.
**Cavalry,** *n.* Horse-soldiers, horse, mounted soldiers, mounted men.
**Cave,** *n.* Cavern, den, grotto, grot.
**Cavern,** *n.* Grotto, cave, den, grot.
**Cavernous,** *a.* Hollow.

**Cavil,** *n.* I. Frivolous objection, captious criticism, unwarranted censure, carping, censoriousness, wilful censure, objection for objection's sake.
2. Specious objection, specious controversion, specious disputation, sophistry, special pleading.
**Cavil at.** Censure captiously, carp at, wilfully find fault with, pick flaws in, raise frivolous objection to.
**Caviller,** *n.* I. Carper, censurer, captious disputant, frivolous censor.
2. Special pleader, specious objector, sophistical disputer.
**Cavilling,** *a.* I. Captious, censorious, carping, critical, hypercritical, disposed to cavil, given to fault-finding.
2. Specious, sophistical, plausible, tricky.
**Cavity,** *n.* Hollow, empty space, void, vacant place.
**Cayenne pepper,** *n.* Capsicum, red pepper.
**Cayman,** } *n.* Alligator.
**Caiman,** }
**Cease,** *v. n.* I. Desist, stop, stay, break off, leave off, give over.
2. Fail, be extinct, be wanting.
3. Terminate, end, be at an end, come to an end, blow over.
**Cease,** *v. a.* Leave off, stop, desist from, give over, end.
**Ceaseless,** *a.* I. Incessant, unceasing, uninterrupted, continual, continuous, unintermitting, unremitting.
2. Perpetual, eternal, endless, everlasting, never-ending, interminable.
**Cedar-bird,** *n.* American wax-wing (*Bombycilla Carolinensis* or *Ampelis Carolinensis*).
**Cede,** *v. a.* I. Surrender, relinquish, yield, abandon, resign, deliver up, give up.
2. Grant, convey.
**Celebrate,** *v. a.* I. Praise, extol, laud, applaud, magnify, glorify, bless, commend, give praise to, make famous.
2. Commemorate, honor, keep, observe.
3. Solemnize, perform with due solemnities.
**Celebrated,** *a.* Famous, renowned, distinguished, illustrious, eminent, famed, far-famed.
**Celebration,** *n.* I. Honor, praise, commendation, laudation.
2. Commemoration, observance.
3. Solemnization, reverent performance.
**Celebrity,** *n.* I. Fame, renown, glory, honor, credit, reputation, eminence, distinction, repute.
2. Person of note, noted person, lion.
**Celerity,** *n.* Speed, quickness, swiftness, rapidity, fleetness, velocity (*when used of inanimate objects*).
**Celestial,** *a.* I. Of *or* in the firmament, of *or* in the visible heavens, empyrean, empyreal.
2. Heavenly, supernal, angelic, seraphic, godlike, divine.
**Celibacy,** *n.* Single life, unmarried state, abstinence from marriage.
**Celibate,** *n.* Bachelor, unmarried man.
**Celibate,** *a.* Unmarried, single.
**Cell,** *n.* I. Small room, confined apartment.
2. Solitary abode; squalid, lonely dwelling.
3. Enclosed space, small cavity,
4. Elementary corpuscle, organic unit, simplest organism.
**Cellular,** *a.* Alveolate, favose, honey-combed.
**Cement,** *n.* I. Mortar.
2. Bond of union, bond.
**Cement,** *v. a.* Unite, connect, attach, join.
**Cement,** *v. n.* Unite, cohere, stick together.
**Cemetery,** *n.* Graveyard, burying-ground, burial-ground, church-yard, necropolis, God's Acre.
**Cenotaph,** *n.* Monument (*to one whose body is not buried under it* or *near it*), mortuary monument.
**Censor,** *n.* I. Inspector, critic.
2. Censurer, caviller.
**Censorious,** *a.* Captious, carping, hypercritical, severe, condemnatory, fault-finding, hard to please, prone to find fault, apt to blame *or* censure.
**Censurable,** *a.* Blamable, reprehensible, culpable, blameworthy, faulty, worthy of censure.
**Censure,** *n.* Blame, disapprobation, disapproval, condemnation, reproof, reproach, reprehension, rebuke, reprimand, animadversion, stricture.
**Censure,** *v. a.* Blame, reproach, reprove, chide, reprehend, reprimand, find fault with, pass censure on.
**Censurer,** *n.* I. Censor, critic.
2. Caviller, carper.
**Centenary,** *n.* I. (*Rare.*) Century, a hundred years.
2. Hundredth anniversary, centennial celebration.
**Centesimal,** *a.* Hundredth, by the hundred.
**Centralize,** *v. a.* Concentrate (*the powers of government*), delocalize, collect in the nation (*as opposed to its provinces*).
**Centralization,** *n.* Concentration, delocalization, nationalization, enlargement of national powers, destruction *or* contraction of local power.
**Centre,** *n.* Middle, midst, middle point, midmost point.
**Centrifugal,** *a.* Tending from the centre.
**Centripetal,** *a.* Tending to the centre.
**Centuple,** *a.* Hundred-fold.
**Centuple,** *v. a.* Increase a hundred-fold, centuplicate.
**Century,** *n.* I. Hundred.
2. Centenary, hundred years.
**Cephalalgia,** } *n.* (*Med.*) Headache.
**Cephalalgy,** }
**Cere,** *v. a.* Wax, smear with wax.
**Cereals,** *n. pl.* Edible grains.
**Cerecloth,** *n.* Cerement, graveclothes.
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**Ceremonial,** *a.* Ritual, formal.
**Ceremonial,** *n.* I. Ritual, rites, system of rites, ritual system.
2. Formalities, established forms, system of ceremonies, etiquette.
3. Grand ceremony, stately rites, prolonged ceremony.
**Ceremonious,** *a.* I. Full of ceremony, stately, lofty, courtly.
2. Formal, studied, according to due form, observant of all the punctilios.
3. Formal, punctilious, stiff, precise, starched, observant of conventionalities.
**Ceremony,** *n.* I. Rite, form, formality, ceremonial, solemnity, observance.
2. Parade, pomp, show, stateliness.
**Certain,** *a.* I. Indubitable, unquestionable, indisputable, undeniable, incontestable, incontrovertible, unquestioned, undisputed, undoubted, absolute, positive, plain, sure, past dispute, beyond all question, clear as day.
2. Sure, assured, confident, undoubting, fully convinced.
3. Unfailing, infallible, never-failing.
4. Actual, real, existing.
5. Settled, determinate, fixed, stated, constant.
6. Known but unnamed, sort of, some, indeterminate.
**Certainty,** *n.* I. Surety, indubitableness, unquestionableness, inevitableness, inevitability.

2. Certitude, assuredness, assurance, absolute confidence, complete conviction, inability to doubt, certain knowledge.
3. Truth, fact, fixed fact, accomplished fact, thing beyond question.

**Certificate,** *n.* I. Voucher, written evidence.
2. Testimonial, attestation, credential.

**Certify,** *v. a.* I. Attest, testify to, vouch for.
2. Verify, ascertain, determine, make certain.

**Certitude,** *n.* See CERTAINTY, 2.

**Cerulean,** *a.* Azure, blue, sky-colored, sky-blue.

**Cerumen,** *n.* Ear-wax.

**Ceruse,** *n.* White-lead, carbonate of lead.

**Cespitose,** / **Cespitous,** } *a.* Turfy, turfy-like.

**Cessation,** *n.* Stoppage, stop, intermission, remission, suspension, pause, rest, respite, discontinuance, ceasing.

**Cession,** *n.* I. Surrender, relinquishment, yielding, renunciation, abandonment.
2. Grant, conveyance.

**Cestus,** *n.* [L.] I. Girdle (*especially the girdle of Venus*), belt, cincture, band.
2. Gauntlet, boxing-glove.

**Chafe,** *v. a.* I. Rub, injure by rubbing, wear by rubbing.
2. Irritate, vex, annoy, fret, tease, gall, chagrin, provoke, ruffle, offend, nettle, incense, enrage, exasperate, anger, make angry.

**Chafe,** *v. n.* I. Be rubbed, be worn by rubbing.
2. Rage, fret, fume.

**Chaff,** *n.* I. Husks, hulls, glumes.
2. Refuse, worthless matter.

**Chaff,** *v. a.* Ridicule, mock, scoff, deride, jeer, flout, make fun of, poke fun at (*colloq.*).

**Chaffer,** *v. n.* Higgle, haggle, bargain, negotiate.

**Chagrin,** *n.* Mortification, vexation, annoyance, displeasure, disquiet, ill-humor.

**Chagrin,** *v. a.* Mortify, vex, irritate, chafe, annoy, displease, provoke, put out of temper.

**Chain,** *n.* I. Fetter, manacle, shackle, bond.
2. Connected series, succession, congeries.

**Chain,** *v. a.* I. Fasten with a chain.
2. Confine, restrain, fetter, shackle, trammel.
3. Enslave, hold in bondage.

**Chains,** *n. pl.* Fetters, bonds, irons, shackles, manacles, bondage, captivity, thraldom, durance, duress, prison, constraint.

**Chair,** *n.* I. Seat.
2. Seat of justice, seat of authority.
3. Chairman, presiding officer.
4. Professorship.

**Chairman,** *n.* Chair, presiding officer.

**Chaldaic,** *n.* Chaldee, Chaldaic language, Aramaic, Aramæan.

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**Chalice,** *n.* Cup (*especially the communion cup*), bowl, goblet.

**Chalky,** *a.* Cretaceous.

**Challenge,** *v. a.* I. Defy, dare, brave, invite to contest, call to combat, call to answer.
2. Demand, require, claim, call for.
3. (*Law.*) Object to, take exceptions to.

**Challenge,** *n.* I. Defiance, summons to contest, call to combat, call to answer.
2. (*Law.*) Exception, objection.

**Chalybeate,** *a.* Impregnated with iron.

**Cham,** *n.* Khan, sovereign prince (*of Tartary*).

**Chamber,** *n.* I. Apartment, room, hall.
2. Cavity, hollow, hollow place.
3. Legislative body.

**Chamber-fellow,** *n.* Chum, room-mate.

**Chamber-pot,** *n.* Urinal, jorden.

**Chambers,** *n. pl.* I. Lawyer's quarters.
2. Lodgings, hired apartment.

**Chamfer,** *v. a.* I. Bevel.
2. Channel, flute, groove, cut furrows in, cut channels in.

**Chamfer,** *n.* I. Bevel.
2. Fluting, channel, furrow.

**Champ,** *v. a.* Bite, chew, gnaw.

**Champaign,** *n.* Flat, open country, plain.

**Champaign,** *a.* Flat (*as land*), level, open.

**Champion,** *n.* I. Defender, protector, vindicator (*by arms*).
2. Defender, protector, vindicator, promoter (*by word and deed*).
3. Hero, victor, winner, acknowledged chief, belt-holder, challenger of all comers.

**Chance,** *n.* I. Accident, hap, fortuity, fortune, luck.
2. Possibility, contingency.
3. Opportunity, occasion, opening.
4. Uncertainty, contingency, fortuity.
5. Fortuitous event, piece of luck, stroke of good luck.
6. Risk, hazard, peril, jeopardy.

**Chance,** *v. n.* Happen, occur, befall, betide, take place, fall out, turn up, come to pass.

**Chancery,** *n.* I. Court of equity, Court of Chancery.
2. [*U. S.*] Equity, proceedings in equity.

**Change,** *v. a.* I. Vary, modify, make different, make some change in. See ALTER.
2. Shift, remove for other, replace by other.
3. Exchange, barter, commute, give in exchange.
4. Give small coin (*or* bills), in exchange for.

**Change,** *v. n.* Alter, vary, shift, veer, turn, undergo change, change about.

**Change,** *n.* I. Alteration, variation, mutation, transition, transmutation, revolution.
2. Vicissitude, variety, novelty, innovation.
3. Small coin, small money.

**Changeable,** *a.* I. Variable, inconstant, unsteady, unsteadfast, unstable, unsettled, mutable, uncertain.
2. Fickle, wavering, vacillating, fitful, capricious, volatile, mercurial, giddy, like a weather-cock.

**Changeful,** *a.* [Same as CHANGEABLE, but referring properly to inanimate objects.]

**Change hands.** Change owners.

**Changeless,** *a.* Unchanging, immutable, abiding, unvarying, permanent, invariable, constant, fixed, unalterable.

**Changeling,** *n.* I. False-child (*left in place of another taken*).
2. Oaf, simpleton, fool, dunce.
3. Waverer, shifter, person of fickle mind.
4. Substitute, fraudulent shift.

**Channel,** *n.* I. Passage, duct, conduit, canal.
2. Water-course, canal.
3. Gutter, furrow, fluting, chamfer.
4. Strait, arm of the sea, narrow sea.
5. Avenue, route, way.

**Channel,** *v. a.* Groove, flute, chamfer, cut furrows in, cut channels in.

**Chant,** *v. a.* and *v. n.* I. Sing, warble, carol.
2. Intone.
3. Celebrate in song.

**Chant,** *n.* Song, carol, melody.

**Chanter,** *n.* Singer, songster.

**Chanticleer,** *n.* Cock.

**Chaos,** *n.* I. Primeval matter, primordial confusion.
2. Disorder, confusion.

**Chaotic,** *a.* Disordered, utterly confused.

**Chap,** *v. a.* Crack, split, cleave.

**Chap,** *v. n.* Crack, open in slits.

**Chap,** *n.* I. Cleft, crack, opening.
2. Boy, youth, fellow.

**Chaparral,** *n.* Thicket (*of brambles and thorny shrubs*).
**Chapeau,** *n.* [Fr.] Hat.
**Chapfallen,** *a.* [Sometimes spelled *Chopfallen.*] Dejected, dispirited, depressed, discouraged, melancholy, sad, downcast, cast down, disheartened, downhearted, desponding, despondent, blue, crestfallen, low-spirited, in low spirits.
**Chaplet,** *n.* Garland, wreath, coronal.
**Chaps,** } *n. pl.* Mouth, jaws.
**Chops,** }
**Char,** *v. a.* 1. Burn on the surface, burn partially, scorch.
2. Reduce to charcoal, carbonize.
**Character,** *n.* 1. Mark, figure, sign, symbol, emblem, letter.
2. Constitution, quality, nature, disposition, cast, turn, bent.
3. Moral qualities, personal traits, habitual conduct.
4. Marked traits, strongly marked personality, striking qualities.
5. Person, personage, individual.
6. Reputation, repute.
**Characteristic,** *a.* 1. Special, peculiar, distinctive.
2. In keeping with one's character, thoroughly illustrative.
**Characteristic,** *n.* Peculiarity, marked feature, distinguishing trait.
**Characterization,** *n.* Designation (*of properties*), specification.
**Characterize,** *v. a.* 1. Distinguish, designate, mark.
2. Describe, set forth the character of, specify the peculiarities of.
**Charcoal,** *n.* Carbon (*more or less pure*).
**Charge,** *v. a.* 1. Load, burden, freight, lade.
2. Intrust, put in care of.
3. Ascribe, impute, lay, lay at one's door, lay to one's charge.
4. Accuse, arraign, impeach, inculpate, criminate, indict, tax, call to account, take to task, inform against.
5. Command, order, bid, require, enjoin.
6. Attack, assault, fall upon, bear down upon, set on.
**Charge,** *v. n.* Make an onset, make a charge.
**Charge,** *n.* 1. Load, lading, cargo, freight, burden.
2. Care, custody, ward, management.
3. Commission, duty, office, trust, employment.
4. Trust, intrusted object, intrusted cause, object of responsibility.
5. Order, injunction, direction, mandate, precept, command.
6. Instruction, exhortation.
7. Accusation, crimination.
8. Cost, expense, outlay, expenditure.
9. Price, sum charged
10. Onset, onslaught, assault, attack, encounter.
11. (*Her.*) Bearing.
**Chargeable,** *a* 1. Attributable, imputable, referrible, traceable, owing, to be charged, to be ascribed.
2. Liable to be accused.
**Charger,** *n.* 1. Dish, platter.
2. War-horse.
**Charily,** *ad.* Cautiously, warily, heedfully, carefully, circumspectly, with caution, with circumspection.
**Charitable,** *a.* 1. Benevolent, beneficent, benignant, kind, benign, liberal, bountiful, generous, open-handed.
2. Considerate, lenient, mild, candid.
**Charity,** *n.* 1. Benevolence, kindness, benignity, tender-heartedness, kind-heartedness, fellow-feeling, good-will, good-nature, milk of human kindness.
2. Beneficence, liberality, generosity, bounty, humanity, philanthropy, alms-giving, active goodness, doing of good.
3. Benefaction, gift, alms.
**Charivari,** *n.* [Fr.] Discordant music, mock serenade.
**Charlatan,** *n.* Quack, empiric, mountebank, pretender, impostor, cheat.
**Charlatanic,** *a.* Empirical, quackish.
**Charlatanry,** *n.* Quackery, empiricism, trickery, deceit.
**Charles's Wain.** The Great Bear, Ursa Major, The Wain, The Cleaver, The Dipper.
**Charm,** *n.* 1. Spell, enchantment, incantation, witchery, magic, sorcery, necromancy, magical power.
2. Attraction, fascination, allurement, attractiveness.
**Charm,** *v. a.* 1. Subdue by a charm, enchant, cast a spell upon, allay by enchantment.
2. Fascinate, enchant, delight, attract, captivate, catch, transport, enravish, enrapture, enamour, bewitch, allure, win, please highly, lead captive.
**Charmer,** *n.* 1. Enchanter, magician, sorcerer.
2. Sweetheart, loved one, darling, dear.
**Charming,** *a.* Fascinating, captivating, enchanting, enrapturing, bewitching, delightful, lovely.
**Charnel-house,** *n.* Ossuary, tomb. See GRAVE.
**Charter,** *n.* 1. Act of incorporation, patent of rights and immunities.
2. (*Rare.*) Right, privilege, prerogative, immunity, franchise, liberty.
**Charter,** *v. a.* 1. Incorporate, establish by charter, grant by charter.
2. Let *or* hire (*a ship* or *other means of conveyance*).
**Chary,** *a.* Cautious, wary, careful, shy, circumspect.
**Chase,** *v. a.* 1. Pursue, hunt, track, run after, give chase to.
2. Emboss, enchase.
**Chase,** *n.* 1. Hunting, hunt, field-sport.
2. Pursuit, race.
**Chase away.** Drive away, force away.
**Chasm,** *n.* Opening, cleft, fissure, gap, hiatus, cavity, hollow.
**Chaste,** *a.* 1. Pure, undefiled, virtuous, pure-minded, modest, continent.
2. Free from impurity, free from obscenity, pure, clean, elevated.
3. Uncorrupt, pure, unaffected, simple, neat, free from barbarisms, in good taste, chastened.
4. Refined, elegant, classic.
**Chasten,** *v. a.* 1. Discipline by affliction, correct, humble, bring low.
2. Purify, refine, render subdued, toned down.
**Chastening,** *n.* Chastisement, correction, discipline, humbling.
**Chastise,** *v. a.* 1. Castigate, punish (*with stripes*), whip, flog, beat, lash, correct.
2. Punish (*by whatever means*), correct, chasten, discipline, humble, subdue, bring to duty, render obedient.
3. Repress, restrain, moderate, check, sober, reduce to order, bring under.
**Chastisement,** *n.* Punishment, chastening, correction
**Chastity,** *n.* 1. Purity, virtue, modesty, pure-mindedness, continence.
2. Purity, cleanness, decency, freedom from impurity *or* obscenity.

3. [*In this sense rare.*] Chasteness, chastened character, unaffectedness, simplicity, restrainedness, sobriety, refinement, purity, freedom from extravagance.

**Chat,** *v. n.* Prattle, chatter, babble, gossip, confabulate, talk freely, talk lightly and unceremoniously, have a free and easy talk.

**Chat,** *n.* Prattle, gossip, confabulation, chit-chat, *causerie*, easy conversation, free and easy talk, rambling and informal talk, confab (*colloq.*).

**Chattels,** *n. pl.* Goods, effects, property other than freehold.

**Chatter,** *v. n.* Prattle, chat, gossip, talk idly, talk freely. See PRATE.

**Chatter,** *n.* Chat, prattle, babble, gabble. See PRATE and BALDERDASH.

**Chatterer,** *n.* Prater, prattler, tattler, gossip, babbler, gadder, gadabout, rattle-head, gibberer, jabberer, cackler, blabber, blatterer, blatherskite

**Cheap,** *a.* 1. Low-priced.

2. Common, paltry, poor, mean, indifferent, inferior, of little value, of small account.

**Cheapen,** *v. a.* 1. Depreciate, reduce in value, lower the price of, lower in price.

2. Depreciate, belittle, reduce in esteem.

**Cheat,** *v. a.* Defraud, trick, deceive, dupe, gull, overreach, jockey, cozen, chouse, outwit, bamboozle, circumvent, delude, hoodwink, beguile, mislead, cajole, inveigle, gammon, impose upon, take in, swindle, victimize, practise on, entrap, ensnare, hoax, fool, befool, play false.

**Cheat,** *v. n.* Deceive, practise fraud, act dishonestly, shuffle, dissemble, cozen, juggle.

**Cheat,** *n.* 1. Trick, deception, imposture, imposition, juggle, stratagem, fraud, wile, blind, catch, swindle, snare, trap, pitfall, artifice, deceit, chouse, piece of finesse, bit of knavery, piece of chicanery.

2. False show, delusion, illusion, deception, mockery, sham, counterfeit, make believe, tinsel, paste.

3. Trickster, impostor, rogue, knave, swindler, sharper, cheater, artful fellow, dodger, artful dodger, shuffler, charlatan, mountebank, *chevalier d'industrie.*

**Cheater,** *n.* Trickster. See CHEAT.

**Check,** *n.* 1. Restraint, curb, bridle, hindrance, stop, obstacle, impediment, obstruction, bar, barrier, damper, interference, rebuff, repression, control.

2. Counter, register, corresponding indenture, corresponding cipher.

3. Mark, symbol, sign.

4. Order for money.

5. Ticket, certificate of right.

6. Checkered cloth.

**Check,** *v. a.* 1. Restrain, curb, bridle, hinder, obstruct, repress, counteract, control, put a restraint upon, hold in check, put a damper upon, nip in the bud.

2. Reprove, chide, reprimand, rebuke.

3. Note with a mark.

**Checker,** *v. a.* Variegate, diversify.

**Checkerberry,** *n.* Partridge-berry, squaw-vine, winter-clover (*Mitchella repens*).

**Checkers,** *n. pl.* Draughts.

**Checkmate,** *v. a.* Beat (*at chess*). conquer, vanquish, put in check, put completely at fault, corner, entirely thwart.

**Cheek by jowl.** Close (*as in familiar intercourse*), face to face, side by side, *tête-à-tête*, in close proximity.

**Cheep,** *v. n.*, *v. a.*, and *n.* Pipe, peep, chirp, squeak, creak.

**Cheer,** *n.* 1. Gladness, joy, gayety, mirth, merriment. See CHEERFULNESS.

2. Entertainment, provisions, food, repast, viands, victuals.

3. Acclamation, shout of applause, huzza, hurrah.

**Cheer,** *v. a.* 1. Gladden, exhilarate, inspirit, enliven, animate, incite, encourage.

2. Comfort, console, solace, make cheerful.

3. Applaud, clap, salute with cheers.

**Cheerful,** *a.* 1. Glad, lively, sprightly, animated, joyful, joyous, happy, light-hearted, lightsome, blithe, mirthful, buoyant, gleeful, gay, cheery, airy, sunny, jocund, jolly, in good spirits, of good cheer, in high feather.

2. Gladdening, cheery, cheering, enlivening, encouraging, glad, jocund, pleasant, grateful, hope-inspiring, inspiriting, animating.

**Cheerfully,** *ad.* 1. Gladly, joyfully, etc.

2. Willingly, gladly, with pleasure, with alacrity, ungrudgingly.

**Cheerfulness,** *n.* 1. Cheer, good spirits, gladness, gladsomeness, happiness, contentedness, joyfulness, joy, animation, liveliness, lightsomeness, light-heartedness, blithesomeness, mirth, mirthfulness, sunshine, gleefulness, buoyancy, buoyancy of spirits, flow of spirits.

2. Willingness, glad alacrity, ungrudging consent, pleased promptitude.

**Cheerless,** *a.* Dreary, gloomy, sombre, dark, melancholy, sad, dismal, joyless, spiritless, lugubrious, mournful, despondent, discouraged, low-spirited, doleful, woe-begone, rueful, disconsolate, forlorn, desolate.

**Cheery,** *a.* 1. Blithe, hearty, gay, lightsome, sprightly, lively, buoyant, sunny, joyous, merry.

2. Cheering, heartening, animating, enlivening, brightening.

**Cheesy,** *a.* Caseous, cheese-like, of the nature of cheese.

**Chef-d'œuvre,** *n.* [Fr.] Master-piece, master-work, master-stroke, paragon, capital performance.

**Chemise,** *n.* Shift, smock.

**Cherish,** *v. a.* 1. Nurture, foster, nourish, nurse, sustain, support, comfort, care for.

2. Hold dear, count precious, care greatly for, treasure, preserve anxiously, protect tenderly.

3. Harbor, entertain, indulge, encourage.

**Chersonese,** *n.* Peninsula.

**Chert,** *n.* Hornstone, rock-flint, petrosilex.

**Cherub,** *n.* 1. [*pl. Cherubim.*] Angel, power, angel of knowledge.

2. [*pl. Cherubs.*] Beautiful child.

**Cherubic,** *a.* Angelic, cherubinic, cherubical.

**Cherup,** *v. n.* Chirp, chirrup.

**Cherup,** *v. a.* Encourage (*by chirruping*), inspirit, animate, cheer, chirrup.

**Chest,** *n.* 1. Box, case, packing-box, coffer.

2. Breast, thorax, trunk (*of the body*).

**Chetah,** *n.* [Sometimes written *Cheetah.*] Hunting leopard (*Felis jubata*).

**Chevalier,** *n.* Knight, horseman, cavalier.

**Chew,** *v. a.* and *v. n.* 1. Masticate, manducate, munch.

2. Champ, bite, gnaw.

3. Meditate, ruminate, muse on, reflect upon, chew the cud upon.

**Chicane,** *n.* Trickery, sophistry. See CHICANERY.

**Chicanery,** *n.* Trickery, duplicity, chicane, sophistry, sophistication, deception, intrigue, intriguing, wire-pulling, stratagems, wiles, tergiversation.

**Chiccory,** *n.* Succory.

**Chickadee,** *n.* Black-capped titmouse (*Parus atricapillus*).

**Chickaree,** *n.* Red squirrel (*Sciurus Hudsonius*).

**Chide,** *v. a.* Rebuke, reprimand, censure, reprove, blame, upbraid, admonish, scold, scold at.
**Chide,** *v. n.* Scold, clamor, fret, fume, chafe.
**Chief,** *a.* I. Leading, headmost, first, supreme, most eminent.
2. Principal, main, prime, vital, essential, capital, especial, great, grand, cardinal, master, supreme, paramount, grand, most important.
**Chief,** *n.* I. Chieftain, commander.
2. Leader, head, corypheus, principal person.
**Chiefly,** *ad.* I. Principally, eminently, mainly, especially, particularly, above all.
2. Mostly, for the most part.
**Chieftain,** *n.* Leader (*of a clan* or *of troops*), chief, commander, captain
**Chiffonnier,** *n.* [Fr.] I. Side-board, cabinet.
2. Rag-picker.
**Chigoe,** *n.* See CHIGRE.
**Chigre,** *n.* (*Ent.*) Jigger, chigoe (*Pulex penetrans*).
**Child,** *n.* [*pl. Children.*] I. Infant, babe, baby, nursling, suckling, chit, brat, bantling, *bairn*, little one.
2. Young person.
3. Offspring, issue, progeny.
**Child-bearing,** *n.* SEE CHILDBIRTH.
**Childbed,** *n.* Parturition. See CHILDBIRTH.
**Childbirth,** *n.* Parturition, delivery, travail, labor, childbed, child-bearing.
**Childhood,** *n.* Infancy, minority, pupilage, nonage.
**Childish,** *a.* I. Puerile, infantile, infantine, young, tender.
2. Foolish, silly, weak, trifling, frivolous.
**Childlike,** *a.* I. Docile, meek, submissive, dutiful, obedient, gentle.
2. Simple, innocent, ingenuous, uncrafty, guileless, trustful, confiding.
**Children,** *pl.* of CHILD (*which see*).
**Chiliad,** *n.* I. Thousand.
2. Thousand years, millenary, millennium, chiliasm.
**Chill,** *n.* I. Cold, coldness, chilliness, frigidity.
2. Shiver, ague, shivering-fit, ague-fit, rigor.
3. Depression, damp, depressing influence.
**Chill,** *a.* Cold, frigid, chilly, bleak.
**Chill,** *v. a.* I. Make chilly, make cold.
2. Depress, discourage, deject, dampen, dishearten.
**Chilly,** *a.* Cool, somewhat cold. See CHILL.
**Chime,** *n.* I. Consonance, harmony, correspondence of sound.
2. Set of chimed bells, chime of bells.
3. Ringing of the chimes *or* of a chime.
**Chime,** *v. n.* Harmonize, accord, sound in harmony.
**Chime in with.** Agree with, fall in with.
**Chimera,** *n.* Illusion, hallucination, delusion, fantasy, phantom, dream, crotchet, idle fancy, creature of the imagination, air-castle, castle in the air, *château en Espagne.*
**Chimerical.** *a.* Imaginary, fantastic, fanciful, visionary, illusory, shadowy, wild, Quixotic, Utopian.
**Chimney-corner,** *n.* Fireside, ingleside.
**China,** *n.* Porcelain, Chinaware.
**Chincapin,** *n.* [Written also *Chinquapin* and *Chinkapin.*] Dwarf-chestnut (*Castanea pumila*).
**Chinch,** *n.* I. Bed-bug, house-bug, bug (*Cimex lectularius*).
2. Chinch-bug, chink-bug, chintz.
**Chine,** *n.* Backbone, spine.
**Chink,** *n.* Opening, gap, crack, cranny, crevice, cleft, rift, fissure, narrow aperture.
**Chink,** *v. a.* and *v. n.* Jingle, clink, ring.
**Chip,** *v. a.* Hew, cut chips from.
**Chip,** *n.* Fragment, scrap, small piece.
**Chipmunk,** *n.* [Written also *Chipmonk* and *Chipmuk.*] Hackee, ground-squirrel, chipping-squirrel, striped-squirrel (*Tamias Listeri*).
**Chirography,** *n.* Handwriting, hand, penmanship, style of penmanship.
**Chiromancy,** *n.* Palmistry.
**Chirrup,** *v. n.* Chirp, cherup.
**Chirrup,** *v. a.* Encourage, animate, inspirit, cheer, cherup, urge on.
**Chisel,** *v. a.* Cut, carve, sculpture.
**Chit-chat,** *n.* Prattle, gossip, chat, *causerie*, easy conversation, familiar talk, idle talk, free and easy talk.
**Chivalric,** *a.* Gallant. See CHIVALROUS.
**Chivalrous,** *a.* I. Gallant, adventurous, valiant, brave, warlike, bold, knightly.
2. High-minded, generous, gallant, magnanimous, knightly.
**Chivalry,** *n.* I. Knighthood, knight-errantry.
2. Valor, gallantry.
**Chloride of barium.** Muriate of baryta, hydrochlorate of baryta.
**Chloride of lime.** Bleaching powder.
**Chloride of mercury.** Calomel, protochloride of mercury, subchloride of mercury.
**Chlorosis,** *n.* (*Med.*) Green-sickness.
**Chogret,** *n.* [*Indian name.*] Conner, cunner, burgall, blue perch.
**Choice,** *n.* I. Election, selection, option, alternative.
2. Preference.
**Choice,** *a.* I. Select, exquisite, precious, valuable, rare, uncommon, excellent, superior, unusual.
2. Frugal, careful, chary, sparing.
**Choke,** *v. a.* I. Suffocate, stifle, smother, strangle, throttle.
2. Suppress, overpower, overcome, stifle, smother, keep down.
3. Obstruct, close, block, stop, bar.
**Choke,** *v. n.* Be choked, strangle, suffocate.
**Choke-damp,** *n.* Foul air, carbonic acid, carbonic-acid gas (*accumulated in wells and pits*).
**Chokeful,** *a.* Brimful, quite full, chock-full, chuck-full, full to overflowing.
**Choler,** *n.* I. Bile.
2. Anger, wrath, ire, fury, rage, spleen, exasperation. See ANGER.
**Cholera asphyxia.** Asiatic cholera, spasmodic cholera, malignant cholera.
**Choleric,** *a.* Irascible, irritable, hasty, testy, touchy, petulant, waspish, hot, fiery, passionate.
**Choose,** *v. a.* Select, elect, prefer, cull, pick, pick out, single out, fix upon, pitch upon, make choice of.
**Chop,** *v. a.* I. Cut (*with a quick blow*).
2. Mince, cut into small pieces.
**Chop,** *v. n.* Shift, veer, change suddenly.
**Chop,** *n.* I. Slice, piece cut off.
2. Brand, quality.
3. Crop (*of tea*).
4. Jaw, chap.
**Chopfallen,** *a.* [Preferably spelled *Chapfallen.*] Disheartened, depressed, dejected, dispirited.
**Chop-house,** *n.* Restaurant (*of a low class*), eating-house.
**Choral,** *n.* Psalm-tune, hymn-tune.
**Chord,** *n.* I. String (*of a musical instrument*).
2. Harmonious tones.
3. Harmony.
4. (*Geom.*) Right line uniting the extremities of an arc.
**Chore,** *n.* Small job, light task.

**Chouse,** *v. a.* Deceive, cheat, trick, delude, defraud, swindle, dupe, gull, bamboozle, cozen, overreach, circumvent, beguile, hoodwink, victimize, take in, impose upon, put upon, practise upon, play upon.

**Chouse** *n.* 1. Dupe, tool, gull, simpleton, cully.
2. Trick, cheat, wile, ruse, imposture, imposition, fraud, deception, circumvention, deceit, double-dealing, stratagem, artifice, delusion, crafty device, piece of knavery, bit of finesse.

**Chowchow,** *n.* [*Chinese*] Mixed pickles.

**Chowchow,** *a.* Mixed of several sorts.

**Christ,** *n.* The Anointed, The Messiah, Jesus, Immanuel, The Saviour, The Redeemer, The Mediator, The Intercessor, The Advocate, The Judge, The Son of God, The Son of Man, The Lamb of God, The Word.

**Christen,** *v. a.* 1. Baptize.
2. Denominate, name, term, designate, style, call, dub, entitle, title.

**Christian,** *n.* 1. Disciple of Christ.
2. Inhabitant of Christendom, native of Christendom, member of Christendom.

**Christianity,** *n.* 1. Religion of Christians, Christian religion, teachings of Christ, the Gospel, divine revelation.
2. Christian disposition, Christ-like temper, Christian spirit, Christian character.

**Christian name.** Baptismal name (*as distinguished from the family name or surname*), given name, prænomen.

**Christmas rose.** Black hellebore (*Helleborus niger*).

**Chrome-yellow,** *n.* Chromate of lead.

**Chronic,** *a.* Inveterate, deep-seated, of long duration.

**Chronicle,** *n.* 1. Register (*of events in the order of time*), diary, journal.
2. Record, history, annals, narration, narrative, recital, account.

**Chronicle,** *v. a.* Record, register, narrate.

**Chronicler,** *n.* Historian.

**Chronometer,** *n.* Time-keeper, time-piece.

**Chrysalis,** *n.* Pupa, aurelia, nympha.

**Chubbed,** / **Chubby,** } *a.* Plump, buxom, short and thick.

**Chuck,** *v. a.* 1. Tap *or* pat (*under the chin*).
2. Throw, pitch, hurl, toss, thrust, push.

**Chuck,** *n.* 1. Tap *or* pat (*under the chin*).
2. Throw, toss, thrust, push.

**Chuckle,** *v. n.* 1. Giggle, titter, laugh (*convulsively, in triumph* or *in derision*).
2. Exult, triumph, crow.

**Chuckle,** *n.* Giggle, titter, laughter (*half suppressed*), chuckling.

**Chuckle-head,** *n.* (*Low.*) Blockhead, dunce.

**Chuckle-headed,** *a.* Thick-headed, dull. See STUPID.

**Chuckling,** *n.* Giggle, titter, chuckle.

**Chum,** *n.* Chamber-fellow room-mate.

**Chump,** *n.* Thick piece *or* block.

**Church,** *n.* 1. Temple, house of worship, house of God, meeting-house.
2. Body of Christians, ecclesiastical body.
3. Ecclesiastical authority (*as distinguished from that of the State*).

**Churchman,** *n.* 1. Ecclesiastic, clergyman, minister, pastor, divine, priest.
2. Episcopalian, Conformist.

**Churchyard,** *n.* Burying-ground, burial-ground, graveyard, cemetery, necropolis. God's acre.

**Churl,** *n.* 1. Rustic, peasant, countryman, clodhopper, bumpkin, ploughman, clown.
2. Ill-bred man, surly fellow.
3. Niggard, miser, skinflint, scrimp, curmudgeon, hunks, mean fellow.

**Churlish,** *a.* 1. Rude, harsh, brusque, uncivil, impolite, rough, brutish, surly, cynical, snarling, snappish, waspish.
2. Crabbed, morose, sullen, ill-tempered.
3. Niggardly, miserly, close, close-fisted, sordid, penurious, stingy, mean, illiberal.

**Churlishness,** *n.* 1. Rudeness, incivility, roughness, brutishness.
2. Crabbedness, moroseness, sullenness, tartness, acrimony, acerbity, asperity, harshness, bitterness, ill-temper.
3. Niggardliness, stinginess, penuriousness, closeness, meanness, miserliness, sordidness, close-fistedness.

**Churn,** *v. a.* 1. Agitate, jostle violently, cause to foam.
2. Produce by churning.

**Churn-owl,** *n.* Goat-sucker, night-jar, wheel-bird (*Caprimulgus Europæus*).

**Churr-worm,** *n.* Mole-cricket, fan-cricket, fen-cricket (*Gryllotalpa vulgaris*).

**Cicada,** *n.* Harvest-fly (*popularly but erroneously called locust in the U. S.*).

**Cicatrice,** / **Cicatrix,** } *n.* Scar, seam.

**Cicatrize,** *v. a.* Heal, cover with a scar, cause to heal up.

**Cicatrize,** *v. n.* Heal, scar over.

**Cicisbeo,** *n.* [It.] Gallant (*of a married woman*), beau, suitor, lover, admirer, dangler about women.

**Ci-devant,** *a.* [Fr.] Former, late, quondam, old-time

**Cimeter.** *n.* Falchion, scimeter.

**Cimeter-shaped,** *a.* Acinaciform.

**Cimmerian,** *a.* Black, very dark, intensely dark, midnight.

**Cinchona,** *n.* Quinquina, Peruvian bark, Jesuit's bark, Cinchona bark.

**Cincture,** *n.* Band, belt, girdle, cestus.

**Cinctured,** *a.* Girded, belted, girdled, girt, engirt.

**Cinders,** *n. pl.* Embers.

**Cinereous,** *a.* Ashy, ashen, cineritious, like ashes

**Cineritious,** *a.* 1. Ashy. See CINEREOUS.
2. Ash-colored, ashen, ash-gray.

**Cinnabar,** *n.* 1. Red sulphuret of mercury (*native*), bi-sulphuret of mercury.
2. Vermilion, red sulphuret of mercury (*artificial*).
3. Dragon's blood (*juice of the Calamus draco*).

**Cipher,** *n.* 1. Zero, naught *or* nought, nothing.
2. Character, symbol, device, monogram.
3. Secret character, private alphabet.
4. Person of no account, nobody, person without influence.

**Cipher,** *v. n.* Practise arithmetic, use figures.

**Circean,** *a.* Magical, enchanting, spell-binding, brutifying.

**Circle,** *n.* 1. Round, plane figure.
2. Circumference, periphery, ring.
3. Orb, sphere, globe, ball.
4. Returning series.
5. Compass, enclosure.
6. Company, society, class, fraternity, coterie, clique, set.
7. Range, sphere, province, field, compass, bounds, circuit, region.

**Circlet,** *n.* Little circle.

**Circuit,** *n.* 1. Revolution, circular course.
2. Space, region, tract, district, province, range, sphere, field, compass, bounds.
3. Boundary, compass, boundary line, distance round.
4. Course, tour, round, perambulation, journey.

**Circuitous,** *a.* Tortuous, devious, turning, winding, indirect, roundabout.

**Circular,** *a.* Round, annular, ring-shaped.
**Circulate,** *v. n.* I. Move round, move in a circle.
2. Spread, be diffused, have currency.
**Circulate,** *v. a.* Spread, diffuse, disseminate, promulgate, propagate, give currency to, spread abroad.
**Circulation,** *n.* I. Motion in a circle.
2. Diffusion, dissemination, promulgation, propagation, spread, spreading.
3. Currency, money, circulating medium.
4. Extent of subscription, number of copies distributed, number of takers, number of copies disposed of.
**Circumambient,** *a.* Surrounding, encompassing, encircling, circling, circumjacent, ambient.
**Circumference,** *n.* Periphery
**Circumjacent,** *a.* Surrounding, encompassing, encircling, ambient, circumambient, environing, enfolding, enclosing, lying around.
**Circumlocution,** *n.* Periphrasis, periphrase, circuit *or* compass of words, indirect expression, roundabout mode of speech, involved expression.
**Circumlocutory,** *a.* Periphrastical, periphrastic, roundabout, indirect, involved, diffuse.
**Circumnavigate,** *v. a.* Sail round
**Circumscribe,** *v. a.* I. Bound, encircle, surround, enclose.
2. Confine, restrict, limit, keep within bounds.
**Circumspect,** *a.* Cautious, wary, careful, watchful, heedful, considerate, judicious, vigilant, attentive, discreet, prudent, observant.
**Circumspection,** *n.* Caution, wariness, watchfulness, thoughtfulness, care, vigilance, attention, prudence, discretion, forecast.
**Circumstance,** *n.* I. Incidental, accidental, *or* subsidiary fact.
2. Event, fact, incident, occurrence.
**Circumstances,** *n. pl.* I. Situation, condition, position, state of affairs.
2. Surroundings, environment, attendant conditions.
3. Pecuniary standing, moneyed condition.
**Circumstantial,** *a.* I. Particular, minute, detailed.
2. Indirect, inferential, presumptive, founded on circumstances.
**Circumvent,** *v. a.* I. Thwart, check, checkmate, outgeneral.
2. Deceive, cheat, defraud, trick, cozen, overreach, delude, hoodwink, dupe, gull, bamboozle, chouse, outwit, beguile, mislead, inveigle, impose upon.
**Circumvention,** *n.* Fraud, deception, imposition, imposture, deceit, cheat, cheating, trick, trickery, indirection, crooked ways, chicanery, wiles.
**Cirrus,** *n.* [*pl. Cirri.*] I. (*Bot.*) Tendril, filament.
2. (*Zoöl.*) Filamentary appendage.
3. (*Meteor.*) Curl-cloud, cat's-tail, mare's-tail.
**Cistern,** *n.* Reservoir, tank.
**Citadel,** *n.* Castle, stronghold. See FORTRESS.
**Citation,** *n.* I. Summons, official call *or* notice.
2. Quotation, extract, excerpt, quoted passage.
3. Enumeration, mention, quoting, quotation, bringing forward.
**Cite,** *v. a.* I. Summon, send for.
2. Quote, adduce, extract.
3. Enumerate, mention, bring forward.
**Citizen,** *n.* Inhabitant, resident, dweller, burgess, burgher, townsman.
**City,** *n.* Incorporated town.
**Civic,** *a.* Civil (*as distinguished from military*), municipal, political.
**Civil,** *a.* I. Civilized.
2. Municipal, political, civic.
3. Intestine, domestic.
4. Courteous, polite, refined, complaisant, urbane, suave, obliging, affable, debonair, easy, gracious, well-bred.
**Civilities,** *n. pl.* Acts of courtesy.
**Civility,** *n.* Courtesy, courteousness, urbanity, politeness, affability, complaisance, amiability, suavity, good-breeding, elegance of manners.
**Civilization,** *n.* Culture, cultivation, refinement.
**Civilize,** *v. a.* Refine, cultivate, educate, polish, enlighten, improve, humanize, reclaim from barbarism.
**Clack,** *n.* I. Click, clink, tick, beat.
2. Prate, prattle, babble, babbling, gossip, palaver, cackle, gabble, gab, idle talk, small talk. See PRATE.
**Clack,** *v. n.* I. Click, clink.
2. Prate, prattle, babble, gabble, chatter, jabber, clatter, gossip, talk idly.
**Claim,** *v. a.* Require, ask, demand, challenge, call for, lay claim to, assert as one's right
**Claim,** *v. n.* I. Derive a right, obtain a title.
2. Assert a claim, put forward the claim.
**Claim,** *n.* I. Demand, call, requisition.
2. Right, pretension, title, privilege.
**Clairvoyance,** *n.* Seeing without eyes, seeing in a mesmeric state, trance-vision.
**Clairvoyant,** *a.* Able to see without eyes, seeing by mesmeric influence, seeing in trance.
**Clam,** *v. a.* Clog (*with glutinous matter*).
**Clamber,** *v. n.* Climb (*with difficulty*), scramble.
**Clammy,** *a.* Viscous, glutinous, gummy, viscid, sticky, slimy, ropy, adhesive, dauby, smeary.
**Clamor,** *n.* Outcry, vociferation, exclamation, noise, hullabaloo, hubbub, uproar, blare.
**Clamor,** *v. n.* I. Vociferate, cry out, shout, make uproar, make outcries.
2. Cry importunately, demand importunately.
**Clamorous,** *a.* I. Vociferous, noisy, boisterous, obstreperous, uproarious, blatant.
2. Importunate.
**Clan,** *n.* I. Race, tribe, family.
2. Clique, coterie, set, gang, brotherhood, fraternity, sodality.
**Clandestine,** *a.* Concealed (*for a bad purpose*), secret, hidden, private, underhand, underhanded, sly.
**Clang,** *n.* Clangor, clank, clash, clashing.
**Clang,** *v. n.* Clank, clash.
**Clangor,** *n.* Clang, clank.
**Clank,** *v. n.* Clang, clash.
**Clap,** *v. a.* I. Pat, strike gently, slap.
2. Thrust, force, slam.
3. Put hastily, put hurriedly, slap.
4. Applaud (*by striking the hands together*), cheer.
**Clap,** *n.* I. Blow, knock, slap.
2. Explosion, burst, peal, slam, bang.
3. Gonorrhœa, venereal disease.
**Clap-trap,** *n.* Trick (*for the sake of effect, as on the stage*), stage-effect, stage-trick, *coup de théâtre, tour de force.*
**Clap-trap,** *a.* Stage-tricky, *ad captandum*, spectacular, theatrical, histrionic.
**Clarification,** *n.* Purification, clearing.
**Clarify,** *v. a.* Purify, clear, make clear, strain.
**Clash,** *v n.* I. Collide, crash together, come into collision, strike against each other.
2. Clank, clang, crash, clatter, rattle.
3. Disagree, contend, interfere, be mutually opposed, act in a contrary direction.
**Clash,** *n.* I. Collision.
2. Clang, clank, clangor, clashing, crash, clatter, rattle.

3. Opposition, contradiction, interference, clashing, jar, jarring, disagreement.

**Clashing,** *n.* 1. Clang, clank, clangor, clash, crash

2. Opposition, interference, clash, jar, jarring, disagreement, contradiction, hostility, enmity.

**Clasp,** *v. a.* 1. Fasten with a clasp.

2. Grasp, grip, clutch, grapple, put the fingers around, lay hold of, fasten upon.

3. Embrace, hug, fold.

**Clasp,** *n.* 1. Hook, catch. See HASP.

2. Embrace, hug.

**Class,** *n.* 1. Rank *or* order (*of persons*)

2. Set (*as of pupils pursuing the same studies*).

3. Scientific division (*of animate* or *inanimate objects, including orders, genera, and species*), kind, sort.

4. Category, division, head, group, collection.

**Class,** *v. a.* Arrange, rank, range, classify, dispose, distribute, form into classes.

**Class-fellow,** *n.* Classmate.

**Classic,** *n.* First-rate work (*of literature*), work of the first class, standard work, model production, master-piece, *chef d'œuvre*.

**Classic,** } *a.* 1. First-rate, of the first class (*in*
**Classical,** } *literature*), standard, model, master, masterly.

2. Greek *or* Latin, Greek and Latin, Grecian and Roman.

3. Elegant, polished, refined, chaste, pure, Attic.

**Classicalism,** *n.* Classicism, classical taste, idiom, style, *or* expression.

**Classicism,** *n.* See CLASSICALISM.

**Classification,** *n.* Arrangement, disposition, distribution, grouping, reducing to order.

**Classify,** *v. a.* Arrange, class, distribute, dispose, group, form into classes, reduce to order.

**Classmate,** *n.* Class-fellow.

**Clatter,** *v. n.* 1. Rattle, clash.

2. Prate, prattle, babble, clack, gabble, clatter, jabber, talk loudly.

**Clatter,** *n.* Rattling, clattering, clutter, confused noise.

**Clattering,** *n.* See CLATTER.

**Clause,** *n.* 1. Subordinate sentence, sentential term.

2. Article, provision, proviso, condition, stipulation.

**Clavate,** } *a.* (*Bot.* and *Zoöl.*) Claviform, club-
**Clavated,** } shaped.

**Clavicle,** *n.* Collar-bone.

**Claviform,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Clavate, clavated, club-shaped.

**Clavis,** *n.* [L. *pl. Claves*; Eng. *pl. Clavises.*] Key, explanation, clew, guide.

**Claw,** *n.* Talon.

**Claw,** *v. a.* Tear (*with the claws*), scratch, lacerate, laniate.

**Clay,** *n.* 1. Argillaceous earth (*consisting principally of alumina and silica.*)

2. [*Scriptural* or *poetic.*] Flesh (*of man, as perishable*), mortal part, earthly part, earthly substance, perishable substance.

**Clean,** *a.* 1. Unstained, unspotted, spotless, unsoiled, unsullied, immaculate, cleanly, neat.

2. Unadulterated, unmixed, pure, purified, clarified.

3. Neat, delicate, shapely, graceful, light, dexterous, adroit, free from bungling.

4. Entire, complete, perfect, whole, free from defect, faultless, unblemished, unimpaired, without abatement, unabated.

5. Pure, innocent, free from moral impurity, undefiled in heart.

6. Pure, chaste, clean-minded, free from lust.

7. Ceremonially pure, ritually just, according with ceremonial.

**Clean,** *ad.* Entirely, completely, perfectly, altogether, wholly, thoroughly, fully, in all respects, in every respect, out and out.

**Clean,** *v. a.* Cleanse, purify, make clean, free from dirt.

**Cleanly,** *a.* Neat, tidy. See CLEAN, *a.*

**Cleanly,** *ad.* Neatly, in a clean *or* neat manner.

**Cleanse,** *v. a.* 1. Purify, clean, make clean, free from dirt.

2. Purify, free from sin, make righteous.

3. Remove, purge away.

**Cleansing,** *n.* Purification, purifying.

**Cleansing,** *a.* 1. Purifying, purgative, abstergent, cathartic.

2. Purifying, regenerating, regenerative, redemptive.

**Clear,** *a.* 1. Transparent, bright, light, luminous, pellucid, limpid.

2. Unmixed, pure, unadulterated.

3. Unobstructed, unencumbered, free, open.

4. Serene, fair, cloudless, unclouded, sunny, unobscured, undimmed.

5. Net, without deductions.

6. Perspicuous, lucid, luminous, distinct, plain, intelligible.

7. Apparent, visible, palpable, evident, obvious, manifest, distinct, conspicuous, patent, unequivocal, unmistakable, indisputable, undeniable, unambiguous, unquestionable, not to be mistaken.

8. Perspicacious, sharp, acute, discerning, prompt, quick.

9. Innocent, unspotted, spotless, guiltless, sinless, irreproachable, unblemished, unsullied, undefiled, immaculate, clean.

10. Unobstructed, unimpeded, unhampered, free from hindrance *or* obstruction *or* impediment.

11. Musical, silvery, sonorous, mellifluous, euphonious.

**Clear,** *v. a.* 1. Clarify, refine, purify, cleanse, make clear.

2. Free, loose, liberate, emancipate, disinthrall, set free.

3. Acquit, absolve, exonerate, discharge, justify, vindicate, set right.

4. Extricate, disengage, loosen, disentangle, disembarrass.

5. Free from encumbrances *or* obstructions, remove timber and underbrush from, clean up.

6. Net, get *or* gain over and above expenses.

7. Pass by *or* over without touching.

**Clear,** *v. n.* 1. Clear away, up, *or* off, become free from clouds, fog, *or* mist, break, break away, become fair.

2. Balance accounts, settle balances, settle at the clearing-house.

**Clearance,** *n.* 1. Discharge, release, exoneration, acquittal.

2. (*Com.*) Permission to leave port, permission to sail.

**Clear away.** Become fair, clear off, clear up, break, break away.

**Clear-cut,** *a.* Sharply outlined, sharp-cut, delicately and cleanly outlined, well-defined, exact, definite, precise.

**Clear-headed,** *a.* 1. Free from confusion *or* confused thought, lucid, luminous, clear-thoughted, clear-thinking.

2. Discerning, clear-sighted, clear-seeing, keen-sighted, shrewd, sagacious, perspicacious, penetrating, acute, long-headed. See INTELLIGENT.

**Clear of.** Rid of, free from.

**Clear off.** 1. Become fair, clear away, clear up, break, break away.
2. Remove, clear away *or* off, cancel, pay, pay off *or* up, liquidate.
**Clear-sighted,** *a.* Discerning. See CLEAR-HEADED, 2.
**Clear up.** (*Neuter.*) Become fair, clear off, clear away, break, break up, break away
**Clear up.** (*Active.*) Explain, expound, make out, make plain, satisfactorily account for, relieve from suspicion, explain away, relieve from doubt.
**Cleave,** *v. n.* 1. Adhere, cohere, stick, hold, cling, be attached, united, *or* joined.
2. Attach one's self, unite one's self, take the side (of), take sides (with), take part (with).
3. Remain devoted to, be devoted to, be true to, cling.
4. Separate, divide, part, open, split, crack, be divided, sunder, be sundered, sever, be severed.
**Cleave,** *v. a.* Split, rive, rend, sever, sunder, cut *or* hew asunder, tear asunder.
**Cleavers,** *n.* [Written also *Clivers.*] Hariff, goose-grass, catch-weed, scratch-weed (*Galium aparine*).
**Cleft,** *n.* Crevice, chink, fissure, rift, break, breach, gap, cranny, crack, interstice, opening, fracture, chasm.
**Clemency,** *n.* 1. Lenity, lenience, leniency, mildness, mercifulness, mercy, gentleness, forgivingness, compassion, tenderness, kindness, fellow-feeling, long-suffering, freedom from vindictiveness, disposition to mercy.
2. Softness, mildness. (Said of weather, etc.).
**Clement,** *a.* Lenient, merciful, mild, forgiving, compassionate, kind, indulgent, tender, gentle, humane, kind-hearted, tender-hearted.
**Clench,** *v. a.* 1. [Written also *Clinch.*] Secure, fasten, rivet, and *fig.*, confirm, establish, fix, secure.
2. Set, set firmly, clasp firmly, double, double up tightly.
3. Grasp firmly, clutch, seize and hold.
**Clench,** *n.* Clinging grasp, clutch, persistent hold.
**Clepsydra,** *n.* Water-clock.
**Clergy,** *n.* Ministers, clergymen, the cloth, body of ecclesiastics (*in distinction from the laity*).
**Clergyman,** *n.* Minister, divine, priest, pastor, parson, ecclesiastic, churchman.
**Clerk,** *n.* 1. Recorder, registrar, scribe, secretary.
2. Leader of responses (*in the Episcopal service*).
3. [*U. S.*] Assistant (*in a place of business*), accountant, salesman, saleswoman.
4. [*Archaic.*] Scholar, man of letters, lettered man.
**Clever,** *a.* 1. Dexterous, skilful, apt, ingenious, handy, ready, quick, smart, expert, adroit, capable.
2. Able, gifted, talented, apt.
**Cleverness,** *n.* Dexterity, adroitness, ingenuity, skill, aptness, aptitude, readiness, quickness, smartness, expertness, ability.
**Clew,** *n.* Guide, guidance, direction, key, *clavis.* See CLUE.
**Click,** *v. n.* Tick, clack, clink, beat, vibrate with a click.
**Click,** *v. a.* 1. Move with a click, make click.
2. Sound with a click, utter with a click.
**Click,** *n.* 1. Tick, clack, clink, beat.
2. Pawl, detent, catch, ratchet.
**Client,** *n.* 1. Dependant, henchman, retainer.
2. (*Law.*) Retainer (*of counsel*), person represented (*by counsel*)
**Clientage,** *n.* 1. Clientship.
2. Clientelage, clientele, body of clients, all one's clients.
**Cliff,** *n.* Precipice, crag, precipitous rock, rocky headland, overhanging rock, clift.
**Climacteric,** *n.* Crisis, critical point, critical period.
**Climate,** *n.* Meteorological character *or* habit, usual weather.
**Climax,** *n.* 1. Gradual culmination, successive increase of effect.
2. Acme, culmination, top, summit.
**Climb,** *v. a.* Struggle up, go up, mount, surmount, ascend.
**Climb,** *v. n.* 1. Clamber, scramble, ascend gradually, come slowly up.
2. Creep, twine, clamber. (*Said of plants.*)
**Clime,** *n.* Region, place, country, climate.
**Clinch,** *v. a.* 1. Grasp, grip, clasp, clutch, grapple, lay hold of.
2. Fasten, secure.
3. Confirm, fix, establish.
**Clinch,** *n.* 1. Catch, grip, clutch, grasp.
2. Clincher, cramp, holdfast, clamp.
**Clincher,** *n.* 1. Cramp, clinch, holdfast, clamp.
2. Conclusive argument, unanswerable argument, poser, settler (*colloq.*), closer (*colloq.*).
**Cling,** *v. n.* 1. Adhere, stick, cleave, be attached, hold, hold fast. Also *fig.*
2. Twine round, throw tendrils about.
3. Embrace, clasp.
**Clink,** *v. n.* 1. Ring, jingle, tinkle, chink.
2. Rhyme, jingle, chime.
**Clink,** *v. a.* Ring, jingle, chink.
**Clink,** *n.* Ring, jingle, chink, tinkle.
**Clinker,** *n.* 1. Hard-burnt brick, Dutch brick, Flemish brick.
2. Scoria, slag, incombustible refuse (*of furnaces*).
**Clip,** *v. a.* 1. Cut.
2. Prune, trim, pare, curtail, cut short.
**Clip,** *n.* 1. Shearing, cutting.
2. Quantity sheared (*as of wool*), season's shearing.
3. (*Colloq.*) Blow (*with the hand*), rap, knock, lick, whack, thwack, thump.
4. Spring-clasp, spring-holder, letter-clip.
**Clique,** *n.* [Fr.] [*Generally used in a bad sense.*] Coterie, club, brotherhood, sodality, clan, junto, cabal, *camarilla*, party, gang, set, ring, private *or* exclusive association.
**Cloak,** *n.* 1. Mantle.
2. Mask, veil, cover, blind, pretext.
**Cloak,** *v. a.* Mask, hide, veil, cover.
**Clock,** *n.* 1. Timekeeper, timepiece, horologe.
2. Beetle, scarab, scarabee, scarabæus, coleopter.
3. Embroidery (*on stockings*), broidery, embroidered figure.
**Clod,** *n.* 1. Lump (of earth).
2. Ground, earth, turf, sod.
3. Clodpoll, clown, dolt. See DUNCE.
**Clod-breaker,** *n.* Bumpkin, boor. See CLODHOPPER.
**Clodhopper,** *n.* Rustic, peasant, countryman, boor, swain, hind, bumpkin, ploughman, clown, churl, clod-breaker.
**Clodpate,** *n.* See CLODPOLL.
**Clodpoll,** *n.* Simpleton, fool. See DUNCE.
**Clog,** *v. a.* 1. Trammel, shackle, hamper, fetter, put a clog on.
2. Obstruct, choke, choke up, stop up.
3. Encumber, hinder, impede, hamper, embarrass, cumber, restrain, trammel, burden, load.
**Clog,** *n.* 1. Trammel, fetter, shackle, drag-weight, dead-weight.
2. Impediment, encumbrance, hindrance, obstacle, obstruction, check, drawback.
3. Sabot, wooden shoe.

**Cloister,** *n.* I. Convent-walk, abbey-walk, arched ambulatory.
2. Convent, monastery, abbey, nunnery, priory.
3. Arcade, colonnade, colonnaded court, piazza.
**Cloisteral,** *a.* Recluse, solitary, secluded, sequestered, monastic.
**Close,** *v. a.* I. Shut, shut up.
2. Stop, obstruct, choke, stop up, clog.
3. Conclude, finish, terminate, end, cease, complete, bring to a period.
**Close,** *v. n.* I. Unite, coalesce, come together, be brought together.
2. Terminate, end, be concluded, cease.
3. Grapple, come to close quarters, clinch.
4. Agree, come to terms, accept the offer.
**Close,** *n.* I. [Pron. *clōse.*] End, conclusion, termination, cessation.
2. [Pron. *close.*] Cathedral *or* abbey precinct.
3. Enclosure, inclosure, inclosed place, yard, grounds.
**Close,** *a.* I. Tight, closed, shut fast, confined.
2. Hidden, secret, private.
3. Reserved, taciturn, reticent, secretive, incommunicative.
4. Retired, withdrawn, concealed, secluded, pent up.
5. Confined, stagnant, motionless.
6. Oppressive, uncomfortable.
7. Dense, compact, solid, compressed, firm, thick.
8. Near, approaching nearly, adjoining, adjacent, immediately, neighboring.
9. Intimate, confidential, devoted, strongly attached, dear.
10. Nearly balanced, hard-fought, sharply contested, almost lost.
11. Intense, intent, unremitting, earnest, fixed, assiduous.
12. Faithful, accurate, precise, exact, strict, nice.
13. Parsimonious, stingy, penurious, miserly, niggardly, close-fisted, close-handed, mean, illiberal, ungenerous, churlish, curmudgeonly.
**Close by.** Very near, within a short distance, hard by.
**Close-fisted,** *a.* Penurious, parsimonious, stingy, miserly, niggardly, mean, close, close-handed, curmudgeonly, churlish, illiberal, ungenerous.
**Close-handed,** *a.* See CLOSE-FISTED.
**Closet,** *n.* I. Cabinet, private room, retiring-room.
2. Store-room, clothes-room.
**Closet,** *v. a.* Admit to intimate interview, put into concealment, admit to secret conference.
**Closeting,** *n.* Clandestine conference, secret conference.
**Close up.** Unite, join, consolidate, bring together
**Close with.** I. Accede to, consent to, agree to.
2. Agree with, make an agreement with.
3. Grapple with.
**Clot,** *n.* Concretion, coagulation, crassament, *crassamentum.*
**Clot,** *v. n.* Concrete, coagulate.
**Cloth,** *n.* I. Woven fabric.
2. [With *The* prefixed.] Clergy, clerical profession, clergymen, ecclesiastics.
**Clothe,** *v. a.* I. Dress, attire, apparel, array, robe, put garments upon.
2. Provide garments for, provide with clothes, furnish with raiment.
3. Invest (*with*), cover, endue, endow, enwrap, envelop, swathe.
**Clothes,** *n. pl.* Garments, raiment, apparel, attire, vesture, vestments, dress, clothing, garb, costume, habiliments, habits, wearing apparel, things (*colloq.*).
**Clothing,** *n.* Garments. See CLOTHES.
**Cloud,** *n.* I. Nebulosity, haze, mist, fog, vapor, collection of vapor.
2. Dense mass (*as of smoke* or *dust*).
3. Throng, multitude, dense mass, vast number, host, army, horde, vast assemblage.
4. Blur, blurred spot, dark spot *or* blotch.
5. Darkness, obscurity, gloom, obscuration, eclipse.
**Cloud,** *v. a.* I. Overspread, overcast, cover with clouds, becloud.
2. Darken, obscure, dim, begloom, shade, shadow.
3. Variegate (*with dark veins* or *spots*).
**Cloudberry,** *n.* Knotberry, mountain-bramble (*Rubus chamæmorus*).
**Cloud-built,** *a.* I. Cloud-piled, cloud-formed, made of clouds.
2. Illusive, illusory, unstable, fanciful, imaginary, chimerical.
**Cloud-compeller,** *n.* Jupiter, Jove.
**Cloudy,** *a.* I. Clouded, murky, lowering, lurid, overcast.
2. Obscure, dark, dim, confused.
3. Gloomy, dismal, depressing, sullen.
4. Varied with dark spots, mottled.
5. Blurred, dimmed, lustreless, muddy.
**Clown,** *n.* I. Rustic, peasant, swain, ploughman, countryman, clodhopper, clod-breaker, husbandman, hind, churl.
2. Bumpkin, lout, boor, churl, fellow, ill-bred and uncouth man.
3. Dolt, blockhead, clodpoll, clodpate, thickhead, dunderhead, numskull. See DUNCE.
4. Buffoon, fool, harlequin, jester, droll, punch, zany, scaramouch, merry-andrew, jack-pudding, pickle-herring, mime, pantaloon, jack-a-dandy, wearer of the motley, *farceur, grimacier.*
**Clownish,** *a.* I. Rustic, boorish, loutish, coarse, rough, awkward, clumsy, ungainly.
2. Rude, impolite, uncivil, ill-bred, ill-mannered, churlish.
**Cloy,** *v. a.* Satiate, glut, surfeit, pall, sate.
**Club,** *n.* I. Bludgeon, cudgel.
2. Association, society, company, set, fraternity, sodality, cotérie.
**Club,** *v. n.* I. Form a club, unite in a club.
2. Co-operate, unite together, act in concert, club together.
3. Contribute, unite to share expenses, make a common purse.
**Club,** *v. a.* I. Combine, unite, add together, aggregate.
2. Average, defray by shares, lump.
3. Beat (with a club), cudgel.
**Club-house,** *n.* Club.
**Clue,** *n.* I. Ball of thread.
2. Thread, string, twine, tie, fastening.
3. Guiding-thread, guide, guidance, direction, hint, indication, key, *clavis,* clew.
**Clump,** *n.* Cluster, bunch, group, assemblage, collection.
**Clumsy,** *a.* I. Unwieldy, ponderous, heavy, lumbering, ill-shaped, ill-made.
2. Awkward, unhandy, bungling, blundering, maladroit, inapt, unskilful, without dexterity.
**Cluster,** *n.* Clump, bunch, group, assemblage, collection.
**Cluster,** *v. n.* Grow in bunches, grow in clusters, collect together, crowd together, throng.
**Clutch,** *v. a.* Grasp, gripe, grip, grapple, clasp, clench, seize, catch, snatch, lay hold of, fasten upon.
**Clutch,** *n.* Grasp, gripe, grip, clasp, clench, seizure.

**Clutches,** *n. pl.* I. Paws, talons, claws.
2. Hands (*implying rapacity* or *cruelty*), power, cruel power.
**Clutter,** *n.* I. Bustle, clatter, clattering, racket, confused noise.
2. Confused mass, disorder, disarray, confusion.
**Clutter,** *v. a.* Disarrange, throw into disorder, lumber, fill full of confused materials, heap into disorder.
**Clypeiform,** *a.* Scutate, shield-shaped.
**Clyster,** *n.* Injection, enema, lavement
**Coadjutor,** *n.* Helper, collaborator, *collaborateur*, co-operator, auxiliary, colleague, partner, aider, ally, abettor, co-aid. See ASSISTANT and ACCESSARY.
**Coagulate,** *v. a.* and *v. n.* Curdle, concrete, thicken, clot.
**Coagulation,** *n.* I. Curdling, concretion.
2. Clot, coagulum.
**Coagulum,** *n.* Clot, coagulation.
**Co-aid,** *n.* Assistant coadjutor. See ACCESSARY.
**Coalesce,** *v. n.* I. Unite, combine, blend, come together, become consolidated.
2. Concur, fraternize, come to an agreement.
**Coal-fish,** *n.* Cudden (*Gades carbonarius*).
**Coal-hod,** *n.* [Americanism for *Coal-scuttle* ]
**Coalition,** *n.* Union, alliance, confederacy, federation, confederation, league, combination, copartnership, compact.
**Coal-measures,** *n. pl.* Bed of coal, strata of coal, carboniferous group.
**Coal-mine,** *n.* Colliery, coal-pit.
**Coal-pit,** *n* Colliery, coal-mine.
**Coal-scuttle,** *n.* *U. S.*] Coal-hod.
**Coarse,** *a.* I. Of large size.
2. Of large fibres *or* particles.
3. Crude, rough, impure, unpurified.
4. Gross, broad, indelicate, indecent, vulgar.
5. Rude, unpolished, uncivil, impolite, gruff, bluff, bearish, brutish, loutish, clownish, churlish.
6. Mean, vile, inelegant.
**Coast,** *n.* I. (*Rare.*) Border, frontier.
2. Shore, beach, strand, seaboard, seaside, sea-coast.
**Coast,** *v. n.* I. Sail along the coast.
2. Slide down hill (*on a sled*).
**Coat,** *n.* I. Outer garment (*of men*).
2. Cover, covering, coating.
3. Layer, covering layer.
**Coat,** *v. a.* Cover, spread a covering over, spread.
**Coating,** *n.* Covering, coat, covering *or* protecting layer.
**Coat of arms.** Escutcheon, arms, armorial bearings, armorial ensigns, device, crest, coat-armor.
**Coat of mail.** Suit of armor, suit of mail, armor, mail, hauberk, cuirass, habergeon, *lorica*, *thorax*.
**Coax,** *v. a.* Wheedle, cajole, flatter, cog, persuade by fondling, prevail upon by flattery.
**Cob,** *n.* I. Sea-mew, sea-cob, gull, mew.
2. Horse (*short-legged and stout*), cob-horse.
3. [*U. S.*] Spike (*of maize*), corn-cob.
**Cobble,** *v. a.* I. Botch, tinker, patch up, mend clumsily.
2. Bungle, botch, do clumsily, make clumsily.
**Cobble,** *v. n.* I. Do cobbler's work, mend shoes.
2. Be a bungler, bungle, botch, do bungling work.
**Cobble,** *n.* I. Cobble-stone, cobstone, small round stone.
2. [Written also *Coble.*] Fishing-boat.
**Cobbler,** *n.* I. Mender of shoes.
2. Clumsy workman, bungler, botcher.
3. Iced-sangaree, sherry-cobbler.
**Cobble-stone,** *n.* Cobstone, cobble, copple-stone.
**Cobra,** *n.* Hooded snake, spectacle-snake, cobra-de-capello.
**Cobra-de-capello,** *n.* [Port ] Cobra, hooded snake, spectacle-snake (*Naja tripudians*).
**Cobweb,** *n.* I. Spider's web.
2. Entanglement, snare, meshes, toils, insidious intricacy.
3. Flimsy *or* frail thing, piece of flimsiness.
4. Musty tradition, hoary and useless custom, worthless time-worn trappings.
**Cobweb,** *a.* Flimsy, slight, gauzy, worthless, thin.
**Cochleary,** *a.* Cochleate, cochleated, cochlean, cochleariform, cochleous, spiral, spiry, screw-shaped.
**Cochleate,** / **Cochleated,** } *a.* Spiral. See COCHLEARY.
**Cock,** *n.* I. Male (*of birds*).
2. Chanticleer, rooster [*U. S.*].
3. Cock-crowing, cock-crow.
4. Faucet, turn-valve, stop-cock.
5. Hammer (*of gunlock*).
6. Turning-up, turn, toss, perking.
7. Pile (*of hay, etc.*), rick.
8. Yawl, ship's boat, small boat, cock-boat.
9. Notch, groove (*of an arrow*).
**Cock,** *v. a.* I. Set, set up, set the cock *or* hammer of.
2. Perk, perk up, toss.
3. Pile, make into cocks *or* ricks.
4. Point, sharpen, calk (*said of a horseshoe*).
**Cock,** *v. n.* Bridle, perk, hold the head high, look big *or* pert *or* menacing.
**Cock-a-hoop,** *a.* Boasting, boastful, bragging, vaunting, vaporing, blustering, exulting, triumphant, vain-glorious.
**Cock-and-bull story.** Absurd story, exaggerated tale, canard.
**Cockatrice,** *n.* Basilisk.
**Cockchafer,** *n.* May-bug, dor, dor-bug, tree-beetle, dor-beetle, May-beetle, dummador, (*Melontha vulgaris*).
**Cock-crowing,** *n.* I. Crowing of the cock, cock-crow, cock.
2. Dawn, day-break, peep of day, first flush of the morning.
**Cocker,** *v. a.* (*Rare.*) Indulge (*unduly*), fondle, pamper.
**Cockerel,** *n.* Young cock *or* [*U. S.*] rooster.
**Cockering,** *n.* Indulgence (*to excess*), pampering, humoring.
**Cock-eyed,** *a.* Squint-eyed.
**Cockle,** *v. a.* Wrinkle, pucker, corrugate, gather into folds.
**Cockling,** *a.* Curling, ruffled, dashing, whirling, foaming, rushing.
**Cock-loft,** *n.* Garret, loft, attic, upper story.
**Cockney,** *n.* [*Term of slight ridicule.*] Londoner, native *or* resident of London.
**Cockney,** *a.* Of Cockneys, Cockney-like.
**Cocksure,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Very sure, quite sure, quite certain, very confident.
**Cod,** *n.* Codfish (*Morrhua vulgaris*).
**Coddle,** *v. a.* I. Parboil, boil slightly.
2. Humor, nurse, pamper, cocker, indulge, fondle, caress, pet, treat with fondness, make much of.
**Code,** *n.* Digest, collection of laws.
**Codfish,** *n.* Cod.
**Codger,** *n.* I. Miser, niggard, churl, curmudgeon, lick-penny, skinflint, scrimp, hunks, screw, muckworm.
2. (*Colloq.*) Queer old fellow, eccentric chap, odd stick.
**Codicil,** *n.* Supplement *or* postscript (*to a will*).
**Codify,** *v. a.* Digest, systematize, reduce to a code *or* digest.
**Cœliac,** *a.* Of the belly.
**Cœliac passion.** Chronic diarrhœa

**Coequal,** *a.* Co-ordinate, of like rank, of the same rank, of equal dignity *or* power, on a level, on a par.
**Coerce,** *v. a.* 1. Restrain, curb, check, repress, put under restraint.
2. Compel, force, drive, constrain.
**Coercion,** *n* 1. Restraint, check, curb, repression.
2. Compulsion, constraint, force.
**Coercive,** *a.* 1. Coercing, checking, restraining, curbing, repressing, repressive.
2. Constraining, compelling, compulsory.
**Coetaneous,** *a.* See CORVAL.
**Coeval,** *a.* Coetaneous, of the same age.
**Coexist,** *v. n.* Exist together, exist at the same time.
**Coexistent,** *a.* Simultaneous, synchronous.
**Coffer,** *n.* 1. Chest, box, casket, trunk.
2. Money-chest, strong-box, safe.
3. (*Arch.*) Sunk panel, caisson, lacunar.
**Coffin,** *n.* Burial chest, burial casket, sarcophagus.
**Coffin,** *v. a.* 1. Put *or* enclose in a coffin.
2. Confine, shut up, imprison, crib.
**Cog,** *v. a* 1. Wheedle. See COAX.
2. [With *in* or *upon*] Thrust slyly, intrude deceitfully, push craftily, insert by wiles.
3. Furnish *or* fit with cogs.
**Cog,** *v. n.* Deceive. See CHEAT.
**Cog,** *n.* 1. Trick, deceit, fraud, cheat.
2. Tooth (*of a wheel*).
**Cogency,** *n.* Force, strength, power, conclusiveness, convincingness, convincing power, persuasiveness, potency.
**Cogent,** *a.* Forcible, effective, powerful, urgent, potent, irresistible, resistless, persuasive, convincing, conclusive.
**Cogitate,** *v. n.* Meditate, think, reflect, consider, ponder, weigh, deliberate, ruminate, muse.
**Cogitation,** *n.* Meditation, contemplation, thought, thinking, reflection, deliberation.
**Cognate,** *a.* Allied, akin, kin, related, affiliated, affined, connected, kindred, similar, analogous, alike, of a piece.
**Cognition,** *n.* 1. Knowledge, cognizance.
2. Knowing, (*the*) act of knowing, cognitive process, cognizing.
3. Cognitive act, (*some one*) act of knowing, piece of knowledge.
**Cognizance,** *n.* Knowledge, cognition, knowing, observation, notice.
**Cognizant of.** Aware of, acquainted with, familiar with, conversant with, having knowledge of, possessed of knowledge concerning.
**Cognize,** *v. a.* (*Psych.*) Take knowledge of, notice, know, recognize, beware of, take in as object, observe, be conscious of.
**Cognomen,** *n.* Surname, family name.
**Cohabit,** *v. n.* Live together (*as husband and wife*), live in sexual intimacy.
**Co-heir,** *n.* Joint heir.
**Cohere,** *v. n.* 1. Adhere *or* cleave to each other, stick together, hold together.
2. [With *with.*] Suit, fit, agree, square, tally, coincide, comport.
3. Be consistent, be rationally connected, make sense, tally *or* agree *or* comport with each other.
**Coherence,** } *n.* 1. Cohesion, union, connection,
**Coherency,** } dependence.
2. Consistency, congruity, correspondence, harmony, agreement, unity, rationality, intelligibility, intelligible meaning.
**Coherent,** *a.* 1. Connected, united, adherent, sticking together.
2. Consistent congruous, logical, intelligible.
**Cohesion,** *n.* 1. Coherence, sticking together.
2. Cohesive force *or* attraction.
**Cohort,** *n.* 1. Tenth of a legion.
2. [*In pl., usually poetic.*] Bands, battalions, squadrons, lines.
**Coiffure,** *n.* Head-dress.
**Coign,** *n.* Corner, quoin, coin.
**Coil,** *v. a.* Gather into a coil, lay into a spiral.
**Coil,** *v. n.* Make coils, form spiral rings.
**Coil,** *n.* 1. Convolution, circular heap, spiral ring, spiral.
2. Perplexities, entanglements, tumult, bustle, care, turmoil, clamor, confusion, uproar.
**Coin,** *n.* 1. Corner, quoin, coign.
2. Prop, wedge, plug, key, quoin.
3. Specie, cash, money, metallic money, hard money, stamped money.
**Coin,** *v. a.* 1. Convert (*metal*) into money by stamping, convert into coin.
2. Invent, fabricate, devise, create, form, mould, stamp.
**Coinage,** *n.* 1. Coin.
2. Invention, fabrication, creation.
**Coincide,** *v. n.* 1. Be identical (*in place* or *time*), fall exactly together, be conterminous, fill identical spaces *or* times, fit exactly, cover each other exactly.
2. Correspond, square, tally, cohere.
3. Agree, concur, harmonize, be of the same mind.
**Coincidence,** *n.* 1. Exact overlapping, identical size *or* duration, exact equality, precise falling together.
2. Correspondence, coherence.
3. Agreement, concurrence, consistency.
**Coincident,** *a.* 1. Exactly conterminous, exactly overlying, identical in extent *or* duration.
2. Correspondent, tallying, squaring.
3. Agreeing, concurring, concurrent.
**Coition,** *n.* Copulation, sexual conjunction, sexual congress, sexual intercourse.
**Cold,** *a.* 1. Devoid of warmth *or* heat, chilled, frigid, gelid, cool, cooled.
2. Bleak, raw, biting, cutting, nipping, chill, chilly, boreal, arctic, polar, frosty, icy, wintry, hyemal, brumal.
3. Chilly, chill, shivering.
4. Apathetic, unsympathetic, unresponsive, phlegmatic, stoical, unfeeling, unsusceptible, unimpressible, passionless, cold-blooded, sluggish, torpid, lukewarm, dead, indifferent, unconcerned, frigid, freezing, without heart.
5. Unaffecting, uninteresting, spiritless, uninspiring, dull, dead.
6. Untouched by desire, without passion, coldly chaste.
**Cold,** *n* 1. Absence of warmth, want of heat.
2. Coldness, chilliness.
3. Catarrh, cough (or *other inflammatory disease produced by exposure to cold*).
**Cold-blooded,** *a.* 1. Having cold blood.
2. Unfeeling, apathetic, cold-hearted. See COLD, 4.
3. Deliberate, calculating, calculated, heartless, unrelenting, relentless, remorseless, cruel.
**Cold-hearted,** *a.* Unfeeling. See COLD, 4.
**Cole,** *n.* Cabbage.
**Cole-slaw,** *n.* Cabbage salad, sliced cabbage.
**Colewort,** *n.* Kale *or* kail.
**Colic,** *n.* Spasmodic pain in the bowels, intestinal cramp.
**Collapse,** *n.* 1. Falling together, falling in (*as the sides of a flue*).
2. (*Med.*) Prostration, exhaustion, sinking, extreme depression.
3. Break-down, downfall, utter failure, dead failure, abortion, *brutum fulmen*, "lame and impotent conclusion," flash in the pan.
**Collapse,** *v. n* 1. Fall together, fall in.

2. Break-down, come to nothing, fail utterly, go out in smoke, vanish in thin air.

**Collar,** *n.* 1. Neck-band.
2. Neck-harness.
3. Ring, fillet, belt, band, guard.

**Collar,** *v. a.* 1. Seize by the collar *or* throat.
2. Put a collar on, fit with a collar, fillet, belt.

**Collar-bone,** *n.* Clavicle.

**Collate,** *v. a.* Compare, bring into comparison, compare critically, estimate relatively.

**Collateral,** *a.* 1. Indirect, subordinate, not directly to the point.
2. Corroboratory, confirmatory, concurrent.

**Collation,** *n.* 1. Comparison.
2. Meal (*less than a feast*), light repast, simple entertainment, luncheon.

**Colleague,** *n.* Associate (*in office*), coadjutor, co-operator, assistant, collaborator, *collaborateur*, co-laborer, helper, aider, co-aid, partner, ally.

**Collect,** *v. a.* 1. Gather, assemble, muster, bring together.
2. Accumulate, amass, aggregate, garner, heap up, garner up, scrape together.
3. (*Rare.*) Infer, deduce, argue, consider probable.

**Collection,** *n.* 1. Assemblage, group, cluster, gathering, crowd.
2. Accumulation, heap, mass, hoard, store, pile, aggregation.
3. Contribution (*for charitable purposes*).

**Collect one's self.** Recover from surprise, recover one's self-possession, become calm.

**College,** *n.* 1. Society (*of persons engaged in common pursuits*), corporation, guild, association, community, body.
2. Literary institution *or* seminary of learning (*of the highest class*).
3. College edifice *or* building.

**Collide,** *v. n.* 1. Come into collision, strike violently against each other, dash against each other, run into each other, encounter with a shock, crash together.
2. Clash, interfere, be antagonistic *or* in antagonism, be at variance.

**Collier,** *n.* 1. Coal-miner, coal-digger.
2. Coal-dealer, coal-merchant, dealer in coals.
3. Coal-transport, coaling vessel.

**Colliery,** *n.* Coal-mine, coal-pit.

**Colligate,** *v. a.* 1. Unite, combine, fasten together, bind.
2. Bring into unity, form into a logical whole, combine, unite, unify.

**Colliquate,** *v. a.* and *v. n.* Melt, dissolve, liquefy.

**Collision,** *n.* 1. Clash, shock, concussion, crash.
2. Opposition, interference, crashing, conflict.

**Collocate,** *v. a.* (*Rare.*) Place, set, dispose, arrange.

**Collocation,** *n.* Arrangement, disposition, grouping.

**Collop,** *n.* Slice (*of meat*), rasher.

**Colloquial,** *a.* Conversational.

**Colloquy,** *n.* Dialogue, conversation, conference, talk, (mutual) discourse.

**Collude,** *v. n.* Participate in fraud, conspire fraudulently, act in secret concert, connive, play into each other's hands.

**Collusion,** *n.* 1. (*Law.*) Covin, participation in fraud.
2. Secret understanding *or* agreement (*for fraud*), connivance.

**Collusive,** *a.* Deceitful, fraudulent, deceptive, dishonest, covinous.

**Collyrium,** *n.* [L.] (*Med.*) Eye-water, wash *or* lotion for the eyes.

**Colocynth,** *n.* Coloquintida, bitter-apple, bitter-cucumber.

**Cologne,** / **Cologne-water,** } *n.* Eau-de-Cologne.

**Coloquintida,** *n.* Colocynth, bitter-apple, bitter-cucumber.

**Color,** *n.* 1. Hue, tint, tinge, shade.
2. Pigment, paint.
3. Redness, ruddiness, rosiness, freshness of complexion.
4. Complexion, hue of skin.
5. Plea, pretext, pretence, excuse, guise, disguise, semblance, appearance, make-shift, false show.

**Color,** *v. a.* 1. Tinge, dye, paint, stain, tint.
2. Disguise, varnish, gloss over, make plausible.
3. Distort, pervert, garble, misrepresent.

**Color,** *v. n.* Redden, blush, flush, show color.

**Color-blindness,** *n.* Daltonism.

**Colorless,** *a.* 1. Uncolored, untinged, achromatic.
2. Pale, pallid, blanched, hueless, livid.
3. Dull, monotonous, characterless, blank, expressionless, inexpressive.

**Color-sergeant,** *n.* Ensign, standard-bearer.

**Colors,** *n. pl.* Flag, standard, ensign, banner.

**Colossal,** *a.* Gigantic, huge, monstrous, immense, enormous, vast, prodigious, Cyclopean, Herculean.

**Colossus,** *n.* Gigantic statue.

**Colporteur,** *n.* [Fr.] Pedler (*of religious books*), hawker of tracts.

**Colt,** *n.* Young horse (*male* or *female*).

**Coltish,** *a.* Frisky, rampant, playful, frolicsome, sportive, gay.

**Columbary,** *n.* Dovecot, pigeon-house.

**Column,** *n.* 1. Round pillar, rounded pillar.
2. File, line, row.
3. (*Mil.*) Array of less front than depth.
4. Cylindrical body, cylinder (*as of water* or *mercury*).

**Coma,** *n.* 1. (*Med.*) Lethargy, stupor.
2. (*Astron.*) Envelope, hairy envelope, nebulous sheath.
3. (*Bot.*) Tuft, cluster, bunch, clump.

**Comatose,** / **Comatous,** } *a.* Lethargic, stupefied, stupor-like.

**Comb,** *n.* 1. Toilet-comb, dressing-comb.
2. Card (*for wool, hair, flax, etc.*).
3. Caruncle, head-tuft (*of a cock* or *bird*).
4. Top, crest (*of a wave*).
5. Honeycomb.

**Comb,** *v. a.* Dress (*with a comb*), disentangle.

**Comb,** *v. n.* Curl, roll over, break in foam.

**Combat,** *v. n.* Fight, contend, struggle, contest, war.

**Combat,** *v. a.* Oppose, resist, withstand, contend against, battle with, struggle with, war against.

**Combat,** *n.* Battle, fight, conflict, engagement, action, contest, encounter, rencounter, skirmish, brush, affair.

**Combatant,** *n.* Contestant, participant in fight, fighter, fighting-man.

**Combativeness,** *n.* Propensity to fight.

**Combination,** *n.* 1. Union, conjunction, connection, association.
2. Alliance, coalition, confederacy, league, complot, conspiracy, cabal.
3. Mixture, compound, amalgamation.

**Combine,** *v. a.* 1. Unite, join together.
2. Mix, blend, incorporate, amalgamate, compound, put together.

**Combine,** *v. n.* Coalesce, become united, unite, blend, mingle, mix, amalgamate.

**Combustibility,** *n.* Combustibleness, inflammability, inflammableness.

**Combustible,** *a.* Inflammable, consumable.

**Combustion,** *n.* Burning, consuming.

**Come,** *v. n.* I. Approach, advance, draw near, tend hitherward.
2. Arrive, get to, reach *or* attain any place *or* point.
3. [With *from.*] Proceed, issue, arise, result, follow, flow, ensue, originate, be derived, be due *or* owing, take rise.
4. Happen, occur, befall, betide, take place, come to pass, fall out, come about.
**Come about.** Happen, come to pass. See preceding.
**Come at.** Reach, obtain, get at.
**Come by.** Get, obtain, gain, get possession of.
**Comedian,** *n.* Comic actor.
**Come home.** I. Get home, reach home.
2. Touch closely, interest deeply, concern especially
**Come in.** I. Enter.
2. Accrue (*as gain*).
**Come in for.** Make a claim for, become subject to, *or* open to.
**Come into.** I. Enter.
2. Comply with, assent to, fall in with.
**Comeliness,** *n.* I. Propriety, fitness, suitableness, seemliness.
2. Symmetry, grace, gracefulness, beauty.
**Comely,** *a.* I. Becoming, fitting, suitable, seemly, decorous, decent.
2. Symmetrical, graceful, pretty, handsome, beautiful.
**Come near.** Approximate, approach.
**Come of.** Proceed, issue, grow out of, originate from, arise from, be derived from.
**Come on.** I. Advance.
2. Succeed, thrive.
**Come-outer,** *n.* [*U. S.*] Radical, radical reformer, repudiator of established usages.
**Come round.** Change, veer.
**Come short.** Fail, be deficient, be wanting.
**Comet,** *n.* Blazing star.
**Come to.** I. Consent *or* yield to.
2. Amount to.
3. Recover (*as from fainting*), return to consciousness.
**Come to a head.** I. Mature, suppurate, fester.
2. Come to a crisis, mature, be consummated.
**Come to grief.** (*Colloq.*) I. Fail, result disastrously.
2. Be ruined, meet with disaster, come to a bad end.
**Come to hand.** Be received.
**Come to one's self.** Recover one's senses, come to, return to consciousness.
**Come to pass.** I. Happen, chance, occur, befall, betide, fall out, come about.
2. Be fulfilled.
**Come to the gallows.** Be hanged.
**Come up.** I. Rise, ascend.
2. Shoot (*as a plant from the earth*), sprout, spring up.
**Come up with.** Overtake, catch up with.
**Comfit,** *n.* Sweetmeat (*dry*), confection, confect, conserve, preserve.
**Comfort,** *v. a.* Solace, console, cheer, gladden, encourage, inspirit, enliven, animate, revive, refresh, invigorate, relieve, strengthen.
**Comfort,** *n.* I. Support, assistance, aid, help, succor, countenance.
2. Solace, consolation, encouragement, relief.
3. Ease, enjoyment, satisfaction, peace.
**Comfortable,** *a.* I. Agreeable, pleasant, pleasurable, grateful, gratifying, acceptable, welcome.
2. Snug, convenient, adapted for comfort.
3. At ease, free from pain.
**Comforter,** *a.* I. Consoler.
2. Paraclete, Holy Spirit, Spirit of Truth.
3. [*U. S.*] Stuffed coverlet, wadded quilt, comfort, comfortable, puff.
**Comfortless,** *a.* I. [*Said of places.*] Forlorn, cheerless, desolate, wretched, miserable, dreary, drear, bleak.
2. [*Said of persons.*] Inconsolable, disconsolate, woe-begone, heart-broken, broken-hearted, forlorn, desolate, wretched, miserable.
**Comic,** } *a.* Droll, funny, farcical, ludicrous,
**Comical,** } laughable, diverting, sportive, humorous.
**Coming,** *n.* Approach, advent, arrival.
**Coming,** *a.* Future, to come.
**Comity,** *n.* Courtesy, civility, amenity, politeness, suavity, urbanity, affability, good breeding, good manners.
**Command,** *v. a.* I. Order, direct, bid, charge, require, enjoin.
2. Rule, govern, sway, control, lead, preside over, have authority over.
3. Claim, challenge, exact, compel, demand.
4. Overlook, have under vision *or* range, dominate, control.
**Command,** *v. n.* Govern, rule, lead, have sway, exercise authority, have control, take the lead.
**Command,** *n.* I. Order, direction, injunction, mandate, behest, hest, bidding, charge, requirement, requisition, commandment, word of command.
2. Rule, sway, authority, power, dominion, government, control, ascendency, supremacy.
**Commander,** *n.* Chief, chieftain, leader, head, captain.
**Commandment,** *n.* Mandate, precept, charge. See COMMAND.
**Comme il faut,** [Fr.] Right, fit, proper, appropriate, seemly, meet, becoming, as it should be.
**Commemorate,** *v. a.* Celebrate, solemnize.
**Commemoration,** *n.* Celebration, solemnization.
**Commemorative,** *a.* Memorial.
**Commence,** *v. n.* I. Begin, originate, take rise.
2. Begin, open.
3. Take the first step, make a beginning, break ground, break the ice.
**Commence,** *v. a.* Begin, institute, inaugurate, originate, open, start, enter upon, set about, set on foot, set in operation.
**Commencement,** *n.* I. Beginning, outset, opening.
2. Graduation day, day of conferring degrees.
**Commend,** *v. a.* I. Recommend, bespeak, regard for.
2. Commit, intrust, yield.
3. Praise, extol, applaud, laud, eulogize, cry up, speak well of, say a good word for, sing *or* sound the praises of.
**Commendable,** *a.* Laudable, praiseworthy, to be commended.
**Commendation,** *n.* I. Recommendation, approval, approbation, good opinion.
2. Praise, encomium, eulogy, panegyric, good word.
**Commendations,** *n. pl.* Regards, compliments, respects.
**Commendatory,** *a.* Commending, laudatory, eulogistic, complimentary, encomiastic, panegyrical.
**Commensurable.** *a.* Commeasurable, commensurate, measurable by a common unit.
**Commensurate,** *a.* I. Commeasurable, commensurable.
2. Equal, coextensive, conterminous.
3. Adequate, proportionate, proportioned, due, appropriate, on a proper scale, corresponding, on a scale suitable.
**Comment,** *v. n.* Annotate, make notes, remark, make comments *or* remarks.

**Comment,** *n.* 1. Annotation, note, explanation, elucidation, illustration, exposition, commentary.
2. Remark, observation.
**Commentary,** *n.* 1. See COMMENT.
2. Book of comments.
3. Memoir, familiar narrative.
**Commentator,** *n.* Annotator, expositor, expounder, commenter *or* commentor, writer of comments.
**Commerce,** *n.* 1. Dealing, trade, traffic, business, exchange, mercantile relations, system of exchanges.
2. Intercourse, communication, communion.
3. Carnal, sexual, illicit *or* criminal intercourse, intercourse, criminal converse, criminal intimacy.
**Commercial,** *a.* Trading, mercantile, engaged in traffic, relating to traffic, arising from traffic, skilled in commerce.
**Commination,** *n.* Threatening, threat, menace, denunciation.
**Commingle,** *v. a.* and *v. n.* Blend, mix, commix, mingle, intermingle, intermix, combine, unite, amalgamate, mingle together, run together.
**Comminute,** *v. a.* Pulverize, triturate, levigate, powder, grind, bruise, bray, break to pieces, break *or* separate into fine particles, reduce to powder.
**Comminution,** *n.* Pulverization, trituration, levigation, powdering, reduction to powder.
**Commiserate,** *v. a.* Pity, compassionate, have pity or compassion for, sympathize with, feel for, feel sorry for, condole with.
**Commiseration,** *n.* 1. Pitying, compassionating, etc.
2. Compassion, sympathy, pity, condolence, fellow-feeling.
**Commission,** *n.* 1. Perpetration.
2. Warrant of authority.
3. Trust, charge, office, care, duty, task, employment, errand.
4. Allowance, fee, compensation.
5. Delegation, body of commissioners.
**Commission,** *v. a.* 1. Authorize, empower, give a commission to.
2. Depute, delegate, send on a commission.
**Commissioner,** *n.* 1. Agent, delegate, deputy.
2. Member of the commission.
**Commissure,** *n.* Seam, joint, closure, suture, conjunction, juncture.
**Commit,** *v. a.* 1. Intrust, consign, confide, give in trust.
2. Deposit, consign, resign, give over, put, place, lay.
3. Perpetrate, enact, do, perform.
4. Imprison, send to prison, put in custody, place in confinement.
5. Engage, pledge, implicate.
6. Compromise, endanger, bring into danger, put at hazard, put in jeopardy.
7. Place *or* put in charge of *or* hand over to a committee.
**Commitment,** *n.* 1. Delivering, intrusting, placing in charge.
2. Imprisonment, committal, placing in confinement, putting in custody.
3. Giving in adhesion, unreserved adherence, pledged relation.
4. Reference to a committee.
**Committal,** *n.* Intrusting, depositing, perpetrating, etc. See COMMIT, in all its senses.
**Commix,** *v. a.* and *v. n.* Blend, mingle, commingle, intermingle, combine, unite, compound, mix, amalgamate.
**Commixture,** *n.* 1. Intermingling, blending, mingling, commingling, combination, union, compounding, mixing, intermixture, admixture, mixture, amalgamation.
2. Intermixture, admixture, mixture, composition, compound, amalgamation, amalgam.
**Commode,** *n.* 1. Chest of drawers, small bureau, dressing-table.
2. Somno, night-stool.
**Commodious,** *a.* Convenient, comfortable, roomy and convenient, spacious and comfortable, useful, advantageous, suitable, fit, proper.
**Commodity,** *n.* Article of merchandise.
**Commodities,** *n. pl.* Merchandise, wares, goods, produce.
**Common,** *a.* 1. Public, belonging to all, for the use of all.
2. General, universal, used by all.
3. Usual, frequent, habitual, customary, everyday, often met with.
4. Trite, stale, threadbare, hackneyed, common-place, worn out.
5. Ordinary, indifferent, inferior, vulgar, low, undistinguished (*by high birth, attainments* or *character*).
**Commonalty,** *n.* The common people (*below the orders of nobility*), the lower classes, commoners, the commons.
**Commoner,** *n.* 1. One of the commons, *or* common-people, untitled person.
2. Student not on a foundation, gentleman-commoner (*Oxford*), pensioner (*Cambridge*).
**Common-law,** *n.* Unwritten law.
**Commonplace,** *a.* Trite, stale, hackneyed, ordinary, common, threadbare, not new, worn out.
**Common run.** 1. Common *or* ordinary course,
2. Generality, mass, ordinary class.
**Commons,** *n. pl.* 1. Commonalty, the common people, untitled class, commoners.
2. Lower house of Parliament, House of Commons.
3. Common-table meals served in common (*esp. at colleges*).
4. Provisions, food, fare.
**Common-sense,** *n.* 1. Natural sagacity, good sense, sound sense *or* understanding, plain sense, good judgment, practical discernment.
2. Ordinary sense, ordinary judgment, common view of things, usual way of looking at things.
**Common-sense,** *a.* Sober, practical, matter of fact, sagacious, sensible, free from fanciful views, free from vagaries, keeping to facts.
**Commonwealth,** *n.* 1. State, nation, republic, body politic, public interest, the people.
2. The public, the people, the community, body of the people.
**Commotion,** *n.* 1. Agitation, disturbance, perturbation.
2. Turmoil, turbulence, tumult, disorder, violence, bustle, disturbance, pother, ado, to do.
**Commune,** *v. n.* 1. Converse, communicate, discourse, speak, talk, hold intercourse.
2. Receive the communion, partake of the Lord's Supper.
**Communicant,** *n.* Partaker, sharer, participator.
**Communicate,** *v. a.* 1. Impart, give, bestow. See CONFER.
2. Disclose, reveal, divulge, declare, announce, make known.
**Communicate,** *v. n.* 1. Have a connection (*by a passage*), be connected, connect.
2. Hold intercourse *or* converse, interchange thoughts, commune, converse, correspond.
**Communication,** *n.* 1. Imparting, giving.
2. Intercourse, conversation, converse, conference, commerce.
3. Message, despatch, information (*by letter* or *by word*).

4. Connection (*by a passage*), passage, connecting passage.

**Communicative,** *a.* Free, unreserved, open, sociable, social, affable, conversable.

**Communion,** *n.* I. Participation, fellowship, converse, intercourse.

2. Eucharist, Sacrament, Lord's Supper, Holy Communion.

**Communism,** *n.* Socialism, Fourierism, Phalansterism, Humanitarianism, Saint Simonianism.

**Community,** *n.* I. Common *or* joint possession.

2. [With *The* prefixed.] Commonwealth, people, public, society, body politic.

3. Association, society, brotherhood, college.

4. Sameness, likeness, identity, similarity, participancy.

**Commutation,** *n.* I. Exchange.

2. (*Law.*) Replacement (*of a greater punishment by a less*).

**Commute,** *v. a.* I. Exchange.

2. Replace (*a greater punishment by a less*).

**Compact,** *n.* Agreement, contract, covenant, stipulation, bargain, treaty, concordat, convention, pact, arrangement.

**Compact,** *v. a.* I. Press together, condense, compress.

2. Consolidate, join firmly, knit together, bind, unite.

**Compact,** *a.* I. Close, dense, solid, firm, compressed, pressed together, closely put together, of firm texture.

2. Pithy, terse, concise, laconic, sententious, short, brief, compendious, succinct, pointed, full of meaning.

3. [*Archaic.*] Compacted. See the verb.

**Companion,** *n.* I. Comrade, associate, mate, fellow, consort, compeer, boon companion.

2. Partner, partaker, participator, participant, sharer.

**Companionship,** *n.* Fellowship, friendship, association, company, society.

**Company,** *n.* I. Assemblage, assembly, body, gathering, collection, group, circle, troop, crew, gang, set, concourse, congregation.

2. Party, meeting of friends, social meeting.

3. Visitor, visitors, guests.

4. Fellowship, companionship, society.

5. Corporation, association, partnership, copartnership, firm, house, joint concern.

**Comparable,** *a.* To be compared, worthy of comparison, deserving comparison.

**Comparative,** *a.* I. Comparing, able to compare.

2. Judged by comparison, relative.

3. Founded in comparison, general.

**Comparatively,** *ad.* By comparison, relatively.

**Compare,** *v. a.* I. Collate (*followed by* with), bring into comparison, estimate relatively.

2. Liken (*followed by* to), declare similar, represent as resembling.

**Compare,** *v. n.* Bear a comparison, admit of comparison, present a resemblance.

**Compare,** *n.* (*Poetical.*) Comparison.

**Comparison,** *n.* I. Collation, compare, relative estimate, comparative estimate.

2. Simile, similitude.

**Compartment,** *n.* Division, section, separate part.

**Compass,** *v. a.* I. Encompass, environ, surround, encircle, enclose, engird, embrace, compass about, stretch round.

2. Besiege, invest, beset, beleaguer, block, blockade, hem in, hedge in, wall in, lay siege to.

3. Attain, obtain, procure, accomplish, effect, perform, achieve, consummate, realize, carry, bring about, bring to pass.

4. (*Law.*) Meditate, contrive, plot, purpose, intend, devise.

**Compass,** *n.* I. Stretch, reach, extent, range, scope, limit, bound, boundary.

2. Circuit, round, circular course.

3. Mariner's *or* surveyor's compass, ship's compass, needle.

**Compassable,** *a.* Attainable, to be attained.

**Compasses,** *n. pl.* Dividers.

**Compassion,** *n.* Pity, commiseration, sympathy, tenderness, kindness, kindliness, clemency, fellow-feeling, heart, tender-heartedness, kind-heartedness, mercy, bowels of compassion, melting mood.

**Compassionate,** *a.* Tender, pitying, sympathetic, merciful, benignant, gracious, clement, kind, inclined to pity, full of compassion.

**Compassionate,** *v. a.* Pity, commiserate, feel pity for, be moved with sympathy for.

**Compatible with.** Consistent with, consonant with, congruous with, accordant with, agreeable to, suitable to, in keeping with, reconcilable with, in harmony with.

**Compatriot,** *n.* Fellow-countryman, countryman.

**Compeer,** *n.* Companion, mate, equal, peer, associate, fellow, comrade.

**Compel,** *v. a.* I. Force, oblige, constrain, coerce, drive, necessitate.

2. Subject, subdue, bend, bow.

**Compellation,** *n.* Style of address, ceremonious title, formal appellation.

**Compellative,** *n.* (*Gram.*) Vocative.

**Compend,** *n.* Abridgment, compendium, conspectus, summary, abstract, epitome, digest, synopsis, syllabus, breviary, brief, sum and substance.

**Compendious,** *a.* Brief, concise, short, abridged, summary, succinct, comprehensive.

**Compendium,** *n.* Abridgment. See COMPEND.

**Compensate,** *v. a.* I. Counterbalance, counterpoise, countervail, make up for.

2. Recompense, remunerate, reimburse, reward.

3. Requite, indemnify, reimburse, make amends to.

**Compensate,** *v. n.* Atone, make compensation, make amends.

**Compensation,** *n.* I. Recompense, remuneration, reward.

2. Requital, satisfaction, indemnity, atonement, indemnification, reparation, amends.

3. Counterpoise, balance, equalization.

**Compete,** *v. n.* Contend, strive, struggle, cope, enter the lists, be rivals.

**Competence,** } *n.* I. Ability, capableness, capac-
**Competency,** } ity, qualification, suitableness, fitness.

2. Sufficiency, adequateness, adequacy, enough.

3. Sufficient fortune, adequate income, independent support, means of independence.

**Competent,** *a.* I. Able, capable, qualified, endowed.

2. Adequate, sufficient, adapted, convenient, suitable, fit.

3. Incident, belonging, pertinent, in point.

**Competition,** *n.* Rivalry, rivalship, emulation, contest, (*for the same object*).

**Competitive,** *a.* Competing, prompted by emulation, based on competition.

**Competitor,** *n.* Rival, antagonist, contestant, opponent, rival candidate.

**Compilation,** *n.* I. Compiling, selecting and combining, selection and combination (*of literary matter*), book-making.

2. Selection (*of literary matter*), book of selections, *or* excerpts *or* extracts.

**Compile,** *v a.* I. Write (*by selecting from other works*), prepare, compose, draw up, get up.

2. Select and arrange, collect together, combine.

**Complacence,** } *n.* 1. Satisfaction, gratification,
**Complacency,** } pleasure, content, contentment.
2. Complaisance, civility, courtesy, politeness.
**Complacent,** *a.* 1. Pleased, satisfied, gratified, contented.
2. Complaisant, civil, polite, courteous, affable, easy, obliging, urbane, gracious.
**Complain,** *v. n.* Murmur, lament, bewail, grumble, croak, find fault, express pain, moan, groan.
**Complain of.** 1. Express a feeling *or* sensation of, express discomfort from.
2. Inform against, make *or* prefer charges against.
**Complainant,** *n.* Plaintiff, accuser.
**Complainer,** *n.* 1. Murmurer, censurer, grumbler, croaker, fault-finder.
2. Moaner, groaner, hand to express pain *or* discomfort
**Complaining,** *a.* Querulous, murmuring, querimonious, fault-finding.
**Complaint,** *n.* 1. Murmur, lamentation, plaint, lament, wail.
2. Malady, disease, ailment, ail, illness, indisposition, disorder, distemper, sickness.
3. [With *against.*] Accusation, charge, information.
**Complaisance,** *n.* Obligingness. compliance, yieldingness, affability, graciousness, civility, courtesy, politeness, urbanity, suavity, condescension, good-breeding, complacence.
**Complaisant,** *a.* Obliging, compliant, yielding, affable, gracious, courteous, polite, civil, debonair, familiar, easy, well-bred, complacent.
**Complement,** *n.* 1. Full number, full quantity, quota, full tale, tale.
2. Completeness, fulfilment, fulness, perfection, consummation.
3. Deficiency, deficit, shortage, amount lacking (to make some fixed amount).
**Complete,** *a.* 1. Perfect, full, thorough, consummate, clean, without fault *or* blemish *or* flaw, out and out.
2. Total, entire, whole, undivided, unbroken, undiminished, unimpaired, integral.
3. Completed, finished, concluded, consummated, ended.
**Complete,** *v. a.* 1. Finish, perfect, consummate, accomplish, achieve, perform, effect, effectuate, execute, terminate, end, conclude, bring to a close, give the finishing touch to, put the finishing hand to, put the seal to.
2. Fulfil, realize, come up to, bring to pass.
**Completion,** *n.* 1. Consummation, perfecting, accomplishing, achieving, effecting, effectuation, termination, ending, accomplishment, performance, execution, conclusion, finishing, finishing touch.
2. Fulfilment, realization, achievement, attainment, consummation.
**Complex,** *a.* 1. Compounded, compound, composite, mixed, mingled, manifold, composed of several elements.
2. Complicated, complicate, tangled, entangled, intricate, involved.
**Complex,** *n.* Network, complexus, complication, tangle, tangled skein, compages, compage, intricate web, web, webwork.
**Complexus,** *n.* Network. See COMPLEX.
**Complexion,** *n.* 1. Color, hue, tint (*of the face*).
2. Appearance, aspect, look.
**Complexity,** *n.* Intricacy, complication, entanglement, involved character.
**Compliance,** *n.* 1. Concession, submission, obedience.
2. Acquiescence, assent, consent, agreement, concurrence.
3. Compliancy, yieldingness, yielding disposition, compliant temper. See COMPLAISANCE.
**Compliant,** *a.* 1. Yielding, submissive, obedient, obsequious.
2. Yielding, obliging, accommodating. See COMPLAISANT.
**Complicate,** *v. a.* Involve, entangle, make complex, make intricate.
**Complicate,** } *a.* See COMPLEX, in both senses.
**Complicated,** }
**Complication,** *n.* 1. Complexity, intricacy, entanglement, confusion.
2. Mixture, combination, complexus. See COMPLEX, *n.*
**Complicity,** *n.* Criminal participance, being privy, partnership (*in wrong*), sharing (*of crime*).
**Compliment,** *n.* 1. Praise, commendation, encomium, laudation, good word.
2. Formal praise, hollow commendation, empty encomium, flattering remark, ceremonious phrase *or* flattery.
**Compliment,** *v. a.* 1. Praise, commend, flatter (*by expressions of civility*).
2. Congratulate.
**Complimentary,** *a.* Commendatory, laudatory, encomiastic, flattering (*in the good sense*).
**Complot,** *n.* (*Rare.*) Conspiracy, machination, intrigue, cabal, plot, combination.
**Comply with.** 1. Observe, perform, fulfil, discharge, meet, satisfy, complete, adhere to, be faithful to, carry into effect.
2. Yield to, consent to, assent to, accede to, agree to, conform to, acquiesce in, give consent to.
**Component,** *a.* Composing, constituting, constituent.
**Component,** *n.* Constituent, element, ingredient, component part.
**Comport,** *v. n.* Agree, accord, harmonize, tally, correspond, square, fall in, chime in.
**Comport one's self.** Behave, act, conduct one's self, demean one's self, quit one's self.
**Comport with.** Suit, fit, become, agree with, accord with, square with, chime in with, be suitable to.
**Compose,** *v. a.* 1. Constitute, form, make, compound, put together, make up.
2. Indite, write, frame, invent, contrive, imagine, create, draw up, put *or* set down in writing, express by writing.
3. Adjust, settle, regulate.
4. Tranquillize, assuage, soothe, appease, pacify, calm, still, quiet, quell.
**Composed,** *a.* Calm, quiet, unruffled, undisturbed, unmoved, tranquil, placid, sedate, collected, self-possessed, imperturbable, cool.
**Composite,** *a.* Compounded, complex.
**Composition,** *n.* 1. Constitution, formation, making.
2. Compound, mixture.
3. Union, conjunction, combination, arrangement (of parts).
4. Writing, literary work, invention (*esp. in music, painting*, or *sculpture*).
5. Compromise, agreement, arrangement.
**Compost,** *n.* Manure, fertilizer, fertilizing mixture.
**Composure,** *n.* Quiet, tranquillity, calmness, sedateness, placidity, coolness, equanimity, self-possession.
**Compot,** } *n.* Stewed fruit.
**Compote,** }
**Compotation,** *n.* 1. Pot-companionship, tippling in company, drinking together.
2. Revelling, revelry, conviviality, carousing, wassailing, frolicking, jollification.
3. Revel, debauch, bacchanals, saturnalia, wassail, orgies, carouse, carousal, drinking-bout, wassail-bout, merry frolic, jolly time, jollification (*colloq.*), spree (*colloq.*).

**Compound,** *v. a.* I. Mix, mingle, intermix, intermingle, blend, combine, unite, amalgamate, (*either physically* or *mentally*).
2. Compromise, settle, adjust, compose.
3. Commute, pay with an abatement, pay by substitution.
4. Connive at, bargain with.

**Compound,** *v. n.* Compromise, agree, come to terms, come to an agreement, make an arrangement.

**Compound,** *a.* Complex, composite, compounded.

**Compound,** *n.* I. Mixture, composition, combination.
2. Medley, olio, farrago, hodge-podge, hotchpotch *or* hotchpot, mess (*collog.*), jumble.
3. [*In the East Indies.*] Yard (*round a building*), enclosure.

**Comprehend,** *v. a.* I. Comprise, include, enclose, embrace, contain, embody, take in.
2. Grasp (*mentally*), understand (*fully*), apprehend, conceive, imagine, see, discern, perceive, enter into the idea of, catch the idea of.

**Comprehension,** *n.* I. Inclusion, comprising, embracing.
2. Scope, reach, sweep, range, compass, embrace, field, sphere, limits, domain, province.
3. (*Log.*) Intension, connotation, force, depth, etc. (*of a notion*).
4. Grasp (*of our understanding*), power to understand, conception, understanding, intelligence.
5. Intellect, mind, reason, mental capacity, understanding, intelligence.

**Comprehensive,** *a.* Extensive, wide, broad, large, capacious, full, sweeping, wide-reaching, wide-embracing, of great scope, of extensive application.

**Compress,** *v. a.* I. Press together, close tightly, shut firmly.
2. Bind tightly, wrap closely.
3. Squeeze *or* press together *or* into smaller compass, condense.
4. Squeeze, force, crowd, press.
5. Make brief, abbreviate, condense, make terse *or* pithy.

**Compress,** *n.* (*Surg.*) Bandage, compressing pad.

**Compressibility,** *n.* Condensability.

**Compressible,** *a.* Condensable.

**Compression,** *n.* I. Condensation, pressing together, squeezing, pinching, confining.
2. Tight closure, close shutting, firm closing.
3. Brevity, terseness, succinctness, pithiness, condensation, conciseness.

**Comprise,** *v. a.* Comprehend, include, enclose, embrace, contain, embody, take in.

**Compromise,** *n.* Agreement, composition, adjustment, settlement, mutual concession, abatement of differences.

**Compromise,** *v. a.* I. Adjust, settle, compose, compound.
2. Jeopardize (*irretrievably*), imperil, bring into danger, put at hazard, put in jeopardy, expose the repute of.
3. Engage, pledge, implicate, commit.

**Compromise,** *v. n.* Agree, compound, come to an agreement, come to an understanding, settle *or* compose *or* compound differences *or* disputes.

**Compulsion,** *n.* Coercion, constraint, application *or* employment of force.

**Compulsory,** *a.* I. Compelling, constraining, coercive.
2. Binding, obligatory, enforced, necessary, unavoidable, not to be evaded.

**Compunction,** *n.* Repentance, remorse, contrition, penitence, sorrow, regret, misgiving, qualm, reluctance, reproach of conscience, sting of conscience.

**Compunctious,** *a.* Repentant, penitent, contrite, remorseful, sorrowful, conscience-stinging, conscience-stung.

**Computable,** *a.* Calculable.

**Computation,** *n.* Reckoning, calculation, estimate, account.

**Compute,** *v. a.* Reckon, calculate, estimate, count, number, rate, cast, cast up, sum up.

**Comrade,** *n.* Companion, associate, mate, fellow, compeer, boon companion.

**Con,** *v. a.* Study, read over carefully, consider minutely, fix in the mind, commit to memory, learn by heart, con over.

**Con amore.** [It.] With love, with delight, with delighted interest, with pleasure, with zeal, zealously, with zest, with inclination, with predilection, with fondness.

**Conation,** *n.* Voluntary activity, desire and will, wishing and willing, want and volition.

**Conative,** *a.* Voluntary, pertaining to conation.

**Conatus,** *n.* Endeavor, effort, *nisus*.

**Concatenate,** *v. a.* Connect, unite, join, link together.

**Concatenation,** *n.* I. Connection, linking-together, intimate relationship.
2. Series, chain, succession, sequence, congeries, successive series.

**Concave,** *a.* Hollow, hollowed, depressed.

**Concave,** *n.* See CONCAVITY, 2.

**Concavity,** *n.* I. Hollowness, hollow shape, hollowed condition, state *or* degree of incurvation.
2. Hollow space, hollow, depression.

**Conceal,** *v. a.* I. Hide, secrete, cover, screen, bury, cover up.
2. Disguise, dissemble, keep secret.

**Concealment,** *n.* I. Concealing, secreting, secretion, hiding, covering, screening, burying, covering up, keeping secret.
2. Secrecy, dissembling, disguises, indirection, dark ways, secret methods.
3. Privacy, secrecy.
4. Retreat, shelter (*from observation*), hiding-place.

**Concede,** *v. a.* I. Surrender, yield, grant, give up.
2. Allow, admit, grant.

**Conceit,** *n.* I. Conception, image, notion, thought, fancy, imagination, idea, belief.
2. Whim, vagary, illusion, freak of fancy.
3. Opinion, estimate, estimation, judgment, impression.
4. Vanity, conceitedness, egotism, self-conceit, self-complacency, self-esteem, self-sufficiency, priggery, priggishness, priggism.
5. Quip, quirk, point, odd thought, odd turn, affected witticism, far-fetched fancy.

**Conceited,** *a.* Vain, egotistical, opinionated, opinionative, self-conceited, self-sufficient.

**Conceitedness,** *n.* Vanity, conceit, egotism, opinionatedness, self-conceit, self-complacency, self-sufficiency, priggery, priggishness, priggism.

**Conceivable,** *a.* I. Imaginable, picturable, capable of being sensibly represented.
2. Thinkable, intelligible, comprehensible, capable of being understood, cogitable, rational.
3. Imaginable, supposable, possible, perhaps so.

**Conceive,** *v. a.* I. Be *or* become pregnant with, bear in the womb.
2. Form (in the mind), devise, contrive, plan, purpose.
3. Imagine, form a distinct image of, image, make sensibly real.
4. Think, realize in the mind, comprehend, understand, fathom.

5. Imagine, suppose, suppose possible, assume as a possible case.
6. Apprehend, take, view, look at, regard, fancy.

**Conceive,** *v. n.* I. Become pregnant.
2. Think, imagine, have an idea, form a conception.
3. Suppose, apprehend, think, imagine, fancy, take it.

**Conceive of.** Have an idea of, form a conception of, think of, suppose.

**Concentrate,** *v. a.* I. Condense, bring into a small compass, bring toward a central point.
2. Boil down, reduce by evaporation, rectify, reduce to extreme purity and strength.

**Concentration,** *n.* I. Condensation, compression into a small compass, collection upon a single point.
2. Reduction by evaporation.

**Concept,** *n.* Universal, general *or* abstract notion, conception. See IDEA.

**Conception,** *n.* I. Conceiving.
2. Apprehension, the mind's eye. See IMAGINATION.
3. Notion, idea, thought, fancy, conceit, impression.
4. General notion, generic idea. See CONCEPT.

**Concern,** *v. a.* I. Affect, interest, touch, regard, relate to, belong to, pertain to, bear upon, be of importance to.
2. Trouble, disturb, disquiet, make anxious, make uneasy.

**Concern,** *n.* I. Matter, business, affair, transaction.
2. Importance, interest, moment, consequence, weight, concernment.
3. Anxiety, solicitude, care, carefulness.
4. Firm, house, establishment.

**Concerning,** *prep.* Respecting, regarding, about, relating to, with relation to, with regard to, with reference to.

**Concert,** *v. a.* Contrive, plan, plot, devise, design, concoct.

**Concert,** *n.* I. Agreement, concord, concordance, harmony.
2. Musical entertainment.

**Concession,** *n.* I. Yielding.
2. Grant, boon.

**Conchology,** *n.* Malacology.

**Concierge,** *n.* [Fr.] Porter, janitor, door-keeper.

**Conciliate,** *v. a.* I. Propitiate, reconcile, pacify, appease.
2. Win, gain, engage, secure, draw over, win over.

**Conciliation,** *n.* Propitiation, pacification, reconciliation, reconcilement, peace.

**Conciliatory,** *a.* I. Reconciling, pacifying, pacific, pacificatory.
2. Winning, persuasive.

**Concise,** *a.* Brief, short, laconic, summary, compendious, succinct, terse, pithy, sententious, comprehensive, pointed, compact, condensed, compressed.

**Conclave,** *n.* I. Secret council, private assembly.
2. Secret assembly-room of the Romish Cardinals.
3. Body of cardinals.

**Conclude,** *v. a.* I. End, finish, terminate, close, bring to an end.
2. Gather (*as a consequence*), infer, judge, deduce.
3. Determine, judge, decide.
4. Settle, arrange, complete, bring to a successful issue.
5. (*Law.*) Stop, estop, bar, hinder, restrain, cut off.

**Conclude,** *v. n.* I. Determine, resolve, decide, make up one's mind, come to the conclusion *or* decision.
2. End, close, come to a conclusion *or* close.
3. Draw inferences, make deductions, reason, syllogize.
4. Settle opinion, come to a final decision.

**Conclusion,** *n.* I. Deduction, inference.
2. Determination, decision, judgment.
3. Termination, end, completion, upshot, close, finale, issue, event.
4. Settlement, arrangement, establishment.

**Conclusive,** *a.* I. Decisive, convincing, unanswerable, irrefutable, clinching *or* clenching.
2. Final, ultimate, without appeal.

**Concoct,** *v. a.* Devise, plan, plot, contrive, design, invent, project, brew, frame, mature, prepare, hatch.

**Concomitant,** *a.* Accompanying, concurrent, attendant, attending, conjoined.

**Concomitant,** *n.* Attendant, accessary *or* accessory, accompaniment, attending *or* accompanying circumstance, accessary fact.

**Concord,** *n.* I. Agreement, amity, friendship, peace, harmony, unanimity, unity, union, good understanding.
2. Consonance, concordance, harmony, accord, agreement, adaptation.
3. (*Mus.*) Harmony, accord.

**Concordance,** *n.* I. Agreement, harmony. See CONCORD.
2. Word-catalogue, index to the entire vocabulary (*of any author*).

**Concordant,** *a.* Agreeing, accordant, harmonious, agreeable.

**Concordat,** *n.* Compact, convention, covenant, agreement, bargain, stipulation, treaty.

**Concourse,** *n.* I. Confluence, conflux, flocking together.
2. Meeting, assemblage, assembly, collection, gathering, throng, crowd, multitude.
3. (*Poetical.*) Cluster, crowded group.

**Concrete,** *v. n.* Solidify, harden, cake, become firm *or* solid, be consolidated, coagulate, congeal, thicken.

**Concrete,** *a.* I. Firm, solid, solidified, consolidated, compact.
2. Concreted, formed by admixture, complex, compound, agglomerated, conglomerated.
3. Completely real, individualized, total, entire, free from abstraction.

**Concrete,** *n.* I. Concretion, mixture, compound.
2. Cemented stones and gravel.

**Concretion,** *n.* I. Solidification.
2. Concreted mass, calculus.
3. Concrete, mixture, admixture, firm combination, compound, complex.

**Concubine,** *n.* Mistress, paramour.

**Concupiscence,** *n.* I. Inordinate desire, morbid longing, sinful craving, extravagant passion, depraved appetite.
2. Lust, lewdness, lechery, lasciviousness prurieney, carnal desire, animal appetite.

**Concupiscent,** *a.* I. Full of ill-regulated passion, inordinately desirous, morbidly passionate, depraved in appetite *or* cravings.
2. Lustful, lecherous, libidinous, lascivious, salacious, lickerish, prurient, rampant, carnal.

**Concur,** *v. n.* I. Be conjoined, be combined, meet.
2. Agree, coincide, harmonize.
3. Co-operate, help, combine, conspire, contribute jointly.

**Concurrence,** *n.* I. Conjuncture, combination, coincidence, consistence, consilience.
2. Agreement, union, alliance, consent, joint approval *or* approbation.
3. Co-operation.

**Concurrent,** *a.* 1. Agreeing, harmonizing, coincident.
2. Conjoined, united, associate, associated, attendant, concomitant.
3. Joint and equal, of equal authority.
**Concussion,** *n.* 1. Shaking, agitation.
2. Clash, shock, crash, violent collision.
**Condemn,** *v. a.* 1. Sentence, doom.
2. Pronounce guilty, utter (judicial) sentence against.
3. Disapprove utterly, proscribe, reprobate.
4. Censure, blame, disapprove, reprove, upbraid, pass censure on.
5. Adjudge (*a ship*) to be unseaworthy, decide (*anything*) unfit for use.
6. Confiscate, declare (to be) forfeited.
**Condemnation,** *n.* 1. Act of condemning, condemning, sentencing, dooming.
2. Sentence of punishment, judgment, sentence, penalty.
3. Utter disapproval, proscription, banning.
4. Guilt, sin, wrong, ground of condemnation, condemning fact, ill-desert, what deserves condemnation.
5. Blame, censure, reproof, disapproval, disapprobation.
**Condemnatory,** *a.* 1. Condemning, conveying sentence, dooming, conveying *or* expressing condemnation.
2. Reproachful, censuring, damnatory, blaming, disapproving, severely disapproving.
**Condensability,** *n.* Compressibility.
**Condensable,** *a.* Compressible.
**Condensation,** *n.* 1. Compression.
2. Reduction, abridgment, contraction.
**Condense,** *v. a.* 1. Compress, consolidate, concentrate; make dense, compact, *or* close; press together.
2. Abridge, abbreviate, shorten, epitomize, reduce, diminish, contract, curtail.
3. Reduce to a liquid state, liquefy.
**Condense,** *v. n.* 1. Grow dense.
2. Become liquid, liquefy.
**Condescend,** *v. n.* 1. Deign, vouchsafe, graciously stoop.
2. Stoop, descend, degrade one's self, lower one's self, so forget one's self.
**Condescension,** *n.* Graciousness, gracious favor, gracious temper *or* disposition.
**Condign,** *a.* [*Said only* or *chiefly of punishment.*] Deserved, merited, suitable, adequate.
**Condiment,** *n.* Seasoning, relish, appetizer, sauce.
**Condition,** *n.* 1. Situation, state, case, plight, predicament, circumstances.
2. Rank (*of life*), estate, grade, class *or* order of society.
3. Consideration, provision, proviso, stipulation, arrangement, article of agreement, rule of proceeding.
4. Prerequisite, necessity, necessary antecedent *or* attendant, *sine qua non.*
**Condition,** *v. a.* Subject to conditions, put under limits, assign terms, conditions, *or* limits to, limit, restrict, make contingent, put as contingent *or* dependent, cognize under conditions *or* limits.
**Conditional,** *a.* 1. Depending on conditions, modified by conditions, contingent.
2. Expressing conditions *or* a condition, limiting, limitative.
**Conditions,** *n. pl.* Stipulations, provisions, terms.
**Condole with.** Sympathize with, share one's sorrow, express sympathy for, feel grief *or* sorrow in common with.
**Condolence,** *n.* Sympathy, expression of sympathy *or* common sorrow
**Condonation,** *n.* Pardon, forgiveness, overlooking.
**Condone,** *v. a.* Pardon, forgive, overlook, let go *or* pass.
**Conduce,** *v. n.* Contribute, tend, lead, have a tendency.
**Conduce to.** Serve, subserve, promote, advance, forward, contribute to *or* towards, tend to, be subsidiary to.
**Conducive,** *a.* Conducing, contributing, subservient, instrumental, subsidiary, promotive.
**Conduct,** *n.* 1. Management, direction, administration, guidance, leadership.
2. Convoy, escort, guard.
3. Deportment (*in general*, or *as a matter of habit*), demeanor, carriage, bearing, manners, career, manner of life, course of life, actions, ways, mode of action. See BEHAVIOR.
**Conduct,** *v. a.* 1. Lead, direct, guide, escort, convoy.
2. Command, lead, govern, preside over.
3. Manage, regulate, carry on, direct.
4. Lead (*in music* or *ceremonial*), direct, take the lead in.
5. (*Phys.*) Carry, transmit, propagate.
**Conduction,** *n.* (*Phys.*) Transmission, propagation, carrying.
**Conductivity,** *n.* (*Phys.*) Power of transmission *or* propagation.
**Conduct one's self.** Behave, act, demean one's self, acquit one's self.
**Conductor,** *n* 1. Leader, guide.
2. Manager, director, leader.
3. (*Phys.*) Transmitter, propagator.
**Conduit,** *n.* Channel, canal, duct, passage, pipe, tube.
**Cone-shaped,** *a.* Coniform.
**Confabulate,** *v. n.* (*Rare.*) Chat, prattle, chatter, prate, babble, gossip, talk freely, have a free and easy talk.
**Confabulation,** *n.* (*Rare.*) Prattle, gossip, prate, chat, chit-chat, easy conversation, free and easy talk, *causerie.*
**Confect,** *n.* Sweetmeat. See CONFECTION.
**Confection,** *n.* Sweetmeat, confect, comfit.
**Confectionery,** *n.* 1. Sweetmeats, confections, confects, comfits, candies.
2. Confectioner's shop.
**Confederacy,** *n.* Confederation (*especially of independent states*), federation, league, coalition, alliance, union, federal compact.
**Confederate,** *v. a.* Ally, league, combine, unite.
**Confederate,** *v. n.* Unite, be leagued, be allied.
**Confederate,** *p.* and *a.* Confederated, leagued, federated, allied, united in federal compact.
**Confederate,** *n.* Accomplice, abettor, accessory, associate, ally.
**Confederation,** *n.* League. See CONFEDERACY.
**Confer,** *v. n.* Converse, discourse, parley, advise, talk, hold a conference, talk together, compare notes, interchange views.
**Confer,** *v. a.* [*Appropriately used when the gift is from a person of superior rank to another of lower rank.*] Bestow, give, grant, vouchsafe.
**Conference,** *n.* (*Now rare.*) 1. Conversation, discourse, talk.
2. Meeting for consultation, interview, colloquy, parley.
**Confess,** *v. a.* 1. Acknowledge (*as a crime* or *fault*), own, avow, admit.
2. Admit, grant, concede, recognize.
3. (*Poetical.*) Attest, prove, show, exhibit, manifest, be proof of.
4. Receive *or* hear one's confession (*as a priest*), shrive.
**Confess,** *v. n.* Acknowledge one's sins (*to a priest*), go to the confessional.
**Confession,** *n.* 1. Acknowledgment, admission, avowal.

2. (Secret) acknowledgment of one's sins (*to a priest*).

**Confessional,** *n.* Confession-chair, confessionary, shriving-pew.

**Confessor,** *n.* I. Persecuted saint, faithful believer.

2. Shriver, confessing priest, ghostly *or* spiritual adviser.

**Confidant,** *masc.* } *n.* Bosom-friend, intimate,
**Confidante,** *fem.* } dear, *or* confidential friend.

**Confide,** *v. a.* Trust, intrust, commit, consign, give in trust.

**Confide in.** Trust, depend upon, rely upon, put faith in, have confidence in, repose confidence in.

**Confidence,** *n.* I. Trust, faith, belief, reliance, dependence.

2. Boldness, courage, intrepidity, assurance, firmness, self-reliance.

3. Secret, private *or* confidential communication.

4. Intimacy, confidential relations.

**Confident,** *a.* I. Assured, certain, sure, positive, fully convinced, cocksure (*colloq.*).

2. Bold, presumptuous, sanguine.

**Confidential,** *a.* I. Private, not to be disclosed, not to be communicated.

2. Trusty, faithful, to be trusted.

**Confidentially,** *ad.* Privately, in confidence, under the rose, between ourselves, between you and me, *sub rosa, entre nous.*

**Configuration,** *n.* Form, figure, shape, conformation, outline.

**Confine,** *n* Boundary, border, limit, frontier.

**Confine,** *v. a.* I. Restrain, shut up, shut in.

2. Imprison, immure, incarcerate.

3. Limit, circumscribe, bound, restrict.

**Confinement,** *n.* I. Restraint.

2. Imprisonment, incarceration, captivity, duress, durance.

3. Lying-in, childbed, delivery, parturition, childbirth.

**Confines,** *n. pl.* Boundaries, borders, edges, limits, marches, frontiers, precincts, remote regions.

**Confirm,** *v. a.* I. Establish, fix, settle, assure, make firm.

2. Strengthen, add strength to.

3. Corroborate, substantiate, verify.

4. Ratify, sanction, bind.

5. Admit to the Communion, invest with full membership in the church.

**Confirmation,** *n.* I. Settlement, establishment.

2. Corroboration, substantiation, verification, proof.

3. Ratification, sanction.

4. Admission to the Communion, full investiture (*with the privileges of the church*).

**Confirmatory,** *a.* Corroborating, corroborative.

**Confiscate,** *v. a.* Cause to be forfeited, condemn to public use.

**Confiscation,** *n.* Forfeiting, condemnation to public use.

**Conflagration,** *n.* Great burning, general fire.

**Conflict,** *v. n.* Clash, interfere, be inconsistent *or* inharmonious, be contrary, be opposed.

**Conflict,** *n.* I. Struggle, encounter, contest, combat, battle, fight, collision, strife in arms.

2. Clashing, interference, inconsistency, antagonism, opposition, disagreement, discord, inharmony.

**Confluence,** *n.* I. Meeting, junction, conflux, union, flowing together.

2. Concourse, assembly, assemblage, congregation, multitude, crowd, collection, throng, army, host, swarm, horde.

**Confluent,** *a.* Meeting, blending, commingling, mingling, flowing together.

**Conflux,** *n.* I. Confluence, meeting, union, flowing together.

2. Collection, multitude, concourse, crowd, throng. See CONFLUENCE, 2.

**Conform,** *v. a.* Make conformable, bring into compliance, adjust, adapt.

**Conform,** *v. n.* I. Comply, yield assent.

2. Agree, harmonize, tally, square, correspond, comport.

3. Comply with the usages of the Church (*of England*).

**Conformable to.** I. Resembling, similar to, corresponding to, like.

2. Agreeable to, suitable to, consistent with.

3. Compliant with, submissive to, obedient to, obsequious towards.

**Conformation,** *n.* I. Accordance, compliance, agreement, conformity.

2. Configuration, structure, form, figure, shape, manner *or* mode of formation.

**Conformity,** *n.* I. Accordance, agreement, congruity, harmony.

2. Correspondence, likeness, similitude, resemblance.

3. Yielding, submission, obedience, compliance with the will of.

4. Compliance with the usages of the Church (*of England*).

**Confound,** *v. a.* I. Mingle confusedly, confuse, crowd together in disorder.

2. Confuse with each other, mistake one for another, mistake between.

3. Perplex, bewilder, embarrass, mystify, pose, nonplus, flurry.

4. Surprise, amaze, astonish, astound, stupefy, bewilder, stun, startle, dumfounder, paralyze, take by surprise, strike with wonder, strike dumb, petrify with wonder.

5. Destroy, overthrow, ruin, overwhelm, cast down, demolish, annihilate, bring to nought.

6. Abash, confuse, disconcert, discompose, shame, mortify.

**Confounded,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) I. Miserable, horrid, shameful.

2. Exceeding, excessive, enormous, great, monstrous.

3. Odious, detestable, hateful, abominable, cursed.

**Confront,** *v. a.* I. Face, stand in front of, stand over against, be opposite to.

2. Oppose, stand opposed, challenge, threaten, encounter, stand athwart the path of, rise in hostility before.

3. Bring face to face, bring into the presence of.

**Confuse,** *v. a.* I. Mingle, intermingle, mix, blend, confound.

2. Disorder, disarrange, derange, disturb, jumble, throw into disorder *or* confusion.

3. Perplex, obscure, darken, render uncertain.

4. Mystify, embarrass, pose, nonplus, bewilder, flurry.

5. Abash, shame, mortify, discompose, disconcert, confound.

**Confusion,** *n.* I. Confusedness, disorder, disarrangement, derangement, disarray, jumble, chaos, anarchy.

2. Tumult, turmoil, commotion, ferment, stir, agitation.

3. Distraction, perplexity, embarrassment, bewilderment, astonishment.

4. Shame, mortification, abashment, embarrassment.

5. Overthrow, destruction, defeat, ruin, annihilation, demolition.

**Confutation,** *n.* Refutation, disproof.

**Confute,** *v. a.* I. Overthrow (*by argument*), overcome (*in debate*), convict of error, put to silence, silence.
2. Disprove, refute, prove to be false.
**Congé,** *n.* [Fr.] Leave, farewell.
**Congeal,** *v. a.* Freeze, turn *or* convert to ice.
**Congeal,** *v. n.* Freeze, be *or* become frozen, turn *or* be converted into ice.
**Congelation,** *n.* Freezing.
**Congener,** *n.* Kindred, allied *or* cognate species, *or* objects.
**Congenial,** *a.* I. Kindred, similar, sympathetic.
2. Suited, adapted, proper, suitable, natural, agreeable.
3. Favorable, agreeable, genial, (*said of climate, etc.*).
**Congenital,** *a.* Connate, connatural, inborn, cœval with birth, existing at *or* from birth.
**Congeries,** *n.* Aggregate, aggregation, agglomeration, conglomeration, compages, compage, crowd, cluster, crowded series.
**Congestion,** *n.* (*Med.*) Repletion, plethora (*of blood*).
**Conglomerate,** *n.* Pudding-stone.
**Conglomeration,** *n.* See CONGERIES.
**Congratulate,** *v. a.* Felicitate, compliment, gratulate, wish joy to, rejoice with.
**Congratulation,** *n.* Felicitation, gratulation.
**Congratulatory,** *a.* Gratulatory.
**Congregate,** *v. a.* Assemble, collect, muster, gather, convene, convoke, bring together.
**Congregate,** *v. n.* Assemble, meet, collect, muster, gather, convene, throng, come *or* crowd together, come together, meet together.
**Congregation,** *n.* Assembly, meeting, collection.
**Congress,** *n.* I. Meeting, assembly, convention, council, conference.
2. National legislature [*of the U. S.*], Senate and House of Representatives.
**Congruity,** *n.* Suitableness, agreement, fitness, consistency, conformity.
**Congruous,** *a.* I. Accordant, agreeing, suitable, consistent, consonant, compatible
2. Proper, fit, befitting, appropriate, meet, seemly.
**Conical,** *a.* Coniform, cone-shaped.
**Coniform,** *a.* Conical, cone-shaped.
**Conjectural,** *a* Presumptive, surmised, hypothetical, theoretical, suppositional.
**Conjecture,** *n.* Supposition, surmise, guess, hypothesis, theory.
**Conjecture,** *v. a.* Surmise, guess, suppose, divine, suspect.
**Conjecture,** *v. n.* Surmise, guess, suppose, suspect, fancy, dare say, take it, hazard the conjecture.
**Conjoin,** *v. a.* Join, unite, combine, connect, associate, join together.
**Conjoint,** *a.* Joined, united, combined, connected, associated.
**Conjugal,** *a.* Matrimonial, connubial, nuptial, bridal, hymeneal.
**Conjugates,** *n. pl.* Words of the same derivation, kindred words.
**Conjunction,** *n.* I. Union, association, combination, connection, conjoining.
2. (*Astron.*) Apparent meeting (*of two stars* or *planets*).
3. (*Gram.*) Connective, connecting word, connective particle.
**Conjuncture,** *n.* I. Combination, concurrence.
2. Crisis, emergency, exigency, juncture, critical occasion.
**Conjuration,** *n.* I. Adjuration, solemn summons *or* imploration, conjuring.
2. Magic, sorcery, incantation, enchantment, spell, magic spell.
**Conjure,** *v. a.* Beseech, supplicate, beg, pray entreat, implore, enjoin solemnly. See ADJURE.
**Conjure,** *v. a.* Charm, enchant, bewitch, fascinate, affect by magic arts.
**Conjure,** *v. n.* Juggle, practise magic *or* sorcery, play tricks.
**Conjurer,** *n.* Juggler, enchanter, sorcerer, magician, necromancer, diviner, seer, wizard, charmer, exorcist.
**Conjure up.** I. Summon by enchantment, raise up by magic.
2. Raise by effort, produce by artificial effort, bring forward by pretence.
**Connate,** *a.* Congenital, connatural, inborn, cœval with birth, existing at *or* from birth.
**Connect,** *v. a.* Join, unite, combine, conjoin, associate, couple, link together.
**Connect,** *v. n.* I. Join, unite, cohere, be joined, have relation.
2. Be connected, communicate, lead into each other.
**Connected,** *a.* I. Joined, united, associated, coupled.
2. Related, akin, allied.
3. Communicating, leading one into the other.
**Connection,** *n.* I. Union, alliance, junction, association, dependence.
2. Intercourse, communication, commerce.
3. Sexual commerce.
4. Affinity, relationship.
5. Kinsman, relative, relation, kindred.
**Connective,** *n.* Connecting word *or* particle, conjunction *or* preposition.
**Conner,** *n.* Blue perch, cunner, burgall, chogset (*N. Eng.*).
**Connivance,** *n.* I. Voluntary blindness (*to an act*), pretended ignorance, forbearance of disapproval, winking at, blinking.
2. Tacit consent, secret approval, indirect *or* underhand *or* remote participation, secret and indirect abettal.
**Connive at.** I. Purposely overlook, make light of, pretend not to see, shut one's eyes to, forbear to censure, wink at, blink.
2. Be knowing *or* consenting to, secretly and indirectly promote, allow by inaction.
**Connoisseur,** *n.* Critic, critical judge, man of good taste (*as distinguished from the dilettante, who merely pretends to good taste*).
**Connotation,** *n.* (*Log.*) Meaning, intension, comprehension, depth, intent, force, sum of attributes expressed *or* implied.
**Connotative,** *a.* (*Log.*) I. Comprising as attributes, expressing, implying.
2. Attributive, descriptive.
**Connote,** *v. a.* (*Log.*) Express *or* imply as attributes, include in its meaning, comprise among its attributes, imply.
**Connubial,** *a.* Matrimonial, conjugal, nuptial, hymeneal, bridal.
**Conquer,** *v. a.* I. Vanquish, subdue, overcome, subjugate, defeat, overthrow, overpower, beat, rout, discomfit, checkmate, master, subject, reduce, humble, crush, get the better of, put down, prevail over, get the upper hand of, get the whip hand of, have on the hip.
2. Surmount, overcome.
3. Gain by effort, win by victory.
**Conquer,** *v. n.* Prevail, overcome, succeed, win, triumph, be triumphant, win success, gain the victory.
**Conqueror,** *n.* I. Vanquisher, subjugator, subduer, humbler.
2. Victor, superior, winner, successful contestant.

**Conquest,** *n.* I. Subjugation, subjection, mastery, reduction, overthrow, rout, defeat, discomfiture.
2. Victory, triumph.
3. Winning, victorious establishment.

**Consanguinity,** *n.* Relationship (*by blood*), kindred, kin, blood-kindred, blood-relationship.

**Conscience,** *n.* Moral sense, moral faculty, the still small voice.

**Conscientious,** *a.* Scrupulous, exact, upright, honest, just, honorable, fair, uncorrupt, incorruptible, faithful, careful, high-minded, straightforward.

**Conscious,** *a.* I. Knowing, sentient, percipient, intellige- .
2. Thinking, intellectual, reflecting, self-conscious, rational, reasoning.
3. Sensible, aware, cognizant, apprised. [*Often preceded by* inwardly.]
4. Inwardly known, clearly felt, self-admitted, self-accusing.

**Conscription,** *n.* Compulsory enrolment *or* registry *or* registration (*for service in war*).

**Consecrate,** *v. a.* I. Dedicate, devote, ordain, set apart as sacred, appropriate to sacred uses.
2. Hallow, sanctify, make *or* render venerable *or* reverend.

**Consecration,** *n.* Dedication, devotion.

**Consecution,** *n.* I. Succession, series, successive appearance.
2. Connection, linking together.

**Consecutive,** *a.* Successive, uninterrupted, continuous, succeeding regularly, following in a series.

**Consecutive to.** Following, succeeding, coming after, following upon.

**Consensus,** *n.* Agreement, unanimity, concord, consent, unison, according *or* consenting judgment.

**Consent,** *n.* I. Concurrence, assent, approval.
2. Concord, accord, agreement, unison, consensus, co-operation, harmony, coherence.
3. Acquiescence, compliance.

**Consent,** *v. n.* I. Agree (*as to a matter of conduct*), assent, concur, yield assent, give consent.
2. Yield, comply, acquiesce, accede.

**Consequence,** *n.* I. Effect, result, issue, event, end.
2. Deduction, inference, conclusion.
3. Connection, concatenation, consecution, chain of cause and effect, dependence of cause and effect.
4. Importance, moment, weight, interest, concern.
5. Importance, distinction, standing, influence, weight.

**Consequent,** *a.* I. Following, consequential, resulting.
2. Deducible, inferable *or* inferrible.

**Consequent,** *n.* I. Following *or* succeeding event, second *or* after term.
2. Deduction, conclusion, inference.

**Consequential,** *a.* I. Following, consequent, resulting.
2. Pompous, conceited, self-sufficient, vainglorious, self-important.

**Conservation,** *n.* Preservation, maintenance.

**Conservative,** *a.* I. Preservative, conservatory.
2. Opposed to change.

**Conservator,** *n.* Preserver, protector, guardian.

**Conservatory,** *n.* (*Rare.*) I. Repository, storehouse, receptacle.
2. Greenhouse.
3. School, institute, *conservatoire.*

**Conserve,** *v. a.* Preserve, save, keep, protect, maintain.

**Conserve,** *n.* Preserve, confection, comfit, sweetmeat, jam.

**Consider,** *v. a.* I. Contemplate, ponder, study, examine, weigh, mind, heed, mark, reflect upon, be attentive to, give *or* pay attention to, give heed to, take into consideration, give a thought to, keep in view.
2. Respect, regard, consult, care for, have regard to, have reference to, take into account.

**Consider,** *v. n.* Deliberate, reflect, meditate, ponder, ruminate, muse, cogitate, think, take thought, cast about.

**Considerable,** *a.* I. Respectable, worthy of consideration.
2. Moderately large, not small, not little, a good deal of.

**Considerate,** *a.* I. Thoughtful, deliberate, serious, discrete, prudent, provident, circumspect, judicious, sober, staid.
2. Thoughtfully kind, forbearing, charitable, patient.

**Consideration,** *n.* I. Attention, notice, heed, regard, reflection, deliberation, meditation, serious thought, contemplation.
2. Importance, consequence, weight, moment, import, significance.
3. Reason, motive, ground, account, score, sake, cause.

**Considering,** *prep.* Taking into account, allowing for, making allowance for.

**Consign,** *v. a.* I. Transfer, deliver over, hand over, resign.
2. Intrust, commit, give in trust, *or* charge.

**Consignee,** *n.* Agent, factor, receiver (*of goods shipped*).

**Consigner,** } **Consignor,** } *n.* Sender, shipper, transmitter.

**Consignment,** *n.* I. Sending, shipping.
2. Goods shipped, amount shipped.

**Consilience,** *n.* Concurrence, coincidence, conjuncture.

**Consistence,** *n.* I. Consistency, body, degree of density.
2. (*Rare.*) Durability, permanence.
3. (*Rare.*) Structure, combination, organization.

**Consistency,** *n.* I. Consistence, degree of density.
2. Congruity, agreement, compatibility, conformableness, correspondence.

**Consistent,** *a.* Compatible, suitable accordant, conformable, congruous, harmonious, correspondent.

**Consist in.** Lie in, be contained in, be comprised in, be constituted by.

**Consist of.** Be made of, be composed of, be formed of, be made up of, be constituted of.

**Consist with.** Suit, become, befit, agree with, be compatible with, be in accordance with, be consistent with.

**Consolation,** *n.* Solace, comfort, encouragement, alleviation of sorrow, relief from distress.

**Consolatory,** *a.* Consoling, comforting.

**Console,** *v. a.* Solace, comfort, cheer, encourage, soothe, relieve from distress.

**Console,** *n.* (*Arch.*) Bracket, ancone, corbel.

**Consolidate,** *v. a.* I. Condense, compact, compress, harden, solidify, make solid, make firm.
2. Conjoin, combine, unite into one.

**Consolidation,** *n.* I. Solidification.
2. Union, combination.

**Consols,** *n. pl.* Consolidated annuities (*of the English Government*).

**Consonance,** } **Consonancy,** } *n.* I. Concord, accord, harmony.
2. Consistency, congruity, congruence, agreement, unison, accord, accordance.

**Consonant,** *a.* I. Accordant, according, harmonious, in harmony.

2. Consistent, congruous, compatible, accordant, in harmony.

**Consonant,** *n.* Articulation.

**Consort,** *n.* Companion (*especially a wife* or *a husband* or *one vessel of a fleet*), partner, associate.

**Consort with.** Associate with, keep company with.

**Conspectus,** *n.* [L.] Outline, epitome, abstract, summary, compend, compendium, synopsis, syllabus, digest, brief, breviary, general view.

**Conspicuous,** *a.* I. Visible, discernible, perceptible, apparent, noticeable, plain, clear, in plain sight.

2. Eminent, pre-eminent, prominent, distinguished, remarkable, noted, celebrated, marked, famed, famous, illustrious.

**Conspiracy,** *n.* Plot, combination, cabal, complot, intrigue, machination.

**Conspire,** *v. n.* I. Co-operate, conduce, tend, concur.

2. Combine (*for some evil design*), plot, confederate, intrigue, cabal.

**Conspire,** *v. a.* Plot, contrive, devise, project, compass.

**Constancy,** *n.* I. Stability, immutability, unchangeableness, permanence.

2. Uniformity, regularity.

3. Inflexibility, steadiness, steadfastness, firmness, resolution, determination, decision, tenacity of purpose.

4. Fidelity, faithfulness, loyalty, truth, devotion.

**Constant,** *a.* I. Stable, fixed, immutable, unvaried, invariable, unchanging, permanent, perpetual.

2. Uniform, regular, stated, certain.

3. Resolute, firm, steady, steadfast, stanch, determined, unshaken, unwavering.

4. Persevering, assiduous, unremitting.

5. Incessant, uninterrupted, unbroken, perpetual, continuous, continual.

6. Faithful, true, trusty, loyal, devoted.

**Constellation,** *n.* I. Group of stars.

2. Collection, assemblage, cluster, galaxy.

**Consternation,** *n.* Alarm, amazement, terror, horror, fright, dismay, panic, sudden fear.

**Constipate,** *v. a.* Make costive.

**Constipated,** *a.* Costive.

**Constipation,** *n.* Costiveness.

**Constituent,** *a.* I. Forming, composing, constituting, component.

2. Appointing, electoral.

**Constituent,** *n.* I. Component, element, principle, ingredient, component part.

2. Elector, voter.

**Constitute,** *v. a.* I. Form, compose, make, make up, enter into the composition of.

2. Appoint, depute, empower.

3. Set up, establish, enact, fix.

**Constitution,** *n.* I. Formation, organization.

2. Quality, character, temper, temperament, spirit, humor, peculiarity, characteristic.

3. Charter of government, fundamental law, organic law.

**Constitutional,** *a.* I. Natural, inherent, inbred, inborn, innate, connate, congenital, organic.

2. Legal, lawful, legitimate, consistent with the constitution.

**Constrain,** *v. a.* I. Compel, force, drive, oblige, coerce.

2. Confine, restrain, inthrall, hold, curb, put under restraint, keep down, keep under.

3. Urge, impel, draw, draw urgently *or* irresistibly.

**Constraint,** *n.* I. Compulsion, force, necessity, obligation, coercion.

2. Confinement, restraint, imprisonment, incarceration, inthralment, durance, duress, captivity.

**Constrict,** *v. a.* Cramp, contract, compress.

**Constriction,** *n.* Contraction, compression.

**Construct,** *v. a.* I. Fabricate, build, erect, raise, set up, put together.

2. Organize, institute, originate, invent, arrange, make, form, frame.

**Constructor,** *n.* Builder.

**Construction,** *n.* I. Fabrication, erection, building.

2. Structure, formation, conformation, configuration, form, figure, shape, mode of constructing.

3. Interpretation, explanation, version, rendering.

**Construe,** *v. a.* Interpret, explain, expound, translate, render, put an interpretation upon.

**Consubstantiation,** *n.* Impanation (*the Lutheran doctrine of the Eucharist*).

**Consuetudinary,** *a.* (*Rare.*) Usual, common, wonted, customary, accustomed, conventional.

**Consulate,** *n.* Consulship, consular office, consular government, consular term.

**Consulship,** *n.* See CONSULATE.

**Consult,** *v. n.* [Followed by *with.*] I. Confer, seek counsel, take counsel, deliberate.

2. [*Used absolutely.*] Take counsel (together), confer, deliberate together.

**Consult,** *v. a.* I. Ask advice of, seek information from.

2. Consider, regard, care for, have reference to, have regard to, take into account.

**Consultation,** *n.* I. Consulting, making inquiry, seeking the advice.

2. Conference, deliberation.

3. Council, meeting for deliberation.

**Consume,** *v. a.* Destroy, waste, spend, expend, exhaust, devour, lavish, squander, dissipate, use up.

**Consume,** *v. n.* Waste away, be exhausted, perish, decay, vanish out of being.

**Consumedly,** *ad.* Hugely, extremely, greatly, exhaustingly, tremendously.

**Consummate,** *v. a.* Complete, finish, perfect, accomplish, compass, effect, perform, achieve, execute, do, carry out, bring about, work out.

**Consummate,** *a.* Complete, perfect, finished, supreme.

**Consummation,** *n.* Completion, termination, finishing, close, accomplishment, fulfilment, achievement, realization, last stroke, finishing stroke, last finish, final touch, crowning touch.

**Consumption,** *n.* I. Extinction, destruction, waste, expenditure, use, using up.

2. Phthisis, marasmus, atrophy, decline, tabes, gradual wasting, progressive emaciation.

**Contact,** *n.* Touch, juxtaposition, junction, contiguity, close union.

**Contagion,** *n.* I. Infection, communication of disease (*by contact, direct* or *indirect*).

2. Contagious matter, disease-germs, virus, contagium.

3. Contamination, taint, corruption, infection.

4. Pestilential influence, poisonous exhalations, pestilence, poisoned air.

**Contagious,** *a.* I. Infectious, catching.

2. Pestilential, pestiferous, poisonous, deadly.

**Contain,** *v. a.* I. Comprehend, comprise, embrace, include, embody.

2. Hold, have capacity for.

3. Restrain, keep in check.

**Contain,** *v. n.* Be continent, live in continence.

**Contaminate,** *v. a.* Defile, pollute, corrupt, taint, infect, poison, vitiate, sully, tarnish, soil, stain.

**Contamination,** *n.* I. Contaminating, polluting, pollution, defiling, defilement, etc. See the verb.
2. Taint, stain, infection, impurity, foulness, uncleanness, abomination, pollution, defilement.
**Contemn,** *v. a.* Despise, disdain, scorn, scout, spurn, slight, hold in contempt, look down upon, turn a cold shoulder upon, turn up one's nose at, snap one's fingers at, laugh to scorn, point the finger of scorn at.
**Contemplate,** *v. a.* I. Gaze upon, view attentively, look abroad upon, survey.
2. Study, ponder, survey, meditate on, dwell on, think about, reflect upon, muse on, consider attentively, revolve in the mind.
3. Intend, purpose, design, think of, have in view, have in contemplation, look forward to.
**Contemplation,** *n.* I. Reflection, meditation, cogitation, deliberation, study, thought, speculation, pondering.
2. View, prospect, prospective.
3. Expectation, prospect, view.
**Contemplative,** *a.* Thoughtful, studious, given to contemplation, meditative, musing.
**Contemporaneous,** *a.* Contemporary.
**Contemporary,** *a.* Contemporaneous.
**Contempt,** *n.* I. Disdain, scorn, mockery, derision, contumely, disregard, slight, mean opinion.
2. Shame, disgrace, confusion.
**Contemptible,** *a.* Despicable, vile, low, mean, base, pitiful, abject, worthless, paltry, sorry.
**Contemptuous,** *a.* Insolent, scornful, disdainful, supercilious, haughty.
**Contend,** *v. n.* I. Strive, struggle, combat, fight, vie.
2. Debate, dispute, argue, join issue.
3. Maintain, affirm, assert, claim.
**Content,** *a.* Satisfied, contented, easy in mind.
**Content,** *v. a.* Satisfy, appease, make easy, make contented.
**Content,** *n.* Satisfaction, ease, contentment, peace.
**Contented,** *a.* Satisfied, content, easy in mind, at peace.
**Contention,** *n.* I. Strife, discord, dissension, wrangling, wrangle, quarrel, squabble, feud, rupture, falling out, high words.
2. Dispute, debate, bickering, altercation, controversy, logomachy, war of words, strife of words.
**Contentious,** *a.* I. Quarrelsome, cross, petulant, perverse, pugnacious, litigious, wrangling.
2. Disputatious, captious, cavilling.
**Contentment,** *n.* Satisfaction, ease, content.
**Contents,** *n. pl.* I. What is contained, filling, filling up.
2. Solid dimensions, capacity, volume, solid contents.
3. Topics, matters treated, subjects considered, table of contents.
**Conterminous,** *a.* I. Adjoining, adjacent, contiguous, bordering upon.
2. Identical in limits, of identical boundaries, co-extensive, coincident, commensurate.
**Contest,** *v. a.* I. Dispute, controvert, argue, debate, litigate, contend against, call in question.
2. Strive to hold, struggle to defend.
3. Contend for, strive to carry, compete for, make the object of competition *or* rivalry *or* emulation.
**Contest,** *v. n.* Contend, strive, struggle, vie, fight, compete, cope.
**Contest,** *n.* I. Dispute, altercation, debate, controversy, contention, quarrel, difference, high words, strife of words, war of words.
2. Struggle, battle, conflict, fight, combat, encounter, rencounter, strife in arms.
3. Competition, rivalry, contention.
**Context,** *n.* Words immediately preceding *or* following, adjoining matter, connection, connected thought *or* thoughts.
**Contexture,** *n.* Constitution, structure, framework, texture, composition, mode of formation.
**Contiguity,** *n.* I. Contact, touching, meeting, juxtaposition, proximity, nearness.
2. Continuity, continuous stretch, expanse, unbroken extent.
**Contiguous,** *a.* Touching, meeting, conterminous, adjacent, adjoining, in contact.
**Continence,** *n.* I. Chastity, restraint of sexual appetite.
2. Self-command (*in general*), self-control, moderation, temperance.
**Continent,** *a.* I. Chaste, temperate in sexual passion, free from lust.
2. Temperate (*in general*), moderate, self-commanding, self-controlled, restrained.
**Continent,** *n.* Mainland, great tract of land.
**Contingency,** *n.* I. Accidentalness, fortuity, uncertainty.
2. Casualty, accident, incident, occurrence, event.
**Contingent,** *a.* I. Accidental, fortuitous, incidental, casual, happening by chance.
2. Conditional, uncertain, dependent on circumstances.
**Contingent,** *n.* Quota, proportion, share, proportional part.
**Continual,** *a.* I. Perpetual, uninterrupted, unceasing, incessant, unremitting, constant, continuous.
2. Perpetual, endless, everlasting, eternal, permanent, unending, interminable.
3. Oft-repeated, very frequent, perpetual, constant, constantly recurring.
**Continuance,** *n.* I. Continuation, endurance, lasting, persistence.
2. Prolongation, continuation, extension, perpetuation.
3. Sequence, succession, connection, concatenation.
4. Perseverance, persistence, constancy, endurance.
**Continuation,** *n.* Extension (*in time* or *space*), prolongation, protraction, continuance, perpetuation.
**Continue,** *v. n.* I. Remain, endure, last, be permanent, be durable.
2. Abide, stay, tarry, remain.
3. Persist, persevere, endure, hold out, go on, keep on, be steadfast, be constant.
**Continue,** *v. a.* Extend (*in time* or *space*), prolong, perpetuate.
**Continuer,** *n.* Continuator.
**Continuity,** *n.* I. Cohesion, close union, intimate connection.
2. Unbroken extent, contiguity, uninterrupted connection, uninterrupted continuance *or* duration, ceaselessness, constant flow.
**Continuous,** *a.* Connected, continued, unbroken, uninterrupted, unintermitted.
**Contort,** *v. a.* Twist, writhe, distort.
**Contortion,** *n.* Twist, distortion, wryness, deformity.
**Contour,** *n.* Outline, profile.
**Contraband,** *a.* Prohibited, illegal, unlawful, illicit.
**Contraband,** *n.* I. Illegal traffic.
2. Prohibited articles.
**Contrabandist,** *n.* Smuggler.
**Contract,** *v. a.* I. Lessen, shorten, narrow, diminish, abridge, reduce, epitomize, draw together.
2. Incur, make, get, take, catch, absorb, take in.

**Contract,** *v. n.* I. Shrivel, shrink, shrink up, draw in.
2. Agree, stipulate, bargain, covenant, make a bargain.
**Contract,** *n.* Compact, bargain, stipulation, covenant, convention, concordat, treaty, agreement, pact, arrangement.
**Contraction,** *n.* I. Shrinking, shrivelling, corrugation, drawing together, drawing in.
2. Reduction, shortening, diminution, lessening, abridgment, abbreviation.
**Contradict,** *v. a.* I. Deny, gainsay, dispute, controvert, impugn, traverse.
2. Oppose, contravene, counteract, annul, abrogate, traverse, thwart, be contrary to, run counter to.
**Contradiction,** *n.* I. Gainsaying, denial.
2. Opposition, contrariety, incongruity, antagonism, clashing.
**Contradictory,** *a.* Opposite, contrary, inconsistent, repugnant.
**Contradistinction,** *n.* Distinction (*by opposite qualities*), opposition.
**Contradistinguish,** *v. a.* Distinguish (*by opposite qualities*).
**Contrariety,** *n.* Opposition, repugnance, antagonism, contradiction, clashing, contrast.
**Contrary,** *a.* I. Opposite, opposing, adverse, opposed, counter.
2. Antagonistic, conflicting, contradictory, counteracting, retroactive, repugnant.
3. (*Colloq.*) Perverse, humorsome, wayward, obstinate, stubborn, headstrong, refractory, unruly, froward.
**Contrast,** *n.* I. Exhibition of differences, contrasting.
2. Opposition, difference, striking difference, contrariety.
**Contrast,** *v. a.* Set off by opposition, exhibit the differences of.
**Contrast,** *v. n.* Show difference, exhibit a contrast, stand out in opposition.
**Contrate-wheel,** *n.* Crown-wheel.
**Contravene,** *v. a.* Oppose, contradict, counteract, countervail, thwart, nullify, abrogate, annul, cross, traverse, obstruct, defeat, hinder, go against, clash with, run counter to, militate against.
**Contravention,** *n.* Contradiction, opposition, obstruction, violation, abrogation, transgression, traversal.
**Contretemps,** *n.* [Fr.] Mishap, mischance, accident.
**Contribute,** *v. a.* I. Give (*in common with others*), grant *or* bestow (*as a share*).
2. Furnish, supply, afford.
**Contribute,** *v. n.* Conduce, minister, conspire, co-operate, concur, bear a part, be helpful.
**Contribution,** *n.* I. Grant *or* bestowment of a share.
2. Gift, donation, offering, subscription.
**Contrite,** *a.* Penitent, repentant, humble, broken in spirit.
**Contrition,** *n.* Penitence, compunction, remorse, repentance, sorrow, regret, self-condemnation, self-reproach, stings of conscience, sorrow for sin.
**Contrivance,** *n.* I. Design, designing power, inventiveness, invention.
2. Invention, device, piece of mechanism, machine.
3. Device, scheme, plan, plot, artifice, stratagem, complot, machination.
**Contrive,** *v. a.* Devise, plan, design, invent, project, hatch, brew, form, frame, concoct, fall upon, hit upon, strike out, chalk out.
**Contrive,** *v. n.* I. Scheme, plot, plan, consider, set one's wits to work, rack one's brains, cudgel one's brains, strain one's invention, cast about.
2. Manage, make out.
**Control,** *n.* Ascendency, sway, command, rule, dominion government, mastery, superintendence, direction.
**Control,** *v. a.* I. Direct, manage, regulate, govern, sway, rule, reign over, command, superintend, have the direction of, have charge of.
2. Hinder, check, repress, curb, restrain, bridle.
**Controversial,** *a.* Polemical.
**Controversialist,** *n.* Disputant, arguer, debater, disputer.
**Controversy,** *n.* I. Discussion, dispute, disputation, debate, polemics, altercation, logomachy, war of words, strife of words.
2. Lawsuit, suit at law, process in law.
**Controvert,** *v. a.* Dispute, contest, debate, argue, canvass, contend against, call in question.
**Contumacious,** *a.* Insolently disobedient, wilfully disrespectful, obstinate, perverse, stubborn, headstrong, heady, dogged, intractable, refractory, cross-grained, stiff-necked, pertinacious, obdurate.
**Contumacy,** *n.* I. Obstinacy, stubbornness, doggedness, perverseness, pertinacity, headiness, obduracy.
2. Disobedience, insubordination, insolence, disrespect.
**Contumelious,** *a.* Abusive, calumnious, contemptuous, insolent, insulting, rude, supercilious, overbearing, arrogant, scornful, disdainful.
**Contumely,** *n.* Obloquy, reproach, opprobrium, abuse, contemptuousness, insolence, rudeness, superciliousness, arrogance, scorn, contempt, disdain.
**Contuse,** *v. a.* Bruise, crush, squeeze.
**Contusion,** *n.* Bruise.
**Convalescence,** *n.* Recovery (*of health*).
**Convalescent,** *a.* Improving (*in health*), recovering.
**Convene,** *v. n* Meet, assemble, muster, congregate, come together, hold a session.
**Convene,** *v. a.* Convoke, summon, assemble, collect, muster, bring together, gather together, call together.
**Convenience,** *n.* I. Suitableness, fitness, propriety.
2. Commodiousness, accommodation, satisfaction, ease, comfort.
3. Cause of satisfaction, source of comfort.
4. Suitable opportunity, comfortable occasion.
**Convenient,** *a.* I. Fit, suitable, proper, appropriate, adapted, suited.
2. Commodious, advantageous, useful, serviceable, helpful, beneficial, comfortable.
**Convent,** *n.* Monastery, cloister, abbey, priory, *or* nunnery (*as the case may be*).
**Convention,** *n.* I. Assembly, meeting. See CONVOCATION.
2. Contract, compact, agreement, stipulation
3. Conventional *or* arbitrary arrangement, understanding.
**Conventional,** *a.* I. Stipulated, agreed on, bargained for.
2. Usual, customary, common, habitual, wonted, accustomed, ordinary, regular, everyday.
3. Resting on mere custom *or* arbitrary agreement.
**Conventual,** *a.* Monastic.
**Conventual,** *n.* Monk *or* nun (*as the case may be*).
**Converge,** *v. n.* Tend to the same point, approach, draw gradually together.

**Convergence,** *n.* Tendency to meet, gradual approach.
**Convergent,** *a.* 1. Converging, gradually approaching.
2. (*Math.*) Tending to a limit.
**Converging,** *a.* 1. Convergent, gradually approaching.
2. (*Math.*) Tending to a limit.
**Conversable,** *a.* Sociable, social, communicative, affable, free, unreserved, open.
**Conversant about.** Concerned about *or* with, occupied with, relate(s) to, treat(s) of.
**Conversant with.** Acquainted with, familiar with, versed in, skilled in, proficient in.
**Conversation,** *n.* Converse, talk, colloquy, parley, conference, dialogue, chat, confabulation, familiar discourse.
**Conversational,** *a.* Colloquial.
**Conversative,** *a.* Talkative, inclined to conversation.
**Converse,** *v. n.* 1. Commune, hold intercourse.
2. Talk, chat, confabulate, discourse familiarly, hold a conversation.
**Converse,** *n.* 1. Communion, intercourse, commerce.
2. Talk, colloquy, conversation.
3. Reverse, opposite.
**Conversely,** *ad.* Reciprocally, by conversion.
**Conversion,** *n.* 1. Transmutation, transformation, change.
2. Interchange, transposition, reversal.
3. Change of religion.
4. Change of heart, regeneration, new birth.
5. Application, appropriation, employment.
**Convert,** *v. a.* 1. Transmute, transform, change.
2. Change the heart of, regenerate, create anew, re-create, renew.
3. Interchange, transpose, reverse, turn about.
4. Appropriate, apply.
**Convertible,** *a.* Interchangeable.
**Convex,** *a.* Gibbous, protuberant, rounding (*outwardly*).
**Convex lens.** Burning-glass.
**Convey,** *v. a.* 1. Carry, bear, bring, transmit, transport, waft, fetch.
2. Transfer, alienate, abalienate, consign, demise, devolve, cede, grant, devise, sell, deliver over, make over.
**Conveyance,** *n.* 1. Transfer, demise, alienation, cession, transferrence.
2. Transfer, conveying, carrying, carriage, transmission.
3. Carriage, vehicle.
**Convict,** *v. a.* 1. Prove *or* find guilty.
2. Convince (*of sin*), make sensible, rouse to a sense.
**Convict,** *n.* Malefactor, criminal, felon, culprit, condemned person.
**Conviction,** *n.* 1. Proof of guilt, detection in guilt.
2. Confutation, refutation.
3. Persuasion, convincing.
4. Firm persuasion, settled belief, assured belief, ascertained principle.
**Convince,** *v. a.* Satisfy (*by proof* or *evidence*), persuade.
**Convivial,** *a.* Festal, festive, social, jovial, jolly, gay.
**Conviviality,** *n.* Festivity, joviality, jollity, gayety, merry-making.
**Convocation,** *n.* 1. Calling together, convoking, assembling, summoning.
2. Meeting, assembly, convention, congress, diet, synod, council.
**Convoke,** *v. a.* Convene, assemble, summon, muster, call together, bring together.
**Convolute,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Rolled together.
**Convolution,** *n.* 1. Rolling together.
2. Coil, fold, bight.
**Convoy,** *v. a.* Accompany (*for protection*), escort, attend, keep company with, go along with.
**Convoy,** *n.* 1. Attendance (*for the purpose of protection*), escort.
2. Escorting force, escort, guard (*esp. at sea*).
3. Charge (*of a convoying force*), ships under escort, train under escort.
**Convulse,** *v. a.* 1. Throw into spasms.
2. Agitate, shake, disturb.
**Convulsion,** *n.* 1. Spasm, cramp.
2. Agitation, disturbance, tumult, commotion.
**Cook,** *v. a.* 1. Prepare (*food*) for the table.
2. Dress up, tamper with, color, give a color to, garble, falsify.
**Cool,** *a.* 1. Somewhat cold, a little cold, moderately cold, rather cold.
2. Unimpassioned, dispassionate, collected, composed, self-possessed, calm, unruffled, undisturbed, sedate, unexcited, placid, quiet, staid.
3. Indifferent, unconcerned, lukewarm, cold-blooded.
4. Frigid, chilling, apathetic, freezing, repellent.
5. (*Colloq.*) Impudent, shameless, selfishly self-possessed.
**Cool,** *v. a.* 1. Refrigerate, chill, make cool, reduce the heat of.
2. Allay, calm, quiet, temper, attemper, moderate, abate, damp.
**Cool,** *v. n.* 1. Grow cool, lose heat.
2. Grow lukewarm *or* indifferent *or* less furious, lose ardor, be less zealous.
**Coop,** *v. a.* Confine, cage, incage, imprison, shut up.
**Co-operate,** *v. n.* 1. Work together *or* in unison, take part, act jointly, act in concert.
2. Conspire, conduce, contribute, concur, unite, work together.
**Co-operation,** *n.* 1. Joint action, concurrent effort.
2. Concurrence, concert, joint operation, pulling together.
**Co-operator,** *n.* Coadjutor, assistant, helper, aider, auxiliary, ally, abettor, joint operator.
**Co-ordinate,** *a.* Equal, co-equal, of the same rank.
**Copartner,** *n.* Sharer, partaker, partner, associate.
**Copartnership,** *n.* 1. Association, fraternity, partnership, joint stock.
2. Firm, house, establishment, concern, company, joint concern.
**Cope with.** 1. Encounter, engage with, contend with, compete with, struggle with, strive with.
2. Encounter successfully, combat on equal terms, manage, hold at bay, hold one's own with.
**Copier,** *n.* Transcriber, copyist.
**Copious,** *a.* Abundant, plentiful, plenteous, ample, profuse, rich, full, exuberant, overflowing.
**Copiousness,** *n.* Abundance, exuberance, plenty, profusion, richness.
**Copper,** *n.* 1. Cent.
2. [*pl.*] Small change, copper money.
3. Large boiler, cauldron (*esp. in a ship's kitchen*).
**Copperas,** *n.* Green vitriol, sulphate of iron (*crystallized*).
**Copse,** *n.* Grove (*of small trees* or *shrubs*), thicket, coppice.
**Copulation,** *n.* Coition, sexual congress, coupling, venereal act.
**Copulative,** *a.* Uniting, connecting.
**Copy,** *n.* 1. Transcript.
2. Fac-simile, duplicate.
3. Original, model, pattern, archetype.
4. Manuscript (*to be printed*).

**Copy,** *v. a.* I. Transcribe, make a transcript of, make a copy of.
2. Imitate, follow as a pattern, pattern after.
**Copyist,** *n.* I. Transcriber, copier.
2. Imitator.
**Coquet,** *v. n.* Flirt, philander, make love, make a show of love, affect to be in love, play at courtship.
**Coquetry,** *n.* Flirtation, affectation of love.
**Coquette,** *n.* Flirt, jilt.
**Coquimbite,** *n.* White copperas.
**Coranach,** *n.* [Written also *Coronach* and *Coranick.*] Dirge, funeral song *or* lament.
**Cord,** *n.* String, line, small rope.
**Cordate,** *a.* Cordiform, heart-shaped.
**Cordial,** *a.* I. Hearty, warm, ardent, affectionate, earnest, sincere, heartfelt.
2. Grateful, pleasant, refreshing, invigorating, restorative.
**Cordial,** *n.* I. Stomachic, stomachal, stimulating medicine.
2. Liqueur, aromatized spirit.
**Cordiality,** *n.* Heartiness, sincerity, ardor of affection, warmth of feeling, affectionate regard.
**Cordiform,** *a.* Cordate, heart-shaped.
**Cordwain,** *n.* Spanish *or* Cordovan leather, goatskin.
**Cordwainer,** *n.* Shoemaker.
**Core,** *n* Heart, inner part, inmost part, essential part, essence, centre.
**Coriaceous,** *a.* Leathery, tough.
**Corium,** *n.* I. Leather cuirass.
2. (*Anat.*) Inner skin, true skin, *cutis vera* (*in mammalia*).
**Cork,** *n.* I. Bark of the *Quercus suber*, or cork-tree, epiphlœum.
2. Stopple *or* stopper (*made of cork*).
3. Frost-nail (*in a horse-shoe*).
**Cormorant,** *n.* I. Pelican-like sea-bird (*Phalacrocorax carbo*)
2. Glutton, greedy fellow, belly-god, greedy-gut.
**Cormorant,** *a.* Greedy, rapacious, all-devouring.
**Corn,** *n.* I. Cereal grain.
2. Maize, Indian corn
3. Horny excrescence.
**Corn,** *v. a.* I. Salt moderately, sprinkle with salt.
2. [*U. S., Scotch, and provincial.*] Intoxicate, fuddle, muddle, inebriate, make drunk, make tipsy.
**Corn-crake,** *n.* Daker-hen, land-rail (*Crex pratensis*).
**Corneous,** *a.* Horny, corny.
**Corner,** *n.* I. Angle, bend, elbow, crotch, knee, cusp.
2. Nook, recess, niche, retired place, secret place.
3. Part, quarter.
**Corner,** *v. a* (*Colloq.*) I. Drive into a corner,
2. Nonplus, pose, confound, confuse, puzzle, perplex, put to a stand.
**Corner-wise,** *ad.* Diagonally.
**Cornucopia,** *n.* [L. *pl. Cornucopiæ.*] Horn of plenty.
**Corollary,** *n.* Inference, conclusion, consequence, deduction.
**Coronach,** *n.* [Written also *Coranach* and *Coranick.*] Dirge, funeral song.
**Coronal,** *n.* Crown, garland, wreath, chaplet, laurel, bays.
**Coronation,** *n.* Crowning.
**Corozo nut.** } Ivory nut.
**Corozo nut.** }
**Corporal,** *a.* I. Bodily.
2. Material, physical, corporeal, not spiritual.
**Corporate,** *a.* Incorporated.
**Corporation,** *n.* Incorporated body.
**Corporeal,** *a.* Material, physical, corporal, non-spiritual.
**Corps,** *n.* [Fr.] Body of troops, division of an army.
**Corpse,** *n.* Remains, dead body (*of a human being*), body, corse, carcass (*used in disrespect*).
**Corpulence,** } *n.* Obesity, fleshiness, fatness,
**Corpulency,** } plumpness, *embonpoint*, rotundity.
**Corpulent,** *a.* Fleshy, fat, stout, portly, plump, pursy, obese, rotund.
**Corpuscle,** *n.* Atom, particle, molecule, mite, monad, scrap, bit, grain, jot, iota, tittle, whit, ace, scintilla.
**Corpuscular,** *a.* Molecular, atomic.
**Correct,** *v. a.* I. Rectify, amend, mend, reform, redress, reclaim, make right, set right.
2. Punish, chasten, discipline.
3. Change the quality of (*by something of an opposite character*), modify, improve.
**Correct,** *a.* Faultless, exact, precise, accurate, right, true, proper, free from error, not faulty.
**Correction,** *n.* I. Amendment, improvement, redress.
2. Chastening, punishment, discipline.
3. Change (*in quality, by something opposite*), modification, alteration.
**Corrective,** *a.* Rectifying, reformatory, alterative, modifying, improving, correctory.
**Corrective,** *n.* Modifying agent, corrective agent.
**Correctness,** *n.* Accuracy, exactness, nicety, precision, truth, propriety, faultlessness.
**Correlate,** *n.* Correlative, counterpart, complement, complemental term.
**Correlative,** *a.* Reciprocal, complemental, complementary.
**Correlative,** *n.* See CORRELATE, *n.*
**Correspond,** *v. n.* I. Agree, suit, fit, answer, accord, harmonize, tally, square, comport, cohere, be accordant.
2. Answer, correlate, belong, stand counter, be complemental.
3. Communicate (*by letter*), write letters.
**Correspondence,** *n.* I. Coincidence, concurrence, congruity, fitting relation, reciprocal adaptation.
2. Correlation, complemental relation, counterposition.
3. Intercourse *or* communication by letters, epistolary intercourse.
4. Letters.
**Correspondent,** *a.* I. Adapted, suited, suiting, fitted, suitable, fitting, agreeable, conformable, answerable, corresponding.
2. Corresponding, answering, correlative, belonging, counterposed, complemental, complementary.
**Corresponding,** *a.* Answering. See CORRESPONDENT.
**Corridor,** *n.* Gallery, passage.
**Corroborate,** *v. a.* Strengthen, confirm, establish, sustain, support.
**Corroboration,** *n.* Confirmation.
**Corroborative,** *a.* Confirmatory, corroborating.
**Corrode,** *v. a.* I. Erode, canker, eat away.
2. Consume, waste, wear away, prey upon, impair.
3. Blight, poison, envenom, embitter.
**Corroding,** *a.* Caustic, catheretic. See CORROSIVE.
**Corrosion,** *n.* I. Erosion, eating away.
2. Wasting, wearing away, consuming, gnawing away.
3. Blighting, poisoning, embittering.
**Corrosive,** *a.* I. Corroding, consuming, eroding, erosive, catheretic, caustic, acrid, virulent, eating away.
2. Corroding, wasting, consuming, gnawing wearing

3. Blighting, poisoning, envenoming, embittering, carking.
**Corrosive sublimate.** Bi-chloride of mercury.
**Corrosiveness,** *n.* Causticity, acridness, virulence, acrimony.
**Corrugate,** *v. a.* Wrinkle, cockle, pucker, contract into wrinkles.
**Corrugation,** *n.* 1. Wrinkling, cockling, puckering.
2. Wrinkle, fold, plait.
**Corrupt,** *v. a.* 1. Putrefy, render putrid.
2. Contaminate, taint, defile, pollute, infect, vitiate, spoil.
3. Deprave, demoralize, vitiate, pervert.
4. Debase, falsify, adulterate, sophisticate.
5. Bribe, entice.
**Corrupt,** *a.* 1. Corrupted, infected, spoiled, tainted, putrid, contaminated, unsound.
2. Depraved, wicked, vicious, dissolute, profligate, reprobate, abandoned.
3. Open to bribes, given to bribery, dishonest, false to one's trusts.
**Corruption,** *n.* 1. Putrefaction, putrescence.
2. Defilement, contamination, pollution, infection, vitiation, adulteration, debasement.
3. Depravity, depravation, wickedness, demoralization, immorality, laxity, looseness of morals, want of principle.
4. Bribery, dishonesty, abuse of public trusts.
**Corsair,** *n.* Pirate, buccaneer, picaroon, sea-rover, sea-robber.
**Corse,** *n.* (*Poetical.*) Corpse, remains, dead body (*of a human being*).
**Corset,** *n.* Bodice, stays.
**Cortège,** *n.* [Fr.] Train.
**Coruscate,** *v. n.* Shine, glisten, glitter, gleam, sparkle, twinkle, flash, scintillate.
**Coruscation,** *n.* Flash, sparkle, glitter, gleam, scintillation.
**Corvette,** *n.* [Fr.] Sloop of war.
**Coryphée,** *n.* [Fr.] Ballet-dancer, *danseuse.*
**Coryphæus,** *n.* [L.] Leader, chief, guide, director.
**Cosey,** *a.* [Written also *Cozy* and *Cosy.*]
1. Snug, comfortable, easy.
2. [*Eng.*] Chatty, talkative, social.
**Cosmopolite,** *n.* Citizen of the world, cosmopolitan.
**Cosmos,** *n.* Universe.
**Cosset,** *n.* Pet lamb, hand-reared lamb; pet (*of any kind*).
**Cosset,** *v. a.* Fondle, caress, pet, coddle, make a pet of, make much of.
**Cost,** *v. a.* Require to be paid *or* undergone, take away from.
**Cost,** *n.* 1. Expense, charge, price, outlay.
2. Costliness, preciousness, richness, sumptuousness, splendor.
3. Loss, detriment, damage, pain, suffering.
**Costate,** } *a.* Ribbed.
**Costated,** }
**Costive,** *a.* Constipated.
**Costiveness,** *n.* Constipation.
**Costly,** *a.* 1. Expensive, dear, high-priced, of great price.
2. Rich, sumptuous, precious, splendid, gorgeous.
**Costume,** *n.* Style of dress.
**Cot,** *n.* 1. Hut. See COTTAGE.
2. Low bedstead.
**Coterie,** *n.* Club, association, society, sodality, brotherhood, circle, set (*especially an exclusive one*).
**Cottage,** *n.* Cot, lodge, hut, *casino,* small house.
**Cottager,** *n.* Cotter.
**Cotter,** *n.* Cottager.
**Cotton,** *n.* Cotton-wool, raw cotton.
**Cotton-wood,** *n.* Canadian poplar (*Populus monilifera*).
**Cotton-wool,** *n.* Cotton, raw cotton.
**Couch,** *v. n.* 1. Lie, recline, lie down.
2. Crouch, squat, lie flat.
3. Stoop, bend down.
**Couch,** *v. a.* 1. Express, utter, set forth, clothe in words.
2. Conceal, hide, cover up.
3. Lay (*a spear*) in rest, put in posture of attack.
4. Depress *or* remove (*a cataract*).
**Couch,** *n.* 1. Bed, place for rest.
2. Sofa, lounge, seat to recline on.
**Couchant,** *a.* Squatting, lying down.
**Couch-grass,** *n.* Knot-grass, dog's grass, wheat-grass, witch-grass, dog-wheat, twitch-grass (*Triticum repens*).
**Cougar,** *n.* Puma, panther, catamount, North American tiger (*Felis concolor* or *Puma concolor*).
**Couleur de rose.** [Fr.] 1. Rose-color.
2. Fair appearance, attractive light, flattering aspect.
**Coulter-neb,** *n.* Puffin, Labrador auk (*Alca arctica* or *Fratercula arctica*).
**Council,** *n.* 1. Cabinet, ministry, body of advisers.
2. Assembly (*for consultation*), meeting, congress, diet, synod, convocation, convention.
**Council-chamber,** *n.* Divan, audience-chamber, state-chamber.
**Councillor,** *n.* [Written also *Councilor.*] Member of a council.
**Counsel,** *n.* 1. Consultation, interchange of opinion.
2. Advice, opinion, suggestion, recommendation, instruction, admonition, caution.
3. Deliberation, forethought.
4. Design, plan, scheme, purpose.
5. Counsellor, lawyer, barrister, advocate.
**Counsel,** *v. a.* Advise, admonish, give advice to.
**Counsellor,** *n.* [Written also *Counselor.*]
1. Adviser.
2. Lawyer, barrister, counsel, advocate.
**Count,** *v. a.* 1. Enumerate, number.
2. Calculate, reckon, compute, estimate, cast, cast up.
3. Consider, esteem, regard, deem, hold, judge, think, account, look upon.
**Count,** *v. n.* Add to the number, swell the number, tell.
**Count,** *n.* 1. Reckoning.
2. (*Law.*) Particular clause *or* charge.
**Countenance,** *n.* 1. Aspect, look, mien, expression of the face.
2. Favor, encouragement, patronage, support, aid, assistance, sanction, approbation, approval.
**Countenance,** *v. a.* Approve, sanction, support, aid, abet, assist, favor, encourage, patronize, befriend, stand by, side with, take the side of.
**Counter,** *n.* Reckoner, calculator.
**Counter,** *ad.* Contrary, contrariwise, in opposition to.
**Counteract,** *v. a.* 1. Oppose, contravene, resist, cross, thwart, hinder, check, defeat, frustrate, traverse, run counter to, act against, clash with.
2. Neutralize, destroy the effect of, annul.
**Counteraction,** *n.* Opposition, contravention, resistance, frustration.
**Counteractive,** *n.* Corrective, antidote, cure, remedy, restorative, medicine, counter-agent.
**Counterbalance,** *v. a.* 1. Counterpoise, balance.
2. Countervail, compensate, set off, make up for.
**Counter-current,** *n.* Eddy.
**Counterfeit,** *v. a.* 1. Forge, make a spurious copy of, imitate fraudulently, copy fraudulently.

2. Feign, simulate, sham, put on the appearance of.
3. Imitate, copy.
**Counterfeit,** *a.* 1. Forged, spurious, fraudulent, supposititious.
2. Feigned, false, simulated, sham, mock, spurious, hypocritical, put on, make-believe.
3. Imitated, copied, resembling.
**Counterfeit,** *n.* Forgery, fraudulent copy.
**Counterfeiter,** *n.* 1. Forger, falsifyer.
2. Pretender, feigner.
**Counter-jumper,** *n.* [*In contempt.*] Shopman, shop-keeper, salesman, clerk.
**Countermand,** *v. a.* Revoke, rescind, recall, abrogate, annul, make void.
**Countermarch,** *v. n.* March back, reverse the direction of a march.
**Counterpane,** *n.* Coverlet, coverlid.
**Counterpart,** *n.* 1. Corresponding part.
2. (*Law.*) Duplicate, copy.
3. Correlative, correlate, complement, supplement, reverse (*to obverse*).
4. Match, fellow, mate, tally, twin, the very image.
**Counterpoise,** *v. a.* Counterbalance, balance, countervail.
**Counterpoise,** *n.* Equal weight, neutralizing force.
**Countersign,** *n.* Watchword, password.
**Counter-tenor,** *n.* (*Mus.*) Alto, counter.
**Countervail,** *v. a.* Balance, counterbalance, compensate, make up for.
**Count on.** Depend on, depend upon, rely on, rely upon, count upon.
**Countrified,** *v. a.* Rustic, rude, country.
**Country,** *n.* 1. Region, land, geographical division, political division.
2. Rural parts (*as distinguished from city*).
3. Native land, fatherland, nation, home, abiding habitation.
4. Nation, people, population, inhabitants.
**Country,** *a.* 1. Rustic, rural.
2. Rude, rough, unrefined, unpolished, uncultivated, countrified.
**Countryman,** *n.* 1. Compatriot.
2. Rustic, peasant, swain, farmer, husbandman, clown, hind, boor.
**Count upon.** See COUNT ON.
**County,** *n.* Shire.
**Coup-d'état,** *n.* [Fr.] Master stroke of policy, stroke of, statesmanship, stroke of sudden and forcible usurpation.
**Coup-de-grace,** *n.* [Fr.] Death-blow, decisive blow, finishing stroke, mercy-stroke.
**Coup-de-main,** *n.* [Fr.] Sudden attack, unexpected enterprise *or* assault.
**Coup-d'œil,** *n.* [Fr.] Glance, hasty view, slight view, general view *or* prospect.
**Coup-de-soleil,** *n.* [Fr.] Sunstroke, siriasis, insolation, stroke of the sun, *ictus solis.*
**Couple,** *n.* 1. Brace, pair, two (*of the same kind*).
2. Man and wife, married pair.
3. Link, bond, tie, coupling, leash.
**Couple,** *v. a.* 1. Join, conjoin, connect, unite, pair, link together.
2. Marry, wed.
**Couple,** *v. n.* 1. Unite, pair.
2. Copulate, embrace.
**Couplet,** *n.* Two verses (*especially that rhyme*), pair of rhymes, distich.
**Coupon,** *n.* [Fr.] 1. Interest certificate, interest warrant.
2. Attached certificate (*of any kind*), detachable certificate.
**Courage,** *n.* Fearlessness, bravery, valor, gallantry, prowess, intrepidity, heroism, spirit, resolution, fortitude, hardihood, audacity, audaciousness, boldness, daring, mettle, manhood, pluck, spunk.
**Courageous,** *a.* Fearless, gallant, daring, valorous, chivalrous, valiant, bold, heroic, intrepid, dauntless, resolute, hardy, stout, lion-hearted, with a bold front. See BRAVE.
**Courier,** *n.* Messenger, express, runner.
**Course,** *n.* 1. Race, career.
2. Route, way, track, road.
3. Direction, bearing, point of compass, line of progress, path, track.
4. Round, beat.
5. Progress, process.
6. Regularity, order, succession, turn.
7. Deportment, conduct, behavior, line of conduct, manner of proceeding.
8. Series, system, methodical arrangement.
9. Set of dishes (*at a banquet*).
**Course,** *v. a.* Pursue, hunt, chase, run after, give chase to.
**Course,** *v. n.* Run, move swiftly.
**Courser,** *n.* Racer, race-horse, swift steed.
**Courses,** *n. pl.* Menses, catamenia, menstrual flux, menstrual discharge.
**Court,** *n.* 1. Royal household, princely retinue.
2. Judicial tribunal, court of justice.
3. Courtyard, inclosed area, quadrangle.
4. Solicitation(s), addresses, civilities, flattering attention, respects, homage.
**Court,** *v. a.* 1. Flatter, coddle, try to please, endeavor to ingratiate one's self with, fawn upon, pay court to.
2. Woo, pay one's addresses to, make love to.
3. Seek, solicit, strive to gain.
4. Invite, solicit, woo.
**Courteous,** *a.* Polite, civil, affable, urbane, complaisant, gracious, courtly, ceremonious, debonair, respectful, obliging, well-bred.
**Courteousness,** *n.* Politeness. See COURTESY.
**Courtesan,** *n.* [Written also *Courtezan.*] Prostitute, whore, harlot, strumpet, punk, wench, drab, trull, quean, rig, wanton, frail sister, Cyprian, night-walker, street-walker, lewd woman woman of the town, woman of ill-fame, public woman, demirep, *fille de joie*, Jezebel, Messalina, Delilah, Phryne, Lais, *lorette*, *corotte*, *grisette*, member of the *demi-monde.*
**Courtesy,** *n.* Politeness, courteousness, civility, urbanity, complaisance, affability, good-breeding, elegance of manners.
**Courtesy,** *v. n.* Make a courtesy.
**Courtly,** *a.* Polished, elegant, polite. See COURTEOUS.
**Courtship,** *n.* Wooing.
**Courtyard,** *n.* Court, quadrangle, inclosed area.
**Cousin-german,** *n.* First cousin.
**Cove,** *n.* Inlet, bight, small bay.
**Covenant,** *n.* Agreement, bargain, contract, compact, stipulation, arrangement, treaty, convention, concordat, pact.
**Covenant,** *v n.* Bargain, stipulate, agree, make a stipulation.
**Cover,** *v. a.* 1. Overspread, overlay.
2. Conceal, hide, secrete, cloak, veil, screen, shroud, mask, disguise.
3. Shield, shelter, protect, guard, defend.
4. Clothe, invest, envelop, fold up, inwrap, wrap up.
5. Put a covering on.
6. Comprehend, embrace, include, comprise, contain, embody.
7. Counterbalance, countervail, balance, compensate, make up for, be equal to.
**Cover,** *n.* 1. Covering, tegument, integument, capsule, top, case.
2. Screen, veil, disguise, cloak.

3. Shelter, protection, guard, defence, shield, safeguard.
4. Underwood, underbrush, shrubbery, undergrowth, thicket, woods.
5. Plate, dish.

**Covercle,** *n.* Lid, small cover.

**Covering,** *n.* Cover, tegument, integument, capsule, top, case.

**Coverlet,** } **Coverlid,** } *n.* Counterpane.

**Covert,** *n.* I. Thicket, shade, shrubbery, underwood.
2. Shelter, refuge, asylum, harbor, sanctuary, retreat, defence, hiding-place.

**Covert,** *a.* Hidden, concealed, secret, disguised, clandestine, underhand, sly, insidious, stealthy.

**Covet,** *v. a.* I. Desire, long for, aim after, aspire to.
2. Desire inordinately, long for enviously, lust after, hanker after.

**Covetous,** *a.* Eager, very desirous (*usually in a bad sense, though sometimes in a good sense*), greedy, enviously desirous, inordinately desirous, avaricious.

**Covetousness,** *n.* Avarice, cupidity, inordinate desire *or* greed, greed of gain.

**Covey,** *n.* I. Brood.
2. Flock.
3. Set, company, party, bevy.

**Covin,** } **Covine,** } *n.* (*Law*) Collusion.

**Covinous,** *a.* (*Law.*) Fraudulent, deceitful, dishonest, deceptive, collusive.

**Cow,** *v. a.* Overawe, intimidate, frighten, daunt, abash, discourage, dishearten, break, subdue by fear.

**Coward,** *n.* Dastard, poltroon, craven, recreant, milksop.

**Coward,** *a.* See COWARDLY.

**Cowardice,** *n.* Pusillanimity, poltroonery, timidity, fear, cowardliness, the white feather.

**Cowardliness,** *n.* See COWARDICE.

**Cowardly,** *a.* Pusillanimous, dastardly, craven, fearful, timorous, timid, coward, recreant, base, faint-hearted, chicken-hearted white-livered, showing the white feather.

**Cowardly,** *ad.* Pusillanimously, timorously, basely, meanly, cravenly.

**Cower,** *v. n.* Crouch, cringe, fawn, stoop, squat, bend the knee.

**Cowl,** *n.* I. Hood (*especially of a monk*).
2. Chimney-top.

**Cow-pox,** *n.* Kine-pox.

**Coxcomb,** *n.* Beau, fop, dandy, popinjay, exquisite, jackanapes, *petit-maître*, man of dress; vain, showy fellow.

**Coxcombry,** *n.* Foppishness, vain-glory.

**Coxcombical,** } **Coxcomical,** } *a.* Foppish, conceited, vain, pretentious.

**Coy,** *a.* Modest, diffident, shy, shrinking, timid, bashful, reserved, distant, demure.

**Cozen,** *v. a.* Cheat, trick, defraud, deceive, swindle, chouse, dupe, gull, overreach, circumvent, beguile, victimize, take in, impose upon.

**Cozenage,** *n.* Fraud, deceit, artifice, trickery, deception, imposition, imposture, duplicity, guile, double dealing.

**Cozy,** *a.* [Written also *Cosy* and *Cosey.*] I. Snug, comfortable, easy.
2. [*Eng.*] Chatty, talkative, social, conversable.

**Crabbed,** *a.* I. Sour, tart, rough, acrid.
2. Morose, surly, testy, touchy, cross, growling, snarling, snappish, cantankerous, waspish, petulant, peevish, churlish, harsh, acrimonious, caustic, captious, censorious, splenetic, out of sorts, ill-tempered.
3. Difficult, perplexing, trying, unmanageable, tough, intractable, hard to deal with.

**Crabbedness,** *n.* I. Sourness, roughness, tartness, acridity, acridness.
2. Asperity, acerbity, moroseness, sullenness, moodiness, churlishness, harshness, ill-temper, acrimoniousness,
3. Difficulty, perplexity, intractability.

**Crab-grass,** *n.* Wire-grass, dog's-tail grass (*Eleusine Indica*).

**Crack,** *n.* I. Break, cleft, breach, chink, fissure, crevice, cranny, opening, rift, rent.
2. Report, clap, pop, burst, explosion.
3. Snap (*of a whip*).

**Crack,** *v. a.* I. Break (*partially*).
2. Split, chop, cleave, rend asunder.
3. Snap (*as a whip*).
4. Craze, drive insane, madden.

**Crack,** *v. n.* I. Break, split, burst, chap, open in chinks.
2. [With *of.*] Brag, bluster, vapor, vaunt, boast, gasconade, crow.

**Crack,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Excellent, capital, tiptop, first-rate, first-class.

**Crack-brained,** *a.* Crazy, cracked, insane, crazed.

**Cracked,** *a.* I. Broken, split.
2. Crazed, crazy, crack-brained, insane, demented, deranged, flighty, with a bee in the bonnet, with a bee in the head.

**Cracker,** *n.* I. Hard biscuit.
2. Fire-cracker.

**Crackle,** *v. n.* Decrepitate, crepitate, snap.

**Craft,** *n.* I. Skill, ability, talent, power, cleverness, dexterity, tact, aptitude, aptness, expertness, readiness.
2. Artifice, artfulness, shrewdness, guile, deceit, deceitfulness, deception, subtlety, cunning, craftiness.
3. Art, handicraft, trade, employment, business, vocation, calling, avocation.
4. Vessel.

**Craftsman,** *n.* Artisan, mechanic, artificer, workman, hand, operative, handi-craftsman.

**Crafty,** *a.* Cunning, artful, deceitful, sly, arch, subtle, shrewd, wily, intriguing, tricky, crooked, diplomatic, Machiavelian.

**Crag,** *n.* I. Rough, steep rock.
2. Neck, throat.

**Cragged,** *a.* See CRAGGY.

**Craggy,** *a.* Cragged, rugged, rough, jagged, broken, uneven, scraggy.

**Cram,** *v. a.* I. Stuff, gorge, glut, fill full, fill to repletion.
2. Crowd, press, compress.
3. Prepare for examination, grind, coach.

**Cram,** *v. n.* I. Eat to satiety, eat greedily, stuff, gorge *or* glut one's self, gluttonize.
2. (*Colloq.*) Study for examination.

**Cramp,** *n.* I. Spasm, crick, convulsion.
2. (*Rare.*) Check, restriction, restraint, obstruction.
3. Cramp-iron.
4. Cramping-machine, boot-cramp.

**Cramp,** *v. a.* I. Affect with spasms, convulse.
2. Restrain, obstruct, hinder, check, confine.
3. Fasten with a cramp, confine *or* hold with a cramp *or* cramp-iron.
4. Stretch *or* shape with a cramp, fashion with a boot-cramp.

**Cramp-fish,** *n.* Torpedo, electric ray (*Torpedo vulgaris*).

**Cramp-iron,** *n.* Cramp.

**Cranberry,** *n.* Bog-berry, moor-berry, moss-berry.

**Crane-fly,** *n.* Father-long-legs, daddy-long-legs.

**Crane's-bill,** *n.* Geranium.

**Craniognomy,** *n.* Craniology, phrenology.

**Craniology,** *n.* Craniognomy, phrenology.
**Cranium,** *n.* Skull, brain-pan.
**Crank,** *n.* 1. Turning-handle.
2. Bend, turn, winding, involution, twist, quirk.
3. Twist *or* turn of speech, play upon words, quirk.
**Crank,** *a.* 1. Easy to be overset, unsteady.
2. Shaky, crazy, loose, disjointed.
**Crank,** *v. n.* Bend, wind, turn, twist, wind in and out, crankle, crinkle.
**Crankle,** *v. n.* Crinkle, run in and out. See CRANK.
**Cranny,** *n.* Cleft, crack, fissure, chink, crevice, rift, gap, break, breach, interstice, opening.
**Crapulous,** *a.* (*Rare.*) Crapulent, drunken, drunk, inebriated, intoxicated, surfeited with drink.
**Crash,** *v. a.* Shatter, shiver, smash, dash in pieces, splinter.
**Crash,** *v. n.* 1. Sound splintering *or* shattering.
2. Strike crashing, break (in) with a crash.
**Crash,** *n.* Shattering sound, splintering uproar, rending, shivering noise.
**Crass,** *a.* Gross, coarse, thick, unabated, unrefined, raw.
**Crassament,** *n.* See CRASSAMENTUM.
**Crassamentum,** *n.* [L.] Clot (*of blood*), coagulation.
**Cratch-cradle,** *n.* Cat's cradle, scratch-cradle, cradle.
**Crate,** *n.* Hamper.
**Craunch,** *v. a.* Crunch.
**Cravat,** *n.* Neckcloth, neckerchief, necktie.
**Crave,** *v. a.* 1. Entreat, beseech, beg, solicit, implore, supplicate.
2. Desire, long for, hunger for, wish for, yearn for, hanker after.
**Craven,** *n.* Dastard, coward, poltroon, recreant, milksop.
**Craving,** *n.* Longing, hungering, yearning, hankering, strong desire.
**Craw,** *n.* Crop, first stomach (*of a bird*).
**Crawfish,** *n.* Crayfish, river-lobster.
**Crawl,** *v. n.* Creep.
**Crayfish,** *n.* See CRAWFISH.
**Crayon,** *n.* 1. Pencil.
2. Crayon-drawing.
**Craze,** *v. a.* 1. Make crazy, make insane, madden, drive wild, derange.
2. Impair, weaken, confuse, throw into disorder, disarrange
**Crazy,** *a.* 1. Shattered, broken, tottering, rickety, shaky, crank, worn out, out of order.
2. Insane, distracted, mad, lunatic, demented, deranged, delirious, crack-brained, cracked, crazed, out of one's head, out of one's senses, out of one's wits.
**Cream,** *n.* Choice part, best part.
**Cream-colored,** *a.* Pale yellow.
**Cream of tartar.** Bi-tartrate of potash (*purified*), acid tartrate of potash.
**Create,** *v. a.* 1. Originate, bring into being, call into existence.
2. Produce, cause, occasion, be the occasion of.
3. Make, appoint, constitute.
**Creation,** *n.* 1. Invention, origination.
2. Universe, cosmos.
3. Appointment, constitution, nomination.
**Creator,** *n.* 1. Originator, maker.
2. The First Cause, the Maker, the Supreme Original. See GOD.
**Creature,** *n.* 1. Being (*animate* or *inanimate*), created being.
2. Animal, living being.
3. Man, person.
4. Dependant, retainer, vassal, parasite, minion, hanger-on.
5. Wretch, miscreant, piece of baseness.
**Credence,** *n.* Belief, acceptance, credit, trust, faith, confidence, reliance.
**Credendum,** *n.* [L.] Article of faith, thing to be believed.
**Credentials,** *n. pl.* Testimonials, vouchers, certificates.
**Credibility,** *n.* Trustworthiness, credibleness.
**Credible,** *a.* Trustworthy, reliable, to be believed, worthy of belief, not improbable.
**Credibleness,** *n.* Trustworthiness, credibility.
**Credit,** *n.* 1. Belief, trust, faith, confidence, credence, reliance.
2. Reputableness, esteem, regard, good repute, good reputation, high character.
3. Influence (*of a good name*), power.
4. Merit, honor, proof of desert.
5. Trust (*in future payment*), loan.
6. Money due, securities, evidence of debt (*on the part of others*).
**Credit,** *v. a.* 1. Believe, give faith to, put faith in, rely upon, confide in, doubt not, make no doubt of, take upon credit.
2. Place to the credit of, carry to the credit of one's account, enter upon the credit side.
3. Trust (*for future payment*), loan (*on trust* or *security*).
**Creditable.** *a.* Reputable, honorable, estimable.
**Credulity,** *n.* Ease in believing, readiness to believe (*on slight evidence*), credulousness.
**Credulous,** *a.* Easily convinced, too ready to believe, over-trustful, lax in seeking evidence, easily duped.
**Creed,** *n.* Belief, tenets, dogmas, doctrines, system of opinions, summary of belief, *Credo.*
**Creed-bound,** *a.* Wedded to an opinion *or* a creed, hopelessly prejudiced, irrevocably committed. See BIGOTED.
**Creek,** *n.* 1. Inlet, cove, bight, small bay.
2. Rivulet, small river.
**Creep,** *v. n.* 1. Crawl.
2. Steal, glide stealthily, come unnoticed.
3. Fawn, cringe, play the sycophant.
**Creeping,** *a.* 1. Crawling.
2. Fawning, sycophantic.
3. (*Bot.*) Growing on the ground *or* on supports.
**Cremation,** *n.* Burning (*especially of the dead*).
**Crenate,** / **Crenated,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Notched, indented.
**Crepitate,** *v. n.* Crackle, snap, decrepitate.
**Crescent,** *n.* 1. New moon, moon in her first quarter.
2. Figure of the new moon, lune.
3. Turkish standard.
4. [With *The* prefixed.] Turkish power, Ottoman Empire, Sublime Porte; Mohammedanism, Islamism, Islam.
**Crescent,** *a.* Growing, enlarging, increasing.
**Crescent-shaped,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Lunate, lunated.
**Crest,** *n.* 1. Tuft, plume, comb.
2. Top, crown, summit, ridge, highest part.
3. Armorial bearings, device.
**Crested,** *a* 1. With a crest.
2. (*Bot.*) Cristate.
**Crestfallen,** *a.* Discouraged, disheartened, dispirited, depressed, dejected, desponding, chapfallen, melancholy, sad, down-hearted, downcast, cast down, low-spirited, in low spirits.
**Cretaceous,** *a.* Chalky.
**Crevasse,** *n.* [Fr.] Crevice, gap, opening, break, rent, chasm.
**Crevice,** *n.* Fissure, chink, rift, gap, cleft, crack, cranny, interstice.
**Crew,** *n.* 1. Ship's company.

2. Company, gang, band, set, horde, party, throng, mob, crowd.

**Crib,** *n.* 1. Rack, manger, feeding-place.
2. Bin, bunker.
3. Child's bed.
4. Theft, piece of plunder.
5. (*Colloq.*) Plagiarism.

**Crib,** *v. a.* 1. Enclose (*as in a crib*), cage, encage, confine, imprison, shut up.
2. Pilfer, purloin.

**Crick,** *n.* Spasm, cramp, convulsion.

**Crim. con.** Criminal conversation. See ADULTERY.

**Crime,** *n.* 1. Felony, aggravated misdemeanor, gross offence (*especially against human law*), infraction of law.
2. Sin, transgression, iniquity, wickedness, unrighteousness, wrong, delinquency (*of a violent* or *high-handed nature*).

**Criminal,** *a.* 1. Grossly contrary to law, illegal, felonious, tending to crime, stained by crime.
2. Culpable, guilty, wicked, iniquitous, flagitious.

**Criminal,** *n.* Culprit, delinquent, offender, transgressor, trespasser, malefactor, convict, felon.

**Criminal conversation.** [Abbreviated *Crim. con.*] Adultery.

**Criminality,** *n.* Guiltiness, guilt, culpability.

**Criminate,** *v. a.* 1. Accuse, charge, arraign, impeach, allege to be guilty.
2. Involve in crime, implicate in guilt, show guilty.

**Crimination,** *n.* Accusation, impeachment, arraignment, charge.

**Crimp,** *v. a.* 1. Curl, crisp.
2. Plait, form into ridges.

**Crimp,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Decoyman (*for the military service*), ensnarer, trapanner.

**Cringe,** *v. n.* Crouch, fawn, truckle, sneak, stoop, bend the knee.

**Cringing,** *a.* Crouching, fawning, servile, sneaking, obsequious.

**Crinkle,** *v. n.* 1. Crankle, run in and out, wind, bend
2. Wrinkle, curl, be corrugated.

**Crinkle,** *v. a.* Wrinkle, corrugate, curl.

**Cripple,** *n.* Lame man, lame woman.

**Cripple,** *v. a.* 1. Lame, make lame.
2. Disable, weaken, impair, break down.

**Crisis,** *n.* 1. Acme, height, decisive turn, turning point, critical juncture.
2. Exigency, emergency, juncture, conjuncture, pass, strait, rub, pinch, push, critical situation.

**Crisp,** } *a.* 1. Brittle, friable.
**Crispy,** } 2. Curled, frizzled.

**Crisp,** *v. a.* Twist, curl.

**Crispin,** *n.* Shoemaker, cordwainer, cobbler.

**Cristate,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Crested.

**Criterion,** *n.* Standard, test, touchstone, measure, rule, canon.

**Critic,** *n.* 1. Reviewer, censor, connoisseur, judge, (*of artistic merit*).
2. Censurer, caviller, carper.

**Critical,** *a.* 1. Exact, nice, accurate.
2. Censorious, carping, cavilling, captious.
3. Determining, decisive, crucial, turning, important.
4. Dangerous, hazardous, imminent, momentous, dubious, precarious, ticklish.

**Criticise,** *v. a.* Examine and estimate (*as works of art* or *of literature*), remark upon (*with reference to merits and defects*), pass judgment upon.

**Criticism,** *n.* 1. Art of criticising.
2. Critique, strictures, animadversion, review, critical remarks.

**Critique,** *n.* Criticism, review, critical examination, critical remarks, critical notice.

**Croak,** *v. n.* 1. Talk croakingly, talk hoarsely, mumble and groan.
2. Forebode, cry things down, be depreciatory, take a gloomy view of things.

**Croaker,** *n.* Decrier, depreciator, one that takes a gloomy view, alarmist, foreboder.

**Crock,** *n.* 1. Earthen jar, pot, piece of crockery.
2. Low seat, stool.
3. Soot, smut.

**Crock,** *v. a.* Blacken (*with soot*), soil, smut.

**Crockery,** *n.* Earthen-ware.

**Crocodile tears.** Affected tears, hypocritical sorrow, dissembled grief.

**Crone,** *n.* 1. Old woman (*in contempt*).
2. Old ewe.
3. Garrulous old man, aged gabbler *or* twaddler.

**Crony,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Associate, intimate friend, bosom friend, bosom companion.

**Crook,** *n.* 1. Bend, flexure, curvature, turn.
2. Bent staff, shepherd's crook, bishop's crook *or* staff.
3. Trick, artifice, machination.

**Crook,** *v. a.* Bend, curve, incurvate, bow, inflect, make crooked.

**Crook,** *v. n.* Bend, curve, become crooked, wind, turn.

**Crooked,** *a.* 1. Bent, curved, bowed, winding.
2. Distorted, twisted, wry, awry, askew, deformed, disfigured.
3. Perverse, contumacious, self-willed, capricious, froward.
4. Dishonest, unfair, dishonorable, knavish, unscrupulous, deceitful, tricky, insidious, crafty, intriguing, diplomatic, Machiavelian.

**Croon,** *v. a.* Hum, sing softly, sing in a low tone.

**Croon,** *n.* 1. Murmur, moan.
2. Simple melody.

**Crop,** *n.* 1. Harvest.
2. Craw, first stomach (*of a bird*).

**Crop,** *v. a.* 1. Lop, clip, cut off.
2. Gather, pluck, pick.
3. Browse, nibble, feed upon.

**Crosier,** *n.* Pastoral staff (*of an archbishop*).

**Cross,** *n.* 1. Gibbet (*made of pieces of wood placed transversely*).
2. [With *The* prefixed.] Gospel, Christian doctrine, Christian religion, Christianity; Christendom.
3. Trial, vexation, trouble, affliction, misfortune.
4. Intermixture (*of species*).

**Cross,** *a.* 1. Transverse, lying athwart.
2. Fretful, peevish, petulant, pettish, snappish, waspish, touchy, testy, crusty, churlish, crabbed, captious, ill-natured, morose, sulky, sullen, spleeny, surly, cynical, snarling, sour, ill-tempered, out of humor, out of temper, grouty (*colloq.*).

**Cross,** *v. a.* 1. Put across, put athwart.
2. Mark with a line *or* lines across.
3. Traverse, pass over, go over.
4. Thwart, hinder, obstruct, interfere with.
5. Intermix, interbreed.

**Cross-barred,** *a.* Cancellated.

**Crosses,** *n. pl.* Vexations, misfortunes, troubles, trials, afflictions.

**Cross-examine,** *v. a.* Cross-question.

**Cross-grained,** *a.* Stubborn, obdurate, untractable, perverse, wayward, headstrong, refractory.

**Crossing,** *n.* Intersection.

**Cross-question,** *v. a.* Cross-examine.

**Crosswise,** *ad.* Across, transversely, over.

**Crotch,** *n.* Fork, angle, corner.

**Crotchet,** *n.* Whim, freak, quirk, vagary, whimsey, fancy, caprice, maggot in the brain.
**Crotchety,** *a.* Whimsical, fantastic, fantastical, odd, queer, fanciful, capricious, humorsome, wayward, fitful, freakish.
**Crouch,** *v. n.* I. Couch, squat, lie flat, stoop low, lie close to the ground.
2. Cower, cringe, fawn, truckle.
**Croup,** *n.* I. Rump (*especially of a horse*), buttocks, crupper.
2. (*Med.*) Cynanche (*trachealis*).
**Crow,** *v. n.* Boast, brag, vaunt, bluster, swagger, vapor, triumph, gasconade, chuckle, exult.
**Crowd,** *n.* I. Throng, multitude, concourse, host, herd, horde.
2. Rabble, mob, populace, vulgar herd, lower classes, lower orders, common people, *ignobile vulgus, profanum vulgus.*
**Crowd,** *v. a.* I. Fill by compression, fill to excess.
2. Compress, cram, press, press together.
3. Throng about, press upon.
**Crowd,** *v. n.* I. Swarm, flock together, be numerous, come thick.
2. Press forward, make one's way, elbow one's way.
**Crown,** *n.* I. Diadem.
2. Royalty, kingly power, sovereignty.
3. Coronet, coronal, garland, chaplet, wreath, laurel, bays.
4. Dignity, honor, reward, recompense, honorary distinction.
5. Top, summit, crest.
**Crown,** *v. a.* I. Put a crown upon, invest with a crown.
2. Adorn, dignify, honor.
3. Recompense, reward, requite.
4. Perfect, complete, finish, consummate.
**Crowning,** *a.* Perfecting, finishing, consummating, completing, supremely dignifying.
**Crown-law,** *n.* [*Eng.*] Criminal law.
**Crown-post,** *n.* King-post.
**Crown-wheel,** *n.* Contrate-wheel.
**Crucial,** *a.* I. Transverse, intersecting.
2. Severe, searching, trying, decisive, critical.
**Cruciate,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Cruciform, cross-shaped.
**Cruciform,** *a.* Cross-shaped, cruciate.
**Crucify,** *v. a.* I. Put to death upon the cross.
2. Torture, sacrifice, immolate, annihilate, exterminate.
3. Subdue (*as the passions, by Christian principles*), overcome, mortify.
**Crude,** *a.* I. Raw, uncooked, undressed, in a raw state.
2. Immature, unripe, harsh.
3. Coarse, unrefined.
4. Unpremeditated, indigested, immature, unpolished, rude, uncouth, awkward.
**Crudeness,** *n.* Rawness, crudity, coarseness, immaturity, awkwardness.
**Crudity,** *n.* Rawness. See CRUDENESS.
**Cruel,** *a.* I. Unmerciful, inhuman, merciless, unfeeling, uncompassionate, fell, dire, ruthless, barbarous, pitiless, relentless, unrelenting, inexorable, savage, ferocious, brutal, sanguinary, truculent, blood-thirsty, hard-hearted.
2. Severe, hard, sharp, bitter.
**Cruelty,** *n.* Inhumanity, barbarity, ruthlessness, brutality, brutishness, ferocity, savageness, truculence, blood-thirstiness.
**Cruet,** *n.* Vial, cruse, caster.
**Cruet-stand,** *n.* Casters, castor.
**Cruise,** *v. n.* Rove over the sea, sail about.
**Cruise,** *n.* Roving voyage.
**Crumble,** *v. a.* Crush, break to pieces, disintegrate, reduce to fragments.
**Crumble,** *v. n.* I. Fall to pieces, break into pieces, become disintegrated.
2. Perish, fall into decay.
**Crumple,** *v. a.* Wrinkle, rumple.
**Cruse,** *n.* Vial, cruet, caster.
**Crush,** *v. a.* I. Compress, squeeze, bruise, contuse.
2. Break in pieces, crumble, disintegrate, comminute, bray.
3. Demolish, break down, shatter, raze.
4. Overpower, overcome, overwhelm, subdue, quell, conquer.
**Crust,** *n.* Incrustation, hard coating.
**Crustacea,** *n. pl.* See CRUSTACEANS.
**Crustacean,** *a.* Crustaceous.
**Crustaceans,** *n. pl.* Shell-fish (*with thin, jointed shells, like the lobster*).
**Crustaceous,** *a.* Crustacean.
**Crusty,** *a.* Touchy, testy, pettish, waspish, snappish, peevish, fretful, petulant, churlish, crabbed, froward, surly, morose, cynical, snarling, ill-tempered. See CROSS.
**Cry,** *v. n.* I. Exclaim, clamor, call, make an outcry, cry out.
2. Weep, sob, shed tears.
3. Vociferate, shout, hoot, yell, roar, bawl, squall, scream.
**Cry,** *v. a.* Proclaim, publish, make public, make proclamation of, blazon, blaze abroad.
**Cry,** *n.* I. Exclamation, ejaculation, outcry, acclamation.
2. Plaint, lament, lamentation, crying, weeping.
3. Scream, shriek, screech, howl, yell, roar, bawl.
4. Pack (*of hounds*).
**Cry down.** Decry, depreciate, condemn.
**Crying,** *n.* Weeping, lamentation.
**Crying,** *a.* I. Weeping, lamenting.
2. Notorious, great, enormous, heinous, flagrant, nefarious.
**Cry out.** Exclaim, clamor.
**Cry out against.** Blame, censure, condemn, complain of.
**Crypt,** *n.* Vault, tomb, catacomb.
**Cry up.** Extol, commend, praise, laud.
**Cub,** *n.* I. Whelp, young beast (*especially a young bear*).
2. [*In contempt.*] Child, young boy *or* young girl, brat.
**Cube,** *n.* I. Regular hexahedron.
2. Third power.
**Cube,** *v. a.* Raise to the third power.
**Cubeb,** *n.* Java pepper (*Piper cubeba*), cubeb-pepper.
**Cucking-stool,** *n.* Castigatory, trebuchet, tumbrel, ducking-stool.
**Cuckoo-bud,** *n.* Butter-cup, king's-cup, butter-flower, gold-cup (*Ranunculus bulbosa*).
**Cuckoo-spittle,** *n.* Froth-spit.
**Cucullate,** } *a.* I. Hooded, cowled.
**Cucullated,** } 2. Hood-shaped.
**Cudden,** *n.* I. (*Obsolete.*) Clown, stupid rustic.
2. Coal-fish, cuddy (*Gadus carbonarius* or *Merlangus carbonarius*).
**Cuddle,** *v. n.* Snuggle, nestle, squat, lie close, lie snug, move close together.
**Cuddle,** *v. a.* Hug, embrace, fondle, fold warmly up.
**Cuddy,** *n.* I. Cabin (*in the fore-part of a boat*).
2. Cudden, coal-fish.
3. Ass, donkey.
4. Dolt, clown, stupid fellow.
**Cudgel,** *n.* Club, bludgeon.
**Cudgel,** *v. a.* Cane, drub, thrash, baste, beat with a cudgel. See BEAT.
**Cudweed,** *n.* Everlasting, goldylocks, immortelle.

**Cue,** *n.* I. Hint, suggestion, intimation, catch-word, wink, nod.
2. Rod (*in billiards*).
**Cuff,** *n.* Blow, stroke, box, slap.
**Cuff,** *v. a.* Beat, strike, buffet, box, slap.
**Cui bono.** [L.] For whose benefit, of what use.
**Cuirass,** *n.* Breastplate.
**Cuisine,** *n.* [Fr.] I. Kitchen, cooking department.
2. Cookery, style of cooking.
**Cul-de-sac,** *n.* [Fr.] Blind alley.
**Culinary,** *a.* Cooking, kitchen.
**Cull,** *v. a.* I. Select, elect, choose, pick, single out, fix upon, pitch upon, pick out.
2. Gather, pluck, collect, pick up.
**Cully,** *n.* Dupe, gull, cat's paw, credulous person.
**Cully,** *v. a.* Cheat, trick, dupe, gull, chouse, deceive, delude, overreach, cozen, circumvent, beguile, impose upon.
**Culm,** *n.* I. Stalk (*of corn, grasses, etc.*), stem.
2. Glance-coal, blind-coal, hard-coal, anthracite (*in small particles*).
**Culminate,** *v. n.* I. Be on the meridian.
2. Reach the highest point, be at the highest point.
**Culpability,** *n.* Blamableness, culpableness, blame, sinfulness, criminality.
**Culpable,** *a.* Blamable, censurable, reprehensible, faulty, blameworthy, wrong.
**Culpableness,** *n.* See CULPABILITY.
**Culprit,** *n.* Criminal, malefactor, delinquent, felon.
**Cult,** *n.* I. Homage, worship.
2. System *or* mode of worship, ceremonial, religious ceremonial, ritual.
**Cultivate,** *v. a.* I. Till, prepare for crops, raise crops from, improve by husbandry.
2. Improve, refine, elevate, civilize, meliorate, make better, train, discipline, develop.
3. Study, investigate, pursue, search into.
4. Foster, cherish, promote, nourish, patronize.
**Cultivation,** *n.* I. Tillage, agriculture, husbandry, culture.
2. Improvement, refinement, elevation, civilization, culture.
3. Study, pursuit, investigation.
4. Fostering, cherishing, nourishing, promotion, patronage.
**Culture,** *n.* I. Agriculture, tillage.
2. Improvement, refinement, cultivation, civilization.
**Cumber,** *v. a.* I. Overload, oppress, clog, hamper, obstruct, encumber.
2. Distract, trouble, embarrass, perplex, plague, harass, worry, torment.
**Cumbersome,** *a.* I. Burdensome, embarrassing, troublesome, vexatious, cumbrous.
2. Unwieldy, unmanageable, clumsy, awkward, inconvenient.
**Cumbrous,** *a.* Burdensome. See CUMBERSOME.
**Cumulative,** *a.* Continually increasing, successively gaining in force.
**Cuneate,** } *a.* Cuneiform, wedge-shaped.
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**Cuneiform,** *a.* Cuneate, wedge-shaped.
**Cunner,** *n.* I. (*Conch.*) Limpet (*Patella*).
2. (*Ich.*) Conner, burgall, blue perch, chogset.
**Cunning,** *a.* I. Crafty, artful, sly, astute, subtle, wily, shrewd, sharp, designing, intriguing, deceitful, tricky, crooked, diplomatic, Machiavelian.
2. Skilfully wrought, ingenious, curious.
3. [*Archaic* or *poetical.*] Skilled, dexterous, skilful.
**Cunning,** *n.* I. Craft, art, shrewdness, subtlety, artifice.
2. Craftiness, craft, artifice, deceit, deception, subtlety, intrigue, chicane, chicanery.
**Cup,** *n.* I. Chalice, beaker, goblet, bowl.
2. Draught, potion, cupful.
3. Lot, portion.
4. Cupping-glass.
**Cupboard,** *n.* Buffet, china-closet, closet.
**Cupful,** *n.* Cup.
**Cupidity,** *n.* I. Longing, hankering, greed, lust, strong desire.
2. Avarice, covetousness, inordinate desire of wealth.
**Cupping-glass,** *n.* Cup.
**Cups,** *n. pl.* Orgies, revels, bacchanals, carousal, wassail, compotation, drinking-bout.
**Curative,** *a.* Remedial, sanatory.
**Curator,** *n.* Guardian, custodian, superintendent, keeper.
**Curb,** *n.* I. Restraint, hindrance, bridle. See CHECK, I.
2. Curb-stone, edge-stone.
3. Breast-wall, retaining-wall.
**Curb,** *v. a.* Check, restrain, control, repress, bridle, put under restraint, keep under, hold in check.
**Curb-roof,** *n.* Mansard-roof, gambrel-roof.
**Curb-stone,** *n.* Curb, edge-stone.
**Curcuma paper.** Turmeric paper.
**Curd,** *n.* Caseine, coagulum of milk, coagulated milk.
**Curd,** *v. a.* I. Coagulate, convert into curds.
2. Thicken, coagulate, stiffen, chill, congeal.
**Curd,** *v. n.* I. Coagulate, turn to curds.
2. Thicken, coagulate, stiffen, chill, congeal.
**Curdle,** *v. a.* and *v. n.* See CURD, *v. a.* and *v. n.*
**Curdy,** *a.* Coagulated, curd-like, full of curds.
**Cure,** *n.* I. Remedy, antidote, restorative, reparative, corrective, help, specific.
2. Healing, restoration.
3. Remedial treatment, method of treatment, therapy.
4. Spiritual charge *or* treatment, curacy.
**Cure,** *v. a.* I. Remedy, heal.
2. Restore to health.
3. Preserve (*from putrefaction*), prepare for preservation.
**Curiosity,** *n.* I. Inquisitiveness.
2. Phenomenon, wonder, marvel, rarity, sight, spectacle.
**Curious,** *a.* I. Inquisitive, scrutinizing, prying, peering.
2. Rare, singular, strange, unusual, unique, extraordinary, queer, out of the way.
3. Elegant, neat, nice, finished, skilful, cunning, well-wrought.
**Curl,** *n.* I. Ringlet.
2. Sinuosity, winding, undulation, flexure, wave, waving.
**Curl,** *v. a.* I. Crisp, turn in ringlets.
2. Writhe, wind, twist.
3. Raise in waves.
**Curl,** *v. n.* Be bent into curls *or* waves, ripple, wind, twist, turn, writhe.
**Curl-cloud,** *n.* (*Meteor.*) Cirrus, cat's tail, mare's tail.
**Curmudgeon,** *n.* Miser, niggard, churl, hunks, skinflint, scrimp, lickpenny, screw, mean fellow, sordid wretch.
**Currency,** *n.* I. Publicity, general reception.
2. Circulation, transmission from hand to hand.
3. Money; aggregate of coin, bills and notes; circulating medium.
**Current,** *a.* I. Common, general, popular, rife, generally received, in every one's mouth.
2. Circulating (*as money*), passing from hand to hand.
3. Present, existing, instant, now passing.
**Current,** *n.* I. Stream, moving volume (*of fluid*).
2. Tide, running water.
3. Course, progression.

**Currently,** *ad.* Generally, commonly, publicly, popularly.
**Curriculum,** *n* Course of studies.
**Curry,** *n.* 1. Curry-sauce.
2. Curry-powder.
3. Curried dish, curried stew, curried meat.
**Curry,** *v. a.* 1. Dress (*tanned leather*).
2. Comb, clean with a comb *or* currycomb.
3. Beat, drub, thrash, cudgel.
4. Cook *or* flavor with curry.
**Curry-powder,** *n.* Curry.
**Curse,** *v. a.* 1. Execrate, anathematize, denounce, invoke *or* imprecate evil upon, imprecate, maledict.
2. Blast, blight, doom, destroy, bring a curse upon.
3. Injure, vex, harass, torment, torture, scourge, plague, afflict, annoy.
**Curse,** *v. n.* Utter curses.
**Curse,** *n.* 1. Malediction, anathema, execration, imprecation, fulmination, denunciation, ban.
2. Scourge, plague, torment, affliction, trouble, vexation, annoyance, bitter pill, thorn in the side.
3. Sentence, condemnation, condemning sentence, ban, penalty.
**Cursed,** *a.* 1. Accursed, blighted, banned, curse-laden.
2. Detestable, hateful, abominable, execrable, villanous.
3. Scourging, plaguing, tormenting, annoying, troublesome, vexatious, confounded (*colloq.*), plaguy (*colloq.*).
**Cursory,** *a.* Hasty, slight, superficial, careless, desultory, transient, passing, brief.
**Curt,** *a.* 1. Short, brief, concise, terse, laconic.
2. Short and dry, crusty, snappish, short and rude, tart.
**Curtail,** *v. a.* 1. Shorten, abridge, retrench, lop, cut short.
2. Diminish, lessen, decrease.
**Curtailment,** *n.* Abbreviation, abridgment, contraction, shortening, reduction, retrenchment, cutting off *or* down.
**Curvature,** *n.* 1. Bending, bend, flexure, crook, curvity, curve, incurvation, arcuation.
2. Rate of curvature *or* inflection.
**Curve,** *n.* Bend. See CURVATURE, 1.
**Curve,** *v a.* and *v. n.* Bend, crook, inflect, turn, wind.
**Curvet,** *v. n.* 1. Leap, bound, vault.
2. Caper, frisk.
**Curvet,** *n.* 1. Leap, bound.
2. Caper, frolic, prank.
**Curvity,** *n.* See CURVATURE, 1.
**Cushat,** *n.* Ring-dove, wood-pigeon (*Columba palumbus*).
**Cusk,** *n.* Torsk, tusk (*Brosmius vulgaris*).
**Cusp,** *n.* Point, angle, horn.
**Cuspidate,** } *a.* (*Bot.*) Pointed, acute, sharp,
**Cuspidated,** } acuminate, acuminated.
**Custodian,** *n.* Guardian, keeper, curator, warden, superintendent.
**Custody,** *n.* 1. Keeping, care, watch, guardianship, protection, safe-keeping.
2. Confinement, imprisonment, prison, durance, durese.
**Custom,** *n.* 1. Habit (*of a majority*), usage, fashion, practice, rule, consuetude, wont. See HABIT.
2. Form, formality, observance.
3. Patronage.
4. Tax, impost, duty, tribute, toll.
**Customary,** *a.* Usual, common, wonted, habitual, accustomed, conventional, consuetudinary.
**Customer,** *n.* Purchaser, buyer, patron.
**Cut,** *v. a.* 1. Divide *or* sever (*by an edged tool*), chop, make an incision in, wound (*with a cutting instrument*).
2. Sculpture, carve, chisel.
3. Cross, intersect.
4. Wound, hurt, touch, move, pierce.
5. (*Colloq.*) Slight (*by not recognizing*), avoid recognizing.
**Cut,** *n.* 1. Gash, incision.
2. Channel, passage.
3. Slice, piece.
4. Sarcasm, fling, taunt, cutting remark.
5. Fashion, style, form, shape.
6. Path, way.
7. Engraving, engraved picture.
**Cut a dash.** Make a display *or* great figure, make a show, show off, cut a figure.
**Cut a figure.** See CUT A DASH.
**Cut and dried.** Prepared beforehand, got up for the occasion.
**Cut capers.** Frolic, be merry, be frolicsome, play pranks, cut didos.
**Cutch,** *n.* Catechu, gambier, Japan earth, Terra Japonica.
**Cut didos.** See CUT CAPERS.
**Cut down.** 1. Fell.
2. Diminish, lessen, abridge, abbreviate, curtail, retrench.
**Cuticle,** *n.* Epidermis, scarf-skin.
**Cutis,** *n.* (*Anat.*) Derm, true skin.
**Cut out.** 1. Remove (*by cutting*), excise.
2. Shape, form, fashion, contrive, prepare, lay out, plan.
3. Outdo, excel, surpass, take precedence of. See BEAT.
4. Debar, hinder, prevent.
**Cutpurse,** *n.* Pickpocket, thief, robber.
**Cut short.** 1. Bring to a sudden close, end abruptly.
2. Check suddenly, hinder from proceeding.
3. Abridge, diminish.
**Cut-throat,** *n.* Murderer, assassin, ruffian, bravo.
**Cutting,** *a.* 1. Sharp, keen.
2. Severe, sarcastic, satirical, wounding.
**Cycle,** *n.* Period, circle of time, revolution of time, round of years.
**Cyclopædia,** *n.* Encyclopædia.
**Cyclopean,** *a.* Gigantic, colossal, vast, enormous, immense, Herculean.
**Cygnet,** *n.* Young swan.
**Cymbiform,** *a.* Boat-shaped.
**Cynanche,** *n.* [Gr.] (*Med.*) Inflammation of the throat.
**Cynic,** *n.* 1. Follower of Diogenes.
2. Misanthrope, man-hater.
**Cynical,** *a.* 1. Carping, censorious, satirical, sarcastic, captious, snarling, snappish, waspish, pettish, petulant, fretful, peevish, touchy, testy, crusty, churlish, crabbed, cross, morose, surly, ill-tempered, ill-natured.
2. Contemptuous, derisive, scornful, bitterly unbelieving, pessimistic, misanthropic.
**Cynosure,** *n.* 1. Lesser Bear, Ursa Minor.
2. Point *or* centre of attraction.
**Cyprian,** *n.* Prostitute, harlot, whore, drab, strumpet, night-walker, lewd woman, woman of the town, woman of ill-fame. See COURTESAN.
**Cyst,** *n.* Pouch, sac.
**Czar,** *n.* [Written also *Tsar.*] Emperor of Russia, Autocrat of all the Russias.
**Czarevna,** *n.* Wife of the Czarowitz.
**Czarina,** *n.* Empress of Russia.
**Czarowitz,** *n.* Czar's eldest son, Czarevitch *or* Czarewitch.

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**Dab,** *v. a.* I. Strike, slap, box.
2. Pat, strike gently.
**Dab,** *n.* I. Blow, stroke, pat.
2. Lump, pat, lumpy mass.
3. Salt-water flounder, fluke.
4. (*Colloq.*) Adept, expert, proficient, master-hand, capital hand, nice hand, good hand, dabster (*colloq.*).
**Dabble,** *v. a.* Wet, spatter, sprinkle, moisten, dip, soak.
**Dabble,** *v. n.* I. Play in water, splash about.
2. Work superficially, make slight efforts, fritter away time.
3. Tamper, meddle, take liberties.
**Dabbler,** *n.* Sciolist, quack, superficial meddler.
**Dabchick,** *n.* Didapper, dobchick, little grebe (*Podiceps minor*).
**Dabster,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Expert, adept, dab.
**Dace,** *n.* Dar, dare, dart (*Leuciscus vulgaris*).
**Dad,** / **Daddy,** *n.* [*Childish terms.*] Father.
**Daddy-long-legs,** *n.* I. Father-long-legs, crane-fly.
2. Shepherd-spider, harvest-man.
**Dado,** *n.* Die, cube of a pedestal.
**Dædalian,** *a.* Intricate, maze-like, mazy, dædal.
**Daffadilly,** / **Daffadowndilly,** *n.* Daffodil, narcissus.
**Daffodil,** *n.* Narcissus, daffadilly, daffadowndilly, affodil, asphodel (*in the early English poets inaccurately*).
**Daft,** *a.* [*Scotch.*] I. Stupid, silly, foolish, delirious, insane, absurd.
2. Playful, frolicsome, mirthful, merry, sportive.
**Dagger,** *n.* Poniard, dirk, stiletto.
**Daggle,** *v. a.* Draggle, bemire, befoul, soil, dirty.
**Daggle-tail,** *n.* Slattern, slut, sloven, draggle-tail, slovenly person.
**Daily,** *a.* Diurnal, quotidian.
**Dainty,** *a.* I. Delicious, savory, nice, delicate, tender, palatable, luscious, toothsome.
2. Elegant, delicate, beautiful, neat, fine.
3. Fastidious, squeamish, scrupulous, over-nice.
**Dainty,** *n.* Delicacy, tidbit, titbit, nice bit, choice morsel, delicate morsel.
**Dale,** *n.* Vale, valley, bottom, dell, glen, dingle.
**Dalliance,** *n.* Caressing, fondling, endearments, billing and cooing.
**Daily,** *v. n.* I. Trifle, dawdle, lose time, waste time, idle away time, fritter away time.
2. Fondle, toy, interchange caresses.
**Daltonism,** *n.* Color-blindness.
**Dam,** *n.* Mother (*of a beast*), female parent.
**Damage,** *n.* Injury, harm, hurt, detriment, mischief, loss.
**Damage,** *v. a.* Injure, impair, hurt, harm, mar.
**Damages,** *n. pl.* Indemnity, satisfaction, fine, forfeiture.
**Damask-plum,** *n.* Damson.
**Dame,** *n.* Mistress, matron, lady, madam.
**Damn,** *v. a.* I. Condemn, judge to be guilty.
2. (*Theol.*) Doom to perdition, doom to eternal punishment, punish eternally.
3. Condemn, doom, put down, ruin, kill (*all in a metaphorical sense, as applied to a play, writing*, or *cause*).
**Damnable,** *a.* Odious, detestable, execrable, hateful, abominable, outrageous, atrocious, cursed, accursed.
**Damnatory,** *a.* Condemnatory.
**Damp,** *n.* I. Moisture, vapor, fog, dampness, dank.
2. Noxious exhalation, choke-damp *or* fire-damp.
3. Depression, dejection, chill.
**Damp,** *a.* Moist, humid, dank, wet.
**Damp,** *v. a.* I. Moisten, dampen.
2. Check, repress, restrain, moderate, allay, abate.
3. Chill, cool, deaden, depress, deject.
**Dampen,** *v. a.* Moisten, damp.
**Damper,** *n.* I. Check, hindrance, obstacle, impediment, lion in the way.
2. Discouragement, depression, depressing influence, damp, wet blanket, cold water.
**Dampness,** *n.* Moisture. See DAMP, *n.*
**Damsel,** *n.* Maiden, maid, girl, lass, lassie, miss, young lady.
**Damson,** *n* Damask-plum.
**Dance,** *n.* Measured movement, figured and rhythmic motion, "poetry of motion."
**Dance,** *v. n.* I. Step rhythmically, move to music, take part in a dance.
2. Frisk, caper, hop about.
**Dance,** *v. a.* Dandle, toss up and down.
**Dance attendance.** Stand and wait (*obsequiously*), wait upon.
**Dandiprat,** *n.* Dwarf, little fellow.
**Dandle,** *v. a.* I. Dance, toss up and down.
2. Fondle, caress, pet, amuse with trifles, play with.
**Dandruff,** *n.* Scurf (*on the head*).
**Dandy,** *n.* I. Beau, fox, coxcomb, exquisite, popinjay, macaroni, jackanapes, jack-a-dandy, man of dress, man milliner, vain fellow, *cicisbeo.*
2. Sloop-rigged vessel.
3. Boatman, waterman (*on the Ganges*).
4. Dandy-roller (*in paper-machine*).
**Dandy-fever,** *n.* Dengue, break-bone fever.
**Dandyism,** *n.* Foppishness, foppery, man millinery.
**Danger,** *n.* Peril, hazard, risk, jeopardy, venture.
**Dangerous,** *a.* Perilous, hazardous, unsafe, critical, ticklish, risky, full of risk.
**Dangle,** *v. n.* I. Swing, hang loose, hang pendulous.
2. Fawn, hang about, be obsequious.
**Dangle,** *v. a.* Swing, make oscillate, wave pendulously.
**Dank,** *a.* Moist, damp, humid, wet.
**Dank,** *n.* See DAMP, *n.*
**Dapper,** *a.* I. Active, lively, brisk, agile, nimble, spry, smart, quick, alert, ready.
2. Spruce, nice, neat, trim, pretty.
**Dapple,** *a.* Variegated, spotted, dappled.
**Dapple,** *v. a.* Variegate, spot, diversify.
**Dare,** *v. n.* Venture, presume, make bold, have courage, be bold enough, be not afraid.
**Dare,** *v. a.* Brave, defy, challenge.
**Dare-devil,** *n.* Desperado, rash adventurer, reckless *or* desperate fellow.
**Dare-devil,** *a.* Reckless, rash, inconsiderate.
**Daring,** *a.* Bold, adventurous, fearless, brave, intrepid, valorous, valiant, courageous, gallant, chivalrous, doughty, heroic, undaunted, dauntless.
**Daring,** *n.* Boldness, intrepidity, valor. See BRAVERY, COURAGE.
**Dark,** *a.* I. Unilluminated, unenlightened, dusky, shadowy, rayless, sunless, darksome, lurid,

murky, cloudy, shady, overcast, black, ebon, Cimmerian, pitchy.
2. Mysterious, obscure, incomprehensible, unintelligible, enigmatical, mystic, mystical, recondite, occult, transcendental, abstruse, cabalistic.
3. Gloomy, disheartening, discouraging, cheerless, dismal.
4. Untaught, ignorant, unlettered, rude, darkened, benighted.
5. Wicked, atrocious, infamous, foul, nefarious, flagitious, horrible, damnable, vile, infernal.

**Dark,** *n.* I. Darkness, obscurity, want of light.
2. Concealment, secrecy, privacy.
3. Ignorance, blindness, want of knowledge.

**Darken,** *v. a.* I. Obscure, cloud, dim, shade, shadow, make dark, make dim.
2. Gloom, make gloomy, sadden, depress, damp, chill.
3. Benight, make ignorant, stultify, stupefy.
4. Perplex, obscure, make intricate.
5. Sully, stain, dull, dim, defile.

**Darken,** *v. n.* Grow dark.

**Darkling,** *a.* In the dark, obscure, mysterious, mystic, hidden, concealed.

**Darkness,** *n.* I. Obscurity, dimness, dark, want of light.
2. Ignorance, blindness, want of knowledge.
3. Gloom, despondency, cheerlessness, joylessness.

**Darksome,** *a.* Obscure, gloomy. See DARK.

**Darling,** *n.* Favorite, idol, pet, dear, love, sweetheart, dear one.

**Darling,** *a.* Favorite, beloved, dear, precious, much loved.

**Dart,** *v. a.* I. Hurl, throw, launch, jaculate, let fly.
2. Emit, shoot, send off.

**Dart,** *v. n.* Rush, fly swiftly, spring.

**Darter,** *n.* (*Ornith.*) Snake-bird.

**Dartre,** *n.* [Fr.] Herpes, tetter.

**Dartrous,** *a.* Herpetic.

**Dash,** *v. a.* I. Strike violently, hurl forcibly.
2. Adulterate, deteriorate (*by mixture*), alloy, mingle, mix.
3. Suffuse, overspread, discolor, color.
4. Disappoint, frustrate, thwart, ruin, destroy, shatter, spoil.
5. Surprise, confound, abash, put to shame.

**Dash,** *v. n.* Rush, dart, fly swiftly.

**Dash,** *n.* I. Stroke, blow.
2. Rush, onset, sudden advance.
3. Infusion, tinge, tincture, sprinkling, spice, touch, smack, little, small quantity.
4. Spirit, vigor, *élan.*
5. Flourish, show, ostentatious display.

**Dash-board,** *n.* Dasher.

**Dasher,** *n.* Dash-board.

**Dashing,** *a.* I. Rushing, roaring, precipitate, impetuous, headlong.
2. Spirited, showy, brilliant, gay.

**Dash in pieces.** Break in pieces, break into fragments, shatter, shiver.

**Dash off.** Execute rapidly, throw off hastily.

**Dastard,** *n.* Coward, poltroon, craven, recreant, milksop.

**Dastard,** *a.* Cowardly, pusillanimous, craven, recreant, coward, cowering, base, dastardly.

**Dastardly,** *a.* Cowardly. See DASTARD.

**Data,** *n. pl.* Facts, premises, given conditions.

**Date,** *n.* Time, epoch, era, age.

**Date,** *v. a.* Fix the date of, note the time of, affix a date to.

**Date,** *v. n.* Begin, be reckoned, be dated.

**Daub,** *v. a.* Smear, besmear, plaster, cover, bedaub, begrime, soil, sully, defile, deface.

**Daub,** *n.* I. Coarse painting.
2. Smear, smirch, smeary mass.

**Dauby,** *a.* Adhesive, viscous, viscid, glutinous, smeary, sticky.

**Daunt,** *v. a.* Check (*by alarm*), thwart, deter *or* stop from one's purpose, frighten off, intimidate, discourage, crush the courage of, dismay, appall, cow, tame, subdue.

**Dauntless,** *a.* Indomitable, unconquerable, undaunted, undismayed, not to be daunted *or* dismayed, fearless, intrepid, bold, brave, daring, courageous, gallant, valiant, valorous, doughty, chivalrous, heroic.

**Davy Jones.** [*Sailors' term.*] The Devil.

**Daw,** *n.* Jackdaw (*Corvus monedula*).

**Dawdle,** *v. n.* Trifle, dally, fiddle, lose time, waste time, idle away time, fritter away time, fool away time.

**Dawdler,** *n.* Idler, trifler, lounger, laggard, drone, sluggard, slow-back, inefficient person.

**Dawn,** *v. n.* I. Break, begin to be light, grow light.
2. Appear, open, break, begin to appear.

**Dawn,** *n.* Daybreak, cockcrowing, dayspring, dawning, daypeep, peep of day, prime of day, first blush of the morning, break of day.

**Dawning,** *n.* I. See DAWN, *n.*
2. Beginning, first appearance.

**Day,** *n.* I. Daytime (*between sunrise and sunset*).
2. (Period of) twenty-four hours.
3. Sunshine, daylight, sunlight, light of day.
4. Lifetime, time, epoch, age, generation.
5. Appointed time, set time, promised time.

**Day-blindness,** *n.* Nyctalopy, nocturnal sight.

**Daybreak,** *n.* Dawn, dawning, cockcrowing, dayspring, daypeep, break of day, peep of day, prime of day, first blush of the morning.

**Day by day.** Daily, every day.

**Day-dream,** *n.* Dream, conceit, idle fancy, visionary scheme, castle in the air, *château en Espagne.*

**Daylight,** *n.* Sunlight, sunshine, day, light of day, light of heaven.

**Day-sight,** *n.* Hemeralopia, night-blindness.

**Dayspring,** *n.* Dawn, dawning. See DAYBREAK.

**Day-star,** *n.* I. Venus, Lucifer, Morning Star, harbinger of day.
2. Sun, orb of day.

**Daze,** *v. a.* I. Dazzle, blind.
2. Bewilder, confuse, perplex, stupefy, stun.

**Dazzle,** *v. a.* I. Daze, blind (*by excess of light*).
2. Astonish, surprise, overpower, confound (*by splendor* or *brilliancy*).

**Dazzle,** *n.* I. Brightness, brilliancy, splendor, dazzling light.
2. Meretricious brilliancy *or* display, false splendor, surface show.

**Dead,** *a.* I. Lifeless, breathless, inanimate, deceased, defunct, departed, gone, gone to one's last home, gathered to one's fathers.
2. Dull, frigid, cold, torpid, inert, unfeeling, callous, obtuse, indifferent, lukewarm.
3. Vapid, tasteless, insipid, flat.
4. Unemployed, useless, unprofitable.
5. Entire, complete, total, utter.

**Dead,** *n.* Depth, midst, darkest *or* coldest *or* gloomiest period.

**Dead against.** Utterly *or* wholly opposed, out and out against.

**Dead ahead.** (*Naut.*) Directly ahead (*said of the wind*).

**Dead-drunk,** *a.* Completely drunk.

**Deaden,** *v. a.* I. Weaken, impair, abate, restrain, retard, dull, damp, dampen.
2. Blunt, benumb, paralyze, obtund, hebetate, make insensible.

**Dead language.** Language no longer spoken.

**Dead-lock,** *n.* Complete standstill, utter misunderstanding, insoluble difference.
**Deadly,** *a.* I. Mortal, fatal, destructive, deleterious, noxious, murderous.
2. Implacable, rancorous, sanguinary, mortal.
**Deadly-night-shade,** *n.* Belladonna, banewort, dwale (*Atropa belladonna*).
**Dead march.** Funeral march, dirge.
**Dead men.** I. Empty bottles (*at a banquet*).
2. Hanging gasket-ends, dangling reef-ends.
**Dead shot.** Unerring marksman.
**Deaf,** *a.* Without hearing, hard of hearing, dull of hearing.
**Deafen,** *v. a.* I. Make deaf, deprive of hearing.
2. Stun, confuse with clamor.
**Deaf-mute,** *n.* Deaf and dumb person.
**Deaf to.** Regardless of, heedless of, inattentive to.
**Deal,** *n.* I. Quantity, degree, extent.
2. Distribution (*of cards*).
3. Pine plank.
**Deal,** *v. a.* Distribute, give, bestow, dispense, apportion, allot, divide, share, deal out, dole out, mete out.
**Deal,** *v. n.* I. Traffic, trade, do business, have commerce.
2. Behave, act, conduct one's self.
3. Distribute cards.
**Deal by.** Treat (*either well* or *ill*).
**Dealer,** *n.* I. Trader, trafficker.
2. Distributor.
**Deal in.** I. Have to do with, be engaged in, practise.
2. Trade *or* traffic in, buy and sell.
**Dealing,** *n.* I. Conduct, behavior, action.
2. Commerce, intercourse, business, trade, traffic.
**Dear,** *a.* I. Costly, expensive, high-priced, at a high price, of great price.
2. Precious, beloved, darling, much loved, highly esteemed *or* valued.
3. Earnest, deep, passionate, intense, furious.
**Dear,** *n.* See DARLING, *n.*
**Dearth,** *n.* I. Scarcity, insufficiency, deficiency, short supply.
2. Need, want, lack, famine, short commons.
**Death,** *n.* Decease, demise, dying, dissolution, departure, exit, end of life, King of terrors, debt of nature.
**Death-like,** *a.* Cadaverous, pale, wan, ghastly.
**Death's-head-moth,** *n.* Hawk-moth.
**Debacle,** *n.* I. Break up (*especially of ice*), rush, crashing flood. cataclysm.
2. Rout, wild flight, stampede.
**Debar,** *v. a.* Exclude, prohibit, prevent, hinder, restrain, withhold, shut out.
**Debark,** *v. n.* Land, disembark, go on shore, come to land, leave ship.
**Debase,** *v a.* I. Lower, depress, reduce, deteriorate, impair, vitiate, injure, pervert, alloy.
2. Degrade, abase, disgrace, dishonor, humble, humiliate, shame, mortify, bring low, take down.
3. Contaminate, taint, defile, pollute, foul, befoul, corrupt, soil.
**Debasement,** *n.* I. Deterioration, vitiation, adulteration, perversion.
2. Abasement, degradation, humiliation, depravation, corruption, pollution, contamination, defilement.
**Debatable,** *a.* Disputable, open to discussion.
**Debate,** *n.* I. Disputation, controversy, discussion.
2. Altercation, contest, contention, dispute, logomachy, strife of words, war of words.
**Debate,** *v. a.* I. Discuss, argue, dispute, contest, canvass.
2. Battle for, contest, combat for, contend for, contest by arms.
**Debate,** *v. n.* Argue, dispute, deliberate, hold an argument.
**Debauch,** *v. a.* I. Corrupt, vitiate, deprave, pollute.
2. Seduce, corrupt (to lewdness), deflour, rob *or* spoil of virginity.
**Debauch,** *n.* I. Debauchery, excess, intemperance, dissipation, dissoluteness, licentiousness, lewdness, lust *or* gluttony.
2. Potation, compotation, revels, revelry, orgies, bacchanals, saturnalia, carousal, drinking-bout, drunken frolic, spree (*colloq.*).
3. Orgy, indulgence in lust, wantoning, excesses, bestial indulgence.
**Debauchee,** *n.* Libertine, rake, voluptuary, profligate, man of pleasure, *roué*.
**Debauchery,** *n.* I. Excesses, dissipation, dissoluteness.
2. Licentiousness, lewdness. See DEBAUCH, *n.*
**Debilitate,** *v. a.* Weaken, enervate, enfeeble, exhaust, prostrate, relax, render weak, make languid.
**Debility,** *n.* Weakness, feebleness, languor, prostration, exhaustion, enervation, imbecility, infirmity, frailty, loss of strength.
**Debonair,** *a.* I. Courteous, affable, polite, refined, civil, urbane, complaisant, obliging, gracious, easy, kind, well-bred.
2. Light-hearted, buoyant, vivacious, sparkling, sprightly, cheery, bright, lightsome.
3. Elegant, graceful, lithe, easy, of fine bearing.
**Débris,** *n.* [Fr.] Rubbish, fragments, ruins, remains, *detritus*.
**Debt,** *n.* I. Due, obligation, liability, debit.
2. Trespass, offence, transgression, sin, fault, shortcoming, misdoing.
**Debt of nature.** See DEATH.
**Début,** *n.* [Fr.] First attempt, first appearance.
**Decadence,** } *n.* Decay, decline, fall, declension,
**Decadency,** } degeneracy, caducity.
**Decalogue,** *n.* The ten commandments.
**Decamp,** *v. n.* I. Break up camp, march away, march off, move off.
2. Flee, fly, escape, hasten away, run away, go away, make off, pack off, steal away.
**Decant,** *v. a.* Pour off.
**Decapitate,** *v. a.* Behead, decollate, guillotine, deprive of the head, bring to the scaffold, bring to the block, bring under the headsman's *or* executioner's axe.
**Decapitation,** *n.* Beheading, decollation.
**Decarbonize,** *v. a.* Deprive of carbon, free from carbon.
**Decay,** *v. n.* I. Decline, fail, deteriorate, wither, waste, perish, be impaired, waste away, fall into decay.
2. Rot, putrefy, be spoiled.
**Decay,** *n.* Decline, decadence, declension, falling off, deterioration, degeneracy, caducity.
**Decease,** *n.* Demise, dying. See DEATH.
**Decease,** *v. n.* Depart. See DIE.
**Deceased,** *a.* Dead, defunct, departed, gone, lost, late.
**Deceit,** *n.* Deception, fraud, imposition, imposture, finesse, artifice, duplicity, guile, trickery, chicanery, cozenage, cheating, double-dealing, crooked ways, dark ways, underhandedness, deceitfulness.
**Deceitful,** *a.* I. Deceptive, delusive, illusive, illusory, fallacious, misleading, counterfeit, hollow, insidious.
2. Full of deceit, false, fraudulent, designing, insincere, trickish, tricky, wily, guileful, double, double-faced, double-hearted.

**Deceive,** *v. a.* I. Delude, cheat, dupe, gull, cozen, fool, befool, trick, circumvent, overreach, chouse, beguile, hoodwink, impose upon, make a fool of, play a trick upon, pull wool over one's eyes.
2. Disappoint, frustrate.
3. Beguile, wile away, while away.

**Deceiver,** *n.* Impostor, cheat, trickster, rogue, knave, pretender.

**Decency,** *n.* I. Propriety, decorum, proper formality.
2. Modesty, delicacy, purity.

**Decent,** *a.* I. Proper, becoming, fit, befitting, suitable, decorous, seemly, comely.
2. Modest, delicate, pure.
3. (*Colloq.*) Tolerable, passable, moderate, respectable.

**Deception,** *n.* I. Imposture, imposition. See DECEIT.
2. Cheat, ruse, wile, stratagem, chouse. See TRICK.

**Deceptive,** *a.* Deceitful, deceiving, delusive, illusive, illusory, misleading, fallacious, false.

**Decide,** *v. a.* Settle, conclude, determine, close, terminate, end.

**Decide,** *v. n.* Determine, conclude, resolve, come to a conclusion, give a decision, make a decision, make up one's mind

**Decided,** *a.* I. Determined, unwavering, unhesitating, resolute.
2. Unequivocal, categorical, positive, absolute.
3. Unquestionable, undeniable, indisputable, unmistakable, certain, clear, beyond all question, beyond a doubt, past dispute.

**Deciduous,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Non-perennial, temporary, caducous.

**Decipher,** *v. a.* I. Unravel, unfold, interpret, reveal, explain, expound.
2. Read, make out.

**Decision,** *n.* I. Conclusion, judgment, determination, settlement.
2. Resolution, firmness.

**Decisive,** *a.* Conclusive, final.

**Deck,** *v. a.* I. Adorn, embellish, decorate, ornament, array, beautify.
2. Dress, clothe, apparel, robe.
3. Cover with a deck, cover, cover in.

**Declaim,** *v. n.* I. Harangue, speak (*rhetorically*), mouth, rant, spout (*colloq.*).
2. Recite a speech, practise speaking.

**Declamation,** *n.* I. Declaiming, haranguing, mouthing, ranting, spouting (*colloq.*).
2. Harangue, set speech.
3. Exercise in speaking.

**Declamatory,** *a.* I. In the style of declamation.
2. Rhetorical, grandiloquent, inflated, bombastic, swelling, pompous, turgid, pretentious, high-flown, high-sounding, fustian.

**Declaration,** *n.* I. Affirmation, assertion, asseveration, averment, protestation, avowal.
2. Proclamation, publication, public *or* official announcement.

**Declarative,** *a.* See DECLARATORY.

**Declaratory,** *a.* I. Expressive, affirmative, enunciative, enunciatory, assertive, declarative.
2. Explanatory, expository, declarative.

**Declare,** *v. a.* Affirm, assert, aver, asseverate, state, proclaim, publish, promulgate, communicate, announce, utter, make known.

**Declare,** *v. n.* Make a declaration, come out, pronounce, proclaim one's self.

**Declension,** *n.* I. Decline, deterioration, degeneracy, decay, diminution, falling off.
2. (*Gram.*) Inflection, variation; mode of inflection.
3. Refusal, declination, declinature, non-acceptance.

**Declination,** *n.* I. Bending, inclination.
2. Deterioration. See DECLENSION, 1.
3. Deviation, departure, oblique movement.
4. Declinature. See DECLENSION, 3.

**Declinature,** *n.* Refusal, non-acceptance, declination, declension.

**Decline,** *v. n.* I. Lean downward, incline, slope.
2. Decay, sink, droop, languish, pine, fail, become feeble.
3. Deteriorate, degenerate, be impaired.
4. Decrease, lessen, diminish, wane, fall away.

**Decline,** *v. a.* I. Refuse, reject, avoid.
2. (*Gram.*) Inflect, vary.

**Decline,** *n.* I. Deterioration, degeneracy, decay, diminution, falling off, declension, declination.
2. Consumption, phthisis, marasmus, atrophy, gradual wasting, progressive emaciation.

**Declivity,** *n.* Slope (*downward*), descent.

**Declivous,** *a.* Sloping, descending.

**Decollate,** *v. a.* Behead, decapitate, guillotine.

**Decollation,** *n.* Beheading, decapitation.

**Decolor,** / **Decolorize,** } *v. a.* Deprive of color.

**Decompose,** *v. a.* Decompound, disintegrate, analyze, resolve, resolve into its elements.

**Decompose,** *v. n.* Decay, putrefy, become corrupt, fall into decay, go to pieces, be resolved into its elements.

**Decomposition,** *n.* I. Analysis, resolution, disintegration.
2. Decay, corruption, putrescence, disintegration, crumbling, dissolution, rotting, falling to pieces.

**Decompound,** *v. a.* Analyze, decompose.

**Decompound,** *a.* Recompounded, repeatedly compounded.

**Decorate,** *v. a* Adorn, deck, ornament, embellish, beautify, enrich, garnish.

**Decoration,** *n.* I. Adorning, decking, ornamenting, ornamentation, embellishing, embellishment, beautifying, enriching, enrichment, garnishing.
2. Ornament, embellishment, adornment, enrichment.

**Decorous,** *a.* Decent, becoming, suitable, proper, befitting, seemly, comely, fit.

**Decorum,** *n.* Decency, propriety, seemliness, appropriate behavior, dignified behavior, dignity.

**Decoy,** *v. a.* Allure, lure, entice, inveigle, seduce, tempt, entrap, ensnare.

**Decoy,** *n.* Lure, allurement.

**Decoy-pigeon,** *n.* Stool-pigeon.

**Decoy-rogue,** *n.* See STOOL-PIGEON.

**Decrease,** *v. n.* Diminish (*gradually*), lessen, wane, decline, ebb, subside, dwindle, contract, abate, grow less.

**Decrease,** *v. a.* Diminish, lessen, retrench, curtail, reduce, lower, make less

**Decrease,** *n.* Diminution, lessening, decrement, reduction, wane *or* waning, declension, decline, ebb, ebbing, subsidence, contraction, abatement.

**Decree,** *v. a.* Order, ordain, appoint, enjoin, command, determine, decide, enact.

**Decree,** *n.* Edict, enactment, regulation, law, order, mandate, fiat, ordinance, statute.

**Decrement,** *n.* Decrease, diminution, lessening, waste, loss.

**Decrepit,** *a.* Superannuated, effete, shattered, worn *or* broken down with age, infirm through age.

**Decrepitate,** *v. n.* Crackle, snap, crepitate.

**Decrepitude,** *n.* Infirmity of age, decline of life.

**Decrial,** *n.* Condemnation, disparagement, depreciation, crying down.

**Decry,** *v. a.* Disparage, depreciate, discredit, condemn, traduce, cry down, run down, bring into disrepute, bring discredit on.

**Decuple,** *a.* Tenfold.

**Decuple,** *v. a.* Increase tenfold, multiply by ten, make ten times as great.
**Decussate,** *v. a.* Intersect, cross, divide crosswise.
**Decussate,** } *a.* Crossed, intersected, reticulated.
**Decussated,** }
**Decussation,** *n.* Crossing, intersection.
**Dedicate,** *v. a.* 1. Devote, hallow, sanctify, consecrate, set apart (*to God* or *the purposes of religion*).
2. Devote, consecrate, give earnestly *or* wholly, apply completely *or* devotedly.
3. Address (*as a literary work*), inscribe.
**Dedicate,** *a.* Devoted, consecrated, dedicated, set apart.
**Dedication,** *n.* 1. Consecration, devotion.
2. Address, inscription.
**Deduce,** *v. a.* Derive, conclude, infer.
**Deducible,** *a.* Inferrible, derivable.
**Deduct,** *v. a.* Subtract, withdraw, remove, take away, take out.
**Deduction,** *n.* 1. Subtraction, withdrawal, removal, taking out *or* away.
2. Abatement, allowance, defalcation, reduction, discount.
3. Inference, conclusion, consequence, corollary.
**Deed,** *n.* 1. Act, action, performance, exploit, achievement, feat.
2. Reality, fact, truth.
3. (*Law.*) Indenture.
**Deem,** *v. a.* Think, regard, consider, hold, believe, suppose, imagine, judge, count, account, look upon.
**Deem,** *v. n.* Think, believe, suppose, opine, fancy, be of opinion.
**Deep,** *a.* 1. Down-reaching, reaching far down, of great depth.
2. Mysterious, intricate, knotty, difficult, hard (*to comprehend*), unfathomable, profound.
3. Sagacious, penetrating, intelligent, discerning, shrewd, astute.
4. Absorbed, engrossed, rapt up.
5. Grave, low, not high, not sharp.
6. Dark, intense.
7. Great, thorough, entire, heartfelt.
**Deep,** *n.* 1. Sea, ocean, main, abyss of waters.
2. Depth, profound, abyss, deepest part *or* place, recess, bottom.
3. Mystery, enigma, profound riddle.
4. Stillness, silence, stillest part, inmost part, midst.
**Deep,** *ad.* See DEEPLY.
**Deepen,** *v. a.* 1. Make deeper, increase the depth of.
2. Make darker, make more intense, darken, intensify.
3. Reduce to a lower tone, make more grave, lower.
4. Make more impressive *or* efficient, intensify, strengthen, increase, heighten, make more vivid.
**Deepen,** *v. n.* Grow deeper, become deeper, increase, heighten, become intenser *or* more decided.
**Deeply,** *ad.* 1. Profoundly, deep, to *or* at a great depth, far down.
2. Thoroughly, entirely, completely, profoundly.
3. Greatly, very much, in a high degree, profoundly.
**Deer-berry,** *n.* Tea-berry, wintergreen, partridge-berry, boxberry, mountain-tea (*Gaultheria procumbens*).
**Deface,** *v. a.* Disfigure, deform, mar, spoil, injure, soil, tarnish.
**Defacement,** *n.* Disfigurement, injury.
**De facto.** [L.] 1. In fact, really, actually, as a matter of fact.
2. Real, actual.
**Defalcate,** *v. a.* [*Applied especially to public accounts, estimates, etc.*] Lop, lop off, cut off, deduct a part of, retrench, curtail, reduce, abate, deduct from.
**Defalcation,** *n.* 1. Diminution, abatement, reduction, deduction, discount.
2. Deficiency, deficit, default, shortage, shortcoming, falling short.
3. Fraudulent shortage (*in accounts*), defaulting, breach of trust, embezzlement.
**Defamation,** *n.* Slander, calumny, detraction, obloquy, aspersion, abuse, backbiting, scandal, false accusation.
**Defamatory,** *a.* Slanderous, calumnious, libellous, abusive, false and injurious.
**Defame,** *v. a.* Asperse, slander, malign, calumniate, traduce, vilify, revile, libel, blacken, abuse, blemish, run down, speak ill of.
**Default,** *n.* 1. Omission, neglect, failure.
2. Want, lack, destitution, defect, deficiency.
**Default,** *v. n.* Fail to keep one's engagement *or* contract, break one's trust, be guilty of defaulting *or* defalcation.
**Defaulter,** *n.* Delinquent (*in failing to appear in court*, or *in accounting for money intrusted*), embezzler.
**Defeat,** *n.* 1. Overthrow, downfall, rout, discomfiture, repulse.
2. Frustration.
**Defeat,** *v. a* 1. Conquer, overthrow, overcome, vanquish, repulse, beat, discomfit, rout, checkmate.
2. Frustrate, baffle, foil, balk, thwart, disconcert, disappoint.
**Defecate,** *v. a.* Clarify, clear, purify, refine, purge of extraneous matter.
**Defecate,** *v. n.* 1. Clear, clarify, become pure, cleanse itself.
2. Go to stool, ease one's self, evacuate the bowels, void excrement.
**Defecation,** *n.* 1. Clarification, purification, refining, cleansing.
2. Going to stool, evacuation (of the bowels), voiding excrement.
**Defect,** *n.* 1. Deficiency, lack, want, destitution, default.
2. Imperfection, blemish, flaw.
3. Fault, failing, foible.
**Defect,** *v. n.* Abandon allegiance, break fealty, desert, revolt, fall away from duty.
**Defection,** *n.* 1. Desertion, abandonment of allegiance, revolt.
2. Apostasy, backsliding.
**Defective,** *a.* 1. Deficient, insufficient, inadequate, incomplete.
2. Imperfect, faulty, marred.
**Defence,** *n.* [Written also *Defense.*] 1. Defending, protecting, protection, guarding, maintaining, maintenance, holding.
2. Protection, guard, buckler, shield, bulwark, fortification, tower of strength.
3. Vindication, justification, apology, plea, excuse.
**Defenceless,** *a.* Unprotected, exposed, weak, helpless, unshielded, unguarded, unarmed.
**Defend,** *v. a.* 1. Guard, shield, secure from danger, secure from attack. See PROTECT.
2. Vindicate, assert, maintain, uphold, justify, espouse, plead.
**Defender,** *n.* 1. Asserter, pleader, maintainer, upholder.
2. Champion, vindicator, protector.
**Defer,** *v a.* Postpone, delay, adjourn, procrastinate, put off, stave off, let lie over.

**Deference,** *n.* 1. Respect, regard, esteem, honor, reverence, veneration, homage, obeisance.
2. Complaisance, condescension.
3. Obedience, submission.
**Deferential,** *a.* Respectful, reverential.
**Defer to.** Respect, value, yield to, pay respect to, think much of, think highly of, pay deference to, accord superiority to.
**Defiance,** *n.* 1. Daring, challenge, invitation to combat *or* contest (*of any kind*).
2. Contempt, opposition, spite, despite.
**Defiant,** *a.* 1. Resistant, contumacious, recalcitrant.
2. Bold, daring, courageous.
**Deficiency,** *n.* 1. Want, lack, defectiveness, insufficiency, scantiness, shortness, meagreness, dearth, scarcity, shortage, deficit.
2. Failing, failure, frailty, infirmity, imperfection, foible, fault, error, weakness, weak side, blind side.
**Deficient,** *a.* Defective, insufficient, imperfect, incomplete, inadequate, unsatisfactory.
**Deficit,** *n.* [L.] Shortage. See DEFICIENCY.
**Defile,** *v. a.* 1. Soil, dirty, stain, tarnish, make foul *or* filthy.
2. Sully, taint, pollute, corrupt, vitiate, debase, contaminate, poison.
3. Debauch, corrupt, seduce, deflour, rob of virginity.
**Defile,** *v. n.* File off, march in a line.
**Defilement,** *n.* Pollution, contamination, taint, uncleanness, abomination, foulness.
**Definable,** *a.* Determinable, that may be defined.
**Define,** *v. a.* 1. Limit, bound, circumscribe, set bounds to, fix the limits of.
2. Describe, declare the properties of.
3. Explain the meaning of, give the signification of.
**Definite,** *a.* 1. Determinate, determined, defined, precisely bounded.
2. Precise, exact, determinate, certain.
3. (*Gram.*) Limiting, defining.
**Definition,** *n.* 1. Explanation (*of the meaning*), exact meaning.
2. Description (*by a statement of characteristic properties*).
3. Defining, exact statement of the meaning.
**Definitive,** *a.* 1. Determinate, positive, express, explicit, categorical, unconditional.
2. Final, conclusive, decisive.
**Deflect,** *v. n.* Deviate, diverge, swerve, turn aside, bend, waver.
**Deflect,** *v. a.* Bend, turn aside, bend down, press down.
**Deflection,** *n.* Deviation, bending, divergence.
**Deflour,** *v. a.* 1. Debauch, defile, constuprate, corrupt (*to lewdness*), seduce, rob of virginity.
2. Rob of its first bloom, spoil of its primal beauty, deprive of its freshness.
**Deform,** *v. a.* Disfigure, distort, deface, mar, injure, spoil, make unsightly, make ugly.
**Deformity,** *n.* 1. Distortion, malformation, misproportion, ugliness, inelegance, disfigurement, monstrosity, want of symmetry.
2. Irregularity, deviation from propriety.
**Defraud,** *v. a* Cheat, cozen, trick, dupe, gull, deceive, overreach, circumvent, delude, hoodwink, chouse, beguile, impose upon.
**Defray,** *v. a.* Pay, discharge, settle, bear.
**Deft,** *a.* 1. Dexterous, skilful, clever, apt, adroit, ready, expert, dab (*colloq.*).
2. Neat, pretty.
**Defunct,** *a.* 1. Dead, deceased, departed, gone.
2. Inoperative, abrogated, cancelled, annulled, dead.
**Defy,** *v. a.* 1. Challenge, dare, bid defiance to, hurl defiance at, call to combat.
2. Brave, disregard, slight, scorn, spurn, despise, contemn, flout, treat with contempt, trample on, set at nought, snap the fingers at, set at defiance.
**Degeneracy,** *n.* 1. Deterioration, debasement, abasement, depravation, degeneration, degenerateness, declension, caducity, degradation, decline, decrease, falling off, growing worse.
2. Inferiority, meanness, poorness, low estate *or* state.
**Degenerate,** *v. n.* Deteriorate, decline, decay, become worse, grow worse, fall off, run down, become enfeebled *or* impaired *or* perverted.
**Degenerate,** *a.* Inferior, mean, base, corrupt, fallen, degenerated, decayed, in decadence.
**Deglutition,** *n.* Swallowing.
**Degradation,** *n.* 1. Dishonor, disgrace, humiliation.
2. Deterioration, abasement, debasement, degeneracy, degeneration, decadence, caducity, decline, vitiation, perversion.
3. (*Geol.*) Wearing away (*of rocks, etc.*), abrasion.
**Degrade,** *v. a.* 1. Disgrace, dishonor, discredit, break, cashier, humiliate, humble, depose, reduce to inferior rank.
2. Lower, sink, deteriorate, impair, injure, debase, vitiate, pervert, alloy.
**Degree,** *n.* 1. Step, stage.
2. Class, rank, order, grade, quality, station, standing.
3. Measure, extent.
4. Remove (*in the line of descent*).
5. Division (*as on a scale*), interval, space.
6. Literary *or* collegiate distinction, grade in letters, literary title.
**Dehisce,** *v. n.* Open, gape, gape open, yawn.
**Dehiscence,** *n.* Opening, gaping.
**Dehiscent,** *a.* Opening, gaping.
**Dehortation,** *n.* Dissuasion.
**Dehortative,** } *a.* Dissuasive.
**Dehortatory,** }
**Deification,** *n.* Apotheosis, deifying.
**Deify,** *v. a.* 1. Raise to the rank of a deity, place among the gods, apotheosize.
2. Idolize, cultivate idolatrously, make a god of, make into an object of worship, praise *or* revere as a deity.
3. Make godlike, exalt, elevate, ennoble.
**Deign,** *v. n.* Condescend, vouchsafe, think fit, see fit.
**Deign,** *v. a.* Grant, vouchsafe, accord.
**Deist,** *n.* Unbeliever in miraculous revelation, disbeliever in the miraculous origin of Christianity, holder to merely natural religion, believer in God but not in Providence *or* revelation, freethinker.
**Deity,** *n.* 1. Divinity, Godhead, the Divine Nature.
2. (*Myth.*) God *or* goddess.
**Deject,** *v. a.* Dishearten, dispirit, discourage, depress, sadden, make despondent, make sad.
**Dejected,** *a.* Disheartened, dispirited, discouraged, depressed, down-hearted, downcast, despondent, doleful, cast down, chapfallen, crestfallen, down in the mouth, blue, gloomy, hipped, dumpish, in the dumps.
**Dejection,** *n.* Depression, despondency, sadness, melancholy, gloom, dumps, blues, lowness of spirits, low spirits.
**Déjeuner,** } *n.* [Fr.] 1. Breakfast, morning meal.
**Déjeuné,** }
2. Luncheon, lunch ("An *odious* word."—*R. W. Emerson*).
**De jure.** [L.] Of right, by right, by law.
**Delay,** *v. a.* 1. Defer, postpone, procrastinate, put off, stave off, let lie over.

2 Detain, hinder, retard, stop, impede.

**Delay,** *v. n.* Linger, tarry, stop, procrastinate.

**Delay,** *n.* 1. Procrastination, postponement, deferring, the Fabian policy, masterly inactivity.
2. Lingering, tarrying, stay, stop, dallying, dawdling.
3. Detention, hindrance, retardation, impediment, stoppage.

**Dele,** *v. a.* [L.] Erase, efface, remove, delete, blot out.

**Delectable,** *a.* Pleasing, pleasant, delightful, agreeable, gratifying.

**Delectation,** *n.* Delight, joy, gladness, rapture, transport, ravishment, ecstasy, great pleasure.

**Delegate,** *v. a.* 1. Depute, commission, appoint as agent, send on an embassy.
2. Intrust, commit.

**Delegate,** *n.* Deputy, commissioner, representative.

**Delegation,** *n.* 1. Delegating, intrusting, committal.
2. Deputies, delegates, body of delegates *or* representatives.

**Delete,** *v. a.* Erase, efface, remove, dele, blot out.

**Deleterious,** *a.* 1. Destructive, deadly, poisonous, noxious, lethal.
2. Injurious, pernicious, hurtful, harmful, unwholesome.

**Deliberate,** *v n* Reflect, ponder, consider, think, cogitate, ruminate, muse, meditate, take counsel with one's self.

**Deliberate,** *a.* 1. Wary, cautious, careful, circumspect, considerate, thoughtful.
2. Well considered, well advised.
3. Purposed, done on purpose, studied, done in cold blood.
4. Slow, unhurried, leisurely.

**Deliberation,** *n.* 1. Consideration, meditation, cogitation, thought, reflection, circumspection, wariness, caution, thoughtfulness.
2. Purpose, conscious determination, distinct intention, cold blood, malice prepense.
3. Consultation, discussion.

**Delicacy,** *n.* 1. Pleasantness, agreeableness, deliciousness, daintiness, savoriness, relish.
2. Dainty, tidbit, titbit.
3. Fineness, softness, smoothness, tenderness, lightness, nicety, niceness, elegance.
4. Slightness, slenderness, weakness, frailty, tenderness.
5. Carefulness, scrupulousness, fastidiousness, daintiness, discrimination, tact, nice perception.
6. Refinement, purity, sensibility, fine feeling.

**Delicate,** *a.* 1. Pleasant, pleasing, delicious, agreeable, savory, palatable.
2. Fine, nice, elegant, exquisite.
3. Slight, slender, weak, frail, tender, sensitive.
4. Discriminating, careful, scrupulous, fastidious, dainty, of nice perception.
5. Refined, pure.

**Delicious,** *a.* 1. Luscious, savory, palatable, delicate, dainty, nice.
2. Pleasant, grateful, agreeable, charming, delightful, exquisite.

**Delight,** *n.* Joy, gladness, delectation, satisfaction, charm, gratification, rapture, transport, ravishment, ecstasy, great pleasure.

**Delight,** *v. a.* Enrapture, transport, ravish, enchant, charm, gratify, rejoice, please highly.

**Delight,** *v. n.* Take delight, have great pleasure, rejoice.

**Delightful,** *a.* Charming, enchanting, ravishing, very agreeable, highly pleasing, rapturous, enrapturing, transporting.

**Delineate,** *v. a.* 1. Design, sketch, figure, draw, represent by outlines.
2. Describe, portray, depict, picture, paint, set forth.

**Delineation,** *n.* 1. Sketch, design, outline, draught.
2. Description, account, portrayal.

**Delinquency,** *n.* Fault, misdeed, misdemeanor, offence, crime, failure in duty, neglect of duty.

**Delinquent,** *a.* Failing in duty, offending, negligent.

**Delinquent,** *n.* Offender, culprit, criminal, wrongdoer, misdoer, miscreant, malefactor.

**Deliquesce,** *v. n.* Melt (gradually), liquefy.

**Deliquescent,** *a.* 1. Liquefying, tending to melt *or* become liquid.
2. Vanishing, tending to disappear *or* go to waste.

**Delirious,** *a.* Insane (*as in fevers*), mad, deranged, demented, wandering, lightheaded, crazy, raving, frantic, frenzied.

**Delirium,** *n.* Wandering (*as in fevers*), incoherence, hallucination, derangement, insanity, frenzy, raving, madness, alienation of mind.

**Delirium tremens.** *Mania a potu*, the horrors.

**Deliver,** *v. a.* 1. Liberate, release, free, emancipate, set free, set at liberty.
2. Rescue, save, extricate, redeem.
3. Commit, transfer, give, hand over, pass over, make over.
4. Yield, cede, grant, surrender, relinquish, resign, give up.
5. Pronounce, utter, speak, declare, promulgate.
6. Discharge, deal, give forth.

**Deliverance,** *n.* 1. Release, liberation, emancipation, redemption, escape.
2. Extrication, rescue, acquittance.

**Delivery,** *n.* 1. Surrender, conveyance, giving up.
2. Giving, handing over, transmission, passing over.
3. Distribution (*of mail-matter*).
4. Utterance, enunciation, pronunciation, speech, elocution.
5. Childbirth, parturition, labor, travail, lying-in, confinement.

**Dell,** *n.* Dale, dingle, valley, ravine, glen.

**Delude,** *v. a.* Deceive, beguile, mislead, cheat, cozen, chouse, gull, dupe, circumvent, overreach, trick, impose upon, lead astray, lead into error.

**Deluge,** *n.* Flood, overflow, inundation, cataclysm.

**Deluge,** *v. a.* Submerge, inundate, overflow, drown, overwhelm.

**Delusion,** *n.* 1. Trick, imposition, imposture, cheat, fraud, artifice, wile, snare, ruse, dodge, fetch, clap-trap.
2. Illusion, deception, fallacy, error, hallucination, mockery, phantasm, false show.

**Delusive,** *a.* Fallacious, deceitful, deceptive, deceiving, illusive, illusory.

**Delve,** *v a.* and *v. n.* Dig.

**Demagogue,** *n.* Ringleader of the populace, factious leader, popular agitator.

**Demand,** *v. a.* 1. Claim, require, exact, challenge, call for, ask for.
2. Necessitate, require, rightfully claim, make necessary.

**Demand,** *v. n.* Ask, inquire, make inquiry.

**Demand,** *n.* 1. Claim, requisition, requirement, exaction.
2. Want, call, desire to obtain.
3. Question, inquiry, interrogation.

**Demarcation,** *n.* Division, separation, distinction, limit, bound, boundary.

**Demean one's self.** 1. Behave, conduct, acquit one's self.

2. Degrade, debase, lower, *or* belittle one's self.

**Demeanor,** *n.* Behavior, carriage, deportment, conduct, manner, bearing, air, mien.

**Demented,** *a.* Idiotic, foolish, infatuated, insane, crazy, crack-brained, daft, deranged.

**Dementia,** *n.* [L.] (*Med.*) Idiocy, insanity, loss of intellect.

**Demerit,** *n.* Fault, delinquency, ill-desert.

**Demi-monde,** *n.* [Fr.] Questionable women (*collectively*), the kept-mistresses, the courtesan class.

**Demirep,** *n.* Woman of doubtful reputation (*as respects chastity*), questionable woman, member of the *demi-monde*.

**Demise,** *n.* 1. Conveyance, alienation, transfer, transferrence, making over.

2. Death (*of a royal* or *a distinguished person*), decease.

**Demise,** *v. a.* 1. Alienate, transfer, consign, devolve, convey, make over, deliver over.

2. Bequeath, devise, will, grant by will.

**Demiurgic,** *a.* Creative, formative.

**Democracy,** *n.* 1. Government by the people.

2. Republic, representative government.

3. [*U. S.*] Democrats, democratic party.

**Democratic,** / **Democratical,** } *a.* 1. Popular, of the people.

2. Representative, republican.

3. [*U. S.*] Of the democrats.

**Demolish,** *v. a.* Destroy, overthrow, raze, level, ruin, dash to pieces, break to pieces.

**Demolition,** *n.* Overthrow, destruction, ruin.

**Demon,** *n.* 1. Devil, fiend, evil spirit, goblin.

2. Spirit, genius, guardian spirit, tutelary deity.

**Demoniac,** / **Demoniacal,** } *a.* Diabolical, devilish, fiendish, hellish, infernal.

**Demonstrable,** *a.* Provable, capable of being proved, capable of absolute proof *or* demonstration.

**Demonstrate,** *v. a.* Prove, establish, show, make evident, make certain, show beyond the possibility of doubt.

**Demonstration,** *n.* 1. Proof, rigorous *or* absolute establishment.

2. Manifestation, show, exhibition, display.

**Demonstrative,** *a.* 1. Conclusive, apodictic, absolute, certain, producing demonstration.

2. Energetically expressive, free in expression (*of feeling*), unreserved, open, prone to display of feeling.

**Demoralization,** *n.* 1. Corruption of morals, depravity, want of principle.

2. (*Mil.*) Loss of courage, lack of self-confidence, destruction of discipline.

**Demoralize,** *v. a.* 1. Corrupt, deprave, vitiate, deprive of moral principle.

2. (*Mil.*) Deprive of courage *or* confidence, break down the *morale or* discipline of.

**Demulcent,** *a.* Mild, soothing, lenitive, emollient, sedative.

**Demur,** *v. n.* 1. Hesitate, pause, stop, waver, be in doubt, stop to consider.

2. Object, raise objections, scruple, state scruples, take exceptions.

**Demure,** *a.* 1. Affectedly modest, prudish, overmodest, putting on shyness *or* coyness.

2. Sober, sedate, grave, modest, coy, downcast.

**Demurrer,** *n.* (*Law.*) Objection, issue on matter of law.

**Den,** *n.* 1. Cavern, cave.

2. [*Always in bad sense, implying squalor, misery,* or *vice.*] Haunt, retreat, resort, place of resort.

**Dendriform,** *a.* Arborescent, arboriform, dendritic, dendroid, branching.

**Dendritic,** / **Dendroid,** } *a.* See DENDRIFORM.

**Dengue,** *n.* [Sp.] Break-bone fever, dandy-fever.

**Denial,** *n.* 1. Contradiction, negation, controverting.

2. Disavowal, disclaimer, abjuration, disowning.

3. Refusal (*to grant a request*).

**Denizen,** *n.* 1. (*Eng. law.*) Naturalized citizen, adopted citizen.

2. Inhabitant, dweller, resident.

**Denominate,** *v. a.* Name, designate, entitle, style, call, dub, christen, phrase.

**Denominate,** *a.* (*Arith.*) Compound.

**Denomination,** *n.* 1. Name, title, style, designation, appellation.

2. Class, kind, sort.

3. Sect, school.

**Denote,** *v. a.* Signify, mean, imply, betoken, indicate, typify, note, mark, designate, point out.

**Dénouement,** *n.* [Fr.] 1. Catastrophe (*of a drama* or *a novel*), unravelling of the plot.

2. Issue, upshot, conclusion, termination, *finale*, consummation, winding up, finishing stroke, final event.

**Denounce,** *v. a.* 1. Threaten, menace.

2. Brand, stigmatize, arraign, upbraid, censure.

3. Inform against, accuse, lay information *or* charges against.

**De novo.** [L.] Anew, newly, afresh, again, over again.

**Dense,** *a.* Close, compact, condensed, compressed, thick.

**Density,** *n.* Closeness, compactness.

**Dent,** *n.* Indentation, dint, nick, notch.

**Dent,** *v. a.* Indent, make a dent upon.

**Dentate,** / **Dentated,** } *a.* Toothed, notched, serrate, serrated.

**Dentifrice,** *n.* Tooth-powder.

**Dentist,** *n.* Dental surgeon, surgeon dentist.

**Dentition,** *n.* Teething, cutting of the teeth.

**Denude,** *v. a.* Strip, divest, make bare, make naked.

**Denunciation,** *n.* 1. Menace, threat.

2. Arraignment, severe censure.

3. Exposure, informing against.

**Denunciatory,** *a.* Condemnatory, stigmatizing, upbraiding.

**Deny,** *v. a* 1. Contradict, gainsay, declare to be untrue.

2. Renounce, abjure, disown, disavow, abnegate, refuse to acknowledge.

3. Withhold, refuse to grant.

**Deobstruent,** *a.* (*Med.*) Laxative, aperient, loosening.

**Deobstruent,** *n.* (*Med.*) Laxative, aperient, loosening medicine.

**Deodorize,** *v. a.* Disinfect, deprive of odor.

**Deodorizer,** *n.* Disinfectant.

**Deoxidate,** *v. a.* See DEOXIDIZE.

**Deoxidation,** *n.* Deoxidization.

**Deoxidize,** *v. a.* Deoxidate, deprive of oxygen.

**Depart,** *v. n.* 1. Disappear, vanish, go away.

2. Go, start, set out, set forward, be off, take leave, bid adieu, bid farewell, take one's departure, make one's exit, take one's self off.

3. Die, decease, leave the world.

**Depart from.** 1. Leave, quit, go away from.

2. Abandon, forsake, desert, give up, cease to adhere to.

3. Deviate from, vary from.

**Department,** *n.* 1. Part, portion, division (*especially a territorial division*), province.

2. Province, function, office, station, sphere of duty, course of life.

3. Province, branch, division *or* subdivision (*of a subject* or *notion*).

**Departure,** *n.* 1. Withdrawal, exit, recession, retirement, removal.
2. Abandonment (*of*), forsaking (*of*).
3. Deviation, variation, declension, declining, declination.
4. Death, decease, demise, exit.

**Depend,** *v. n.* Hang, be pendent.

**Dependant,** *n.* 1. Vassal, minion, retainer, henchman, client, hanger-on.
2. Consequence, corollary, attendant circumstance, concomitant.

**Dependence,** *n.* 1. Connection, concatenation, interdependence.
2. Reliance, trust, confidence.
3. Stay, staff, support, prop, buttress, supporter.
4. Subordination, subjection, conditioned existence, contingency, need (*of*).

**Dependency,** *n.* 1. Adjunct, appurtenance.
2. Colony, province, subject territory.

**Dependent,** *a.* 1. Hanging, pendent.
2. Conditioned, contingent, unable to exist without, at the disposal of, sustained by.

**Depend on.** 1. Rely upon, rest upon, confide in, trust to, count upon, reckon upon, build upon, depend upon.
2. Be conditioned *or* dependent on, be contingent upon, require, demand, imply, presuppose.

**Depend upon.** See DEPEND ON.

**Depict,** *v. a.* 1. Paint, sketch, portray, delineate, pencil.
2. Describe, set forth, portray, delineate, represent.

**Deplete,** *v. a.* Exhaust, drain, reduce, empty, evacuate.

**Depletion,** *n.* Exhausting, exhaustion, reducing, reduction, draining, emptying, evacuation.

**Deplorable,** *a.* Lamentable, pitiable, sad, calamitous, grievous, miserable, wretched, distressing, mournful, melancholy, to be deplored.

**Deplore,** *v. a.* Mourn, bewail, lament, bemoan, grieve for, sorrow over.

**Deploy,** *v. a.* (*Mil.*) Open, unfold, extend, expand, display.

**Deploy,** *v. n.* (*Mil.*) Open, display.

**Depone,** *v. n.* (*Old Eng. and Scotch law.*) Depose, testify, affirm, state, bear witness.

**Deponent,** *n.* Witness (*who makes oath to a written statement*).

**Depopulate,** *v. a.* Dispeople, unpeople, deprive of inhabitants.

**Deportment,** *n.* Demeanor, behavior, carriage, conduct, bearing, manner, air, breeding.

**Deport one's self.** Behave, act, conduct one's self, demean one's self, acquit *or* quit one's self, bear one's self, comport one's self.

**Depose,** *v. a.* Dethrone, dismiss, oust, cashier, displace, break, degrade.

**Depose,** *v. n.* Testify, declare, bear witness, depone (*Old Eng. and Scotch*).

**Deposit,** *v. a.* 1. Drop, let fall, throw down, precipitate.
2. Lay, lay down, put, place, put down.
3. Lodge, put, store, hoard, save, lay up, lay by.
4. Intrust, commit, put for safe keeping.

**Deposit,** *n.* 1. Precipitate, sediment.
2. Security, pledge, pawn, stake.
3. Money in bank.
4. (*Rare.*) Depository, storehouse.

**Depositary,** *n.* Trustee, guardian, fiduciary.

**Deposition,** *n.* (*Law.*) 1. Testimony (*in writing, signed and sworn to before a magistrate, after cross-examination*), evidence, affidavit.
2. Dethroning, dismission, displacement, removal.

**Depository,** *n.* Storehouse, depot, place of deposit, deposit.

**Depot,** *n.* 1. Depository, storehouse, warehouse, magazine.
2. Station (*of a railway*), station-house, railway station.

**Depravation,** *n.* 1. Vitiation, corruption, deterioration, abasement, debasement, impairing, injury.
2. Depravity, degeneracy, degeneration, deterioration, debasement, impairment, impaired condition.

**Deprave,** *v. a.* Vitiate, corrupt, contaminate, pollute, demoralize, make bad.

**Depraved,** *p.* and *a.* Corrupted, corrupt, vicious, wicked, profligate, dissolute, reprobate, graceless, abandoned, shameless, hardened, lost.

**Depravity,** *n.* 1. Degeneracy, depraved *or* depressed state, low condition, depravation, corruption.
2. Corruptness, corruption, wickedness, viciousness, demoralization, vice, immorality, license, iniquity.

**Deprecate,** *v. a.* 1. Pray to be delivered from, seek deliverance from, try to avert by prayer, make entreaty against.
2. View with regret, wish not to have occur, regard with regretful disfavor.

**Depreciate,** *v. a.* 1. Underrate, undervalue, lessen the price of, diminish the value of.
2. Disparage, decry, traduce, malign, belittle, degrade, censure, find fault with.

**Depreciate,** *v. n.* Fall in price, fall in value, become of less worth, decline, fall off, fall, lose value.

**Depreciation,** *n.* 1. Fall in price, diminution of value, decline in value, fall, decline.
2. Detraction, disparagement, derogation, belittling, traducing, maligning, censure.

**Depreciative,** *a.* Derogatory, depreciatory, disparaging.

**Depredation,** *n.* Spoliation, rapine, robbery, theft, pillage, plunder, pilfering.

**Depredator,** *n.* Plunderer, robber, thief, spoiler, brigand, freebooter, pirate, corsair, buccaneer, marauder.

**Depress,** *v. a.* 1. Lower, detrude, drop, sink, bow, reduce, press down, let down, let fall, cast down, bring down.
2. Degrade, humble, disgrace, humiliate, debase, abase, abash, bring low, take down.
3. Discourage, dishearten, dispirit, deject, damp, dampen, chill, sadden, make sad, make despondent.
4. Make dull (*as trade*), lower.

**Depression,** *n.* 1. Abasement, degradation, deterioration, debasement, perversion, vitiation, depravation.
2. Hollow, hollowness, cavity, concavity, indentation, dent, dint, dimple, excavation, pit.
3. Dejection, dejectedness, sadness, despondency, melancholy, dolefulness, dole, gloom, gloominess, dumps, blues, lowness of spirits, low spirits, depression of spirits, vapors.
4. Lowness, dulness, inactivity, stagnation.
5. (*Surg.*) Couching.

**Deprivation,** *n.* Loss, privation, bereavement, dispossession.

**Deprive,** *v. a.* Dispossess, divest, strip, rob. See BEREAVE.

**Depth,** *n.* 1. Deepness, profundity.
2. Extent, measure.
3. Middle, central part, midst, stillest part, stillness, silence.
4. Discernment, sagacity, shrewdness, penetration, astuteness, perspicacity, profoundness, profundity.

**Depurate,** *v. a.* 1. Purify, cleanse, make pure.
2. Clarify, clear, make clear.

**Depuration,** *n.* I. Cleansing, purification.
2. Clarification, clearing, clarifying.
**Deputation,** *n.* I. Delegation, commission.
2. Deputies, delegates, body of delegates, delegation, commissioners, envoys, legation, embassy.
**Depute,** *v. a.* Delegate, commission, send out, appoint as agent.
**Deputy,** *n.* Delegate, representative, substitute, proxy, envoy, legate, agent, factor.
**Derange,** *v. a.* I. Disorder, confuse, unsettle, disarrange, displace, turn topsy-turvy, put out of place.
2. Disturb, discompose, disconcert, ruffle.
3. Make *or* render insane, craze, madden, unbalance.
**Derangement,** *n.* I. Disorder, confusion, disarrangement.
2. Disturbance, discomposure.
3. Insanity, lunacy, madness, mania, delirium, mental aberration, mental alienation, alienation.
**Derbyshire-spar,** *n.* Fluor-spar, fluoride of calcium.
**Derelict,** *a.* I. (*Law.*) Forsaken, relinquished, abandoned, left.
2. Unfaithful, faithless, delinquent, negligent, guiltily neglectful.
**Derelict,** *n.* (*Law.*) I. Abandoned property.
2. Tract of land (*fit for cultivation*) left dry by the retirement of the sea.
**Dereliction,** *n.* I. Abandonment, renunciation, desertion, relinquishment.
2. Faithlessness, failure in duty, delinquency, neglect, negligence.
**Deride,** *v. a.* Ridicule (*contemptuously* or *maliciously*), mock, scout, satirize, lampoon, jeer, taunt, chaff, scoff at, jeer at, laugh at, make fun of, make sport of, make game of, turn to ridicule, hold up to ridicule, make a butt of, make merry with, poke fun at (*colloq.*). See RIDICULE.
**Derision,** *n.* Ridicule, mockery, scorn, contempt.
**Derisive,** } *a.* Scoffing, mocking, ridiculing,
**Derisory,** } scornful, contemptuous, contumelious.
**Derivable,** *a.* I. Obtainable, to be derived.
2. Deducible, that may be inferred (*from premises*).
3. That may be traced (*to a root*).
**Derivation,** *n.* I. Descent, genealogy, extraction.
2. Etymology.
3. Deriving, obtaining, deducing.
4. Source (*in*), origination (*from*), foundation (*in*).
**Derivative,** *a.* Derived.
**Derive,** *v. a.* I. Draw, receive, obtain, get.
2. Deduce, trace.
**Derm,** *n.* Skin, true skin, *cutis* or *cutis vera.*
**Dermatoid,** *a.* Skin-like.
**Derogate from.** Disparage, detract from, take something from, be derogatory of *or* to, lessen, diminish, compromise, be hostile to.
**Derogation,** *n.* Detraction, disparagement, depreciation.
**Derogatory,** *a.* Detracting, dishonoring, depreciative, disparaging.
**Descant,** *n.* I. Melody (*with variations*), song, tune.
2. Commentary, animadversion, remarks, series of comments.
3. Discourse, discussion, disputation.
4. (*Mus.*) Soprano, treble, highest part in a score.
**Descant,** *v. n.* Expatiate, enlarge, dilate, discourse, make remarks, treat copiously, animadvert freely.
**Descend,** *v. n.* I. Fall, sink, drop, go down, come down.
2. Dismount, alight, get down.
3. Go, pass, proceed, be transferred *or* transmitted *or* handed down.
4. Originate, be derived, take rise.
5. Make an attack, make an assault, make a descent.
**Descend,** *v. a.* Go down, move down.
**Descendants,** *n. pl.* Progeny, posterity, offspring.
**Descendent,** *a.* Descending.
**Descent,** *n.* I. Fall, coming down.
2. Going down, descending, journey *or* voyage down.
3. Declivity, slope.
4. Extraction, derivation, parentage, genealogy.
5. Attack, assault, incursion, foray, raid, hostile invasion.
**Describe,** *v. a.* I. Delineate, trace, draw, mark out.
2. Represent (*by words*), portray, depict, explain, recount, narrate, relate, give an account of, set forth.
3. Characterize, specify the peculiarities of, set forth the character of.
**Description,** *n.* I. Delineation, tracing.
2. Representation, explanation, account, relation, recital, report, narration, narrative.
3. Sort, kind, class, species.
**Descry,** *v. a.* I. Discover, discern, espy, perceive, see, behold, get sight of, get a glimpse of.
2. Detect, recognize, find out, spy out.
**Desecrate,** *v. a.* Profane, pollute, treat sacrilegiously, pervert to unholy uses.
**Desecration,** *n.* Profanation, pollution, perversion to unholy uses, sacrilegious treatment.
**Desert,** *a.* Uninhabited, desolate, forsaken, wild, waste, barren, untilled.
**Desert,** *n.* Wilderness, waste, solitude, deserted region.
**Desert,** *n.* Deserving, due, merit *or* demerit.
**Desert,** *v. a.* I. Forsake, leave, quit, abandon, renounce, leave in the lurch, turn one's back upon.
2. Leave unlawfully, run away from.
**Desert,** *v. n.* Abandon one's post, run away from military service.
**Deserted,** *a.* Forsaken, abandoned, relinquished, given up, cast off, lonely, lone.
**Deserter,** *n.* I. Forsaker, abandoner.
2. Backslider, renegade, apostate, revolter, turncoat.
3. Delinquent soldier, renegade from military service.
**Desertion,** *n.* I. Abandonment, relinquishment, dereliction.
2. Abandonment of one's post, unlawful departure from military service.
**Deserve,** *v. a.* Merit, be worthy of, be entitled to.
**Déshabillé,** *n.* [Fr.] Undress.
**Desiccate,** *v. a.* Dry, exsiccate, dry up, make dry.
**Desiccative,** *a.* Drying.
**Desiccative,** *n.* Drier.
**Desiderate,** *v. a.* Desire, want, miss, lack, feel the want of.
**Desideratum,** *n.* [L. *pl. Desiderata.*] Object of desire, thing wanted, want generally felt.
**Design,** *v. a.* I. Project, plan, devise, contrive, scheme, concoct, brew.
2. Purpose, intend, mean, propose to one's self, have in view.
3. Draw, delineate, sketch, describe, trace out.

**Design,** *n.* 1. Intention, intent, purpose, project, plan, device, scheme, proposal, aim, intent, meaning, purport, drift, scope, object, mark.
2. Sketch, drawing, outline, delineation, plan, draught.
3. Contrivance, invention, inventiveness, adaptation of means to ends.

**Designate,** *v. a.* 1. Specify, particularize, distinguish, indicate, denote, show, point out, mark out, select.
2. Characterize, describe, define.
3. Denominate, name, entitle, style, call, term, christen, dub.
4. Appoint, assign, allot.

**Designation,** *n.* 1. Indication, specification, pointing out, particularization, selection.
2. Kind, class, description.
3. Name, appellation, title, style, denomination. See EPITHET.

**Designedly,** *ad.* Purposely, intentionally, on purpose, deliberately.

**Designing,** *a.* Crafty, insidious, deceitful, artful, intriguing, sly, wily, astute, subtle, cunning, arch, trickish, tricky, treacherous, crooked, diplomatic, Machiavelian.

**Desirable,** *a.* Eligible, enviable, to be desired.

**Desire,** *n.* 1. Wish, will, aspiration.
2. Longing, craving, hankering, inclination, proclivity, impulse, drawing, appetency, appetite.
3. Sexual love, love, passion.
4. Brute passion, sexual appetite, lust.

**Desire,** *v. a.* 1. Wish, crave, covet, want, fancy, wish for, long for, hanker after, lust after, yearn for, aspire after.
2. Solicit, request, ask.

**Desirous,** *a.* Eager, longing, solicitous, desiring, feeling a desire.

**Desist,** *v. n.* Cease, stop, pause, forbear, stay, leave off, break off, give over.

**Desman,** *n.* Muscovy (*Mygale moschata*). See MUSK-RAT.

**Desolate,** *a.* 1. Uninhabited, unfrequented, lone, lonely, solitary, desert, forsaken, dreary, wild, waste, barren.
2. Lonely, lonesome, solitary, companionless.
3. Ruined, destroyed, devastated, ravaged, laid waste, desolated.
4. Comfortless, cheerless, miserable, wretched, forlorn.

**Desolate,** *v. a.* Ravage, devastate, depopulate, ruin, destroy, despoil, sack, lay waste.

**Desolation,** *n.* 1. Ruin, devastation, ravage, destruction.
2. Desolateness, loneliness, solitude, solitariness, barrenness, wildness, bleakness, dreariness.
3. Gloom, gloominess, sadness, unhappiness, wretchedness, misery.

**Despair,** *n.* Desperation, despondency, loss of hope, complete *or* utter hopelessness.

**Despair,** *v. n.* Despond, lose all hope, give up all expectation, be without any hope.

**Despatch,** *v. a.* [Written also *Dispatch.*] 1. Send away (*in haste*).
2. Kill, slay, slaughter, assassinate, put to death, send out of the world.
3. Hasten, expedite, accelerate, forward, speed, quicken, finish, conclude, wind up, push *or* urge forward, press *or* urge on, make short work of.

**Despatch,** *n.* 1. Despatching, sending, dismissal on an errand.
2. Speed, haste, expedition, diligence, due diligence.
3. Transaction, carrying on, conduct, completion, doing, transacting.
4. Message (*expeditiously sent*), communication, missive, instruction, report.
5. Telegraphic despatch, telegram, message by telegraph.

**Desperado,** *n.* Dare-devil, desperate fellow, reckless man, ruffian.

**Desperate,** *a.* 1. Despairing, hopeless, desponding, despondent, without hope.
2. Wretched, forlorn, beyond hope, irretrievable, past cure, hopeless, despaired of, lost beyond recovery.
3. Extreme, prompted by despair, heroic, done as a last resort *or* in defiance of consequences.
4. Rash, reckless, precipitate, headlong, frantic, despairing.
5. (*Colloq.*) Great, extreme, prodigious, monstrous, supreme.

**Desperation,** *n.* 1. Despair, hopelessness.
2. Rage, fury, defiance of consequences, reckless fury.

**Despicable,** *a.* Contemptible, base, mean, abject, vile, worthless, low, paltry, pitiful.

**Despise,** *v. a.* Contemn, scorn, spurn, disdain, scout, slight, disregard, hold in contempt, look down upon.

**Despite,** *n.* 1. Malevolence, malignity, malice, spite.
2. Defiance, contempt, contemptuous opposition, contumacy.

**Despite,** *prep.* Notwithstanding, in spite of, in the face of, in the teeth of.

**Despoil,** *v. a.* 1. Strip, denude, divest, deprive, bereave.
2. Rob, plunder, pillage, ravage, devastate, rifle, fleece.

**Despond,** *v. n.* Despair, be cast down, be disheartened, lose hope, lose courage, be despondent, give up, abandon hope. See DESPAIR.

**Despondency,** *n.* Dejection, discouragement, depression, sadness, gloom, blues, vapors, blue devils, lowness of spirits. See MELANCHOLY, *n.*

**Despondent,** *a.* Dispirited, disheartened, discouraged, dejected, depressed, low-spirited, in low spirits. See MELANCHOLY, *a.*

**Despot,** *n.* 1. Autocrat, dictator, absolute sovereign, absolute ruler.
2. Tyrant, oppressor, arbitrary *or* wilful ruler.

**Despotic,** } *a.* 1. Absolute, imperious, auto-
**Despotical,** } cratic.
2. Tyrannical, tyrannous, arbitrary, oppressive.

**Despotism,** *n.* 1. Autocracy, absolutism, dictatorship, absolute power.
2. Tyranny, arbitrary *or* capricious rule, oppression.
3. Overpowering control, overweening influence.

**Desquamation,** *n.* (*Med.*) Exfoliation, scaling.

**Destination,** *n.* 1. Fate, lot, doom, fortune, star, destiny.
2. Purpose, design, end, object, aim, scope, drift.
3. Goal, harbor, haven, landing-place, resting-place, journey's end.

**Destine,** *v. a.* 1. Appoint, ordain, allot, devote, consecrate.
2. Intend, design.
3. Doom, decree.

**Destiny,** *n.* 1. Lot, doom, fortune, fate, star, destination.
2. Fate, necessity, decrees of fate, wheel of fortune.

**Destitute,** *a.* Indigent, needy, poor, penniless, necessitous, distressed, reduced, pinched, short of money, out of money, out of cash, out of pocket, in need, in want, moneyless.

**Destitute of.** Wanting, lacking, without, devoid of, unprovided with.

**Destitution,** *n.* Indigence, want, need, poverty, penury, privation.

**Destroy,** *v. a.* I. Demolish, overturn, overthrow, subvert, raze, ruin, throw down, pull down, break up, sap the foundations of.
2. Annihilate, quench, take away, put an end to, bring to nought.
3. Waste, ravage, desolate, devastate, devour, lay waste, make desolate, swallow up, ravage with fire and sword.
4. Extirpate, eradicate, uproot, kill, slay, extinguish, carry off, root out, grub up, pluck up by the roots, cut up root and branch, strike at the root of, give a death-blow to, scatter to the winds.

**Destruction,** *n.* I. Demolition, subversion, overthrow, ruin, havoc, shipwreck.
2. Desolation, devastation, ravage.
3. Eradication, extirpation, extinction, ruin.
4. Death, slaughter, murder, massacre.
5. Destroyer, destroying agent, plague.

**Destructive,** *a.* I. Ruinous, pernicious, deleterious, baleful, mischievous, fatal, deadly.
2. [With *of.*] Extirpative, eradicative, annihilatory.

**Desuetude,** *n.* Disuse, discontinuance, non-observance, obsoleteness *or* obsolescence.

**Desultory,** *a.* Immethodical, unconnected, unsystematic, irregular, fitful, capricious, rambling, wandering, roving, discursive, cursory, slight, by fits and starts.

**Detach,** *v. a.* I. Separate, disjoin, disengage, disunite, sever, dissever, part, divide.
2. Detail, send away, appoint to a special service.

**Detail,** *v. a.* I. Relate, recount, narrate, rehearse, delineate, portray, depict, enumerate, particularize, describe, set forth.
2. Detach, send away, appoint to a special service.

**Detail,** *n.* I. Account, narration, narrative, relation, recital.
2. Detachment, sending off, appointment to special service.
3. Individual part, item, particular, particularity.

**Details,** *n. pl.* Particulars, minutiæ, distinct parts, minor circumstances.

**Detain,** *v. a.* I. Restrain, stay, check, delay, retain, stop, keep back.
2. Confine, hold *or* keep in custody.

**Detect,** *v. a.* Discover, expose, descry, ascertain, find, find out, bring to light, lay open.

**Detection,** *n.* Discovery, finding out, exposure.

**Detent,** *n.* Pawl, click, catch, ratchet.

**Deter,** *v. a.* Restrain, hinder, discourage, prevent, hold back, withhold (*by fear*).

**Detergent,** *a.* Cleansing, detersive.

**Deteriorate,** *v. a.* Impair, degrade, debase, vitiate, make worse.

**Deteriorate,** *v. n.* Degenerate, decline, become impaired, grow worse.

**Deterioration,** *n.* I. Debasement, degradation, depravation, vitiation, perversion.
2. Degeneration, degeneracy, caducity, decline, impairment.

**Determinable,** *a.* Definable, fixable, capable of decision, that may be determined.

**Determinate,** *a.* I. Determined, definite, fixed, limited, settled, established, explicit, positive, express, absolute, certain.
2. Decisive, conclusive, definitive, decided.

**Determination,** *n.* I. Determining, settling, fixing, ascertainment, settlement, deciding, decision.
2. Decision, resolution, conclusion, judgment, purpose, resolve, result.
3. Direction, tendency, leaning.
4. Resoluteness, resolution, fixity of purpose, firmness, constancy, persistence.
5. (*Law.*) Ceasing, termination.
6. (*Log.*) Definition, qualification, limitation, adding of determinants *or* predicates.

**Determine,** *v. a.* I. Settle, decide, adjust, conclude, end, fix.
2. Ascertain, certify, verify, find out, make out, fix upon.
3. Influence, lead, induce, incline, turn, give direction to.
4. Resolve, decide, make the resolution *or* decision.
5. (*Law.*) Bring to an end, put an end to, cause to terminate.
6. (*Log.*) Define, condition, limit, give marks *or* qualifications *or* predicates.
7. Necessitate, compel, subject to unyielding conditions.

**Determine,** *v. n.* I. Conclude, decide, resolve.
2. Cease, end, come to an end.

**Detersive,** *a.* Cleansing, detergent.

**Detest,** *v. a.* Hate (*extremely*), abominate, abhor, loathe, execrate, nauseate, shrink from, recoil from.

**Detestable,** *a.* I. Execrable, abominable, odious, hateful, cursed, accursed, abhorred, damnable.
2. Loathsome, disgusting, sickening, repulsive, offensive, nauseating.

**Detestation,** *n.* I. Hatred, abhorrence, abomination, detesting.
2. Loathing, disgust, antipathy.

**Dethrone,** *v. a.* Depose, drive from the throne, drive out of power.

**Detonate,** *v. n.* Explode with a loud report, detonize.

**Detonate,** *v. a.* Detonize, cause to explode *or* burst with a loud report.

**Detonation,** *n.* Explosive report, bursting noise.

**Detonize,** *v. n.* See DETONATE, *v. n.*

**Detonize,** *v. a.* See DETONATE, *v. a.*

**Détour,** *n.* [Fr.] Circuitous route, indirect way, roundabout way.

**Detract,** *v. a.* Depreciate, disparage, etc. See under 1, in next entry.

**Detract from.** I. Depreciate, disparage, decry, asperse, abuse, calumniate, vilify, traduce, defame, derogate from.
2. Subtract from, lessen, diminish, depreciate, deteriorate, lower, derogate from.

**Detraction,** *n.* Depreciation, slander, aspersion, abuse, calumny, defamation, disparagement, derogation, censure.

**Detractor,** *n.* Slanderer, defamer, calumniator, vilifier, depreciator, asperser.

**Detriment,** *n.* Loss, damage, injury, disadvantage, mischief, prejudice, evil, harm, hurt.

**Detrimental,** *a.* Injurious, hurtful, harmful, mischievous, pernicious, prejudicial.

**Detritus,** *n.* I. *Débris*, rubbish of attrition.
2. Rubbish, waste, disintegrated remains, *débris.*

**Detrude,** *v. a.* Depress, lower, sink, drop, thrust down, force down, thrust into (*a lower place* or *state*).

**Detrusion,** *n.* Depression, lowering, thrusting down.

**Deuce,** *n.* I. Two, two-spot (*said of cards* or *dice*).
2. (*Colloq.*) Devil.

**Deutoxide,** *n.* Binoxide.

**Devastate,** *v. a.* Ravage, pillage, plunder, sack, spoil, despoil, destroy, desolate, strip, lay waste.

**Devastation,** *n.* I. Ravaging, pillaging, etc. See the verb.
2. Ravage, desolation, destruction, havoc, ruin, waste, pillage, rapine.

**Develop,** *v. a.* I. Unfold, evolve, disclose, exhibit, unravel, disentangle, make known, lay open.

2. Cause to grow, bring to maturity, bring out.
3. (*Alg.*) Expand, perform the operations indicated in.

**Develop,** *v. n.* Unfold, open, grow, be developed, advance to maturity, advance in successive *or* continuous gradation.

**Development,** *n.* 1. Unfolding, disclosure, exhibition, unravelling, disentanglement.
2. Growth, increase, progress to maturity.
3. Evolution, progressive growth, progression in a continuously ascending gradation.
4. (*Alg.*) Expansion, expanding.

**Deviate,** *v. n.* 1. Digress, diverge, deflect, veer, tack, wheel, turn aside, alter one's course, wheel about.
2. Err, stray, swerve, wander, go astray, go out of one's way, lose one's way.
3. Differ, vary, diverge.

**Deviate,** *v. a.* Turn aside, cause to deviate.

**Deviation,** *n.* 1. Divergence, departure, depression, divarication, turning, aberration.
2. Difference, variation, variance, change, alteration.
3. Error, offence, iniquity, sin, obliquity of conduct.

**Device,** *n.* 1. Contrivance, invention, scheme, design, plan, project, expedient, shift, resort, resource.
2. Artifice, stratagem, wile, ruse, manœuvre, trick, fraud, evasion.
3. Design, fanciful conception, piece of fancy.
4. Emblem, symbol, type, sign, emblazoned bearing.
5. Motto, emblematic legend, legend.

**Devil,** *n.* 1. Satan, Lucifer, Belial, Apollyon, Arch-fiend, Arch-enemy, the Tempter, Deuce, the Evil One, the Man of Sin, the Wicked One, the Old Serpent, the Prince of Darkness, the Foul Fiend, the Enemy, the Adversary. See APOLLYON.
2. Demon, evil spirit, goblin.
3. Printer's devil, printer's errand-boy.

**Devil,** *v. a.* 1. Make devilish *or* fiendish.
2. Spice excessively, make hot *or* burning with spices.

**Devilish,** *a.* 1. Diabolical, satanic, infernal, demon, demonic, demoniac, fiendish, hellish.
2. Atrocious, malignant, malign, malicious, malevolent, wicked, cruel, barbarous; *and all under* 1, *taken figuratively.*

**Devilry,** *n.* 1. Mischief, diablery, *diablerie*, devilment, wanton rollicking.
2. Wickedness, devilishness, satanic evil, fiendishness.

**Devious,** *a.* 1. Deviating, erratic, wandering, out of the common way.
2. Erratic, going astray, sinful.
3. Crooked, mazy, labyrinthine, obscure, confusing.
4. Crooked, disingenuous, misleading, treacherous.

**Devise,** *v. a.* 1. Contrive, invent, imagine, plan, scheme, project, brew, concert, concoct, compass.
2. Bequeath, demise, leave, give by will.

**Devise,** *n.* Bequest, legacy.

**Devoid,** *a.* Vacant, empty, destitute, void.

**Devoirs,** *n. pl.* [Fr.] Respects, homage.

**Devolve,** *v. a.* Alienate, transfer, demise, consign, convey, deliver over, make over.

**Devolve,** *v. n.* Fall (*by succession* or *by inheritance*), pass, be transferred, be handed over.

**Devote,** *v. a.* 1. Appropriate (*by vow*), consecrate, dedicate, destine, set apart.
2. Addict, apply, resign, give up.
3. Doom, give over, consign.

**Devoted,** *a.* 1. Attached, loving, affectionate.
2. Ardent, zealous, earnest, assiduous.

**Devotee,** *n.* Bigot, fanatic, zealot, enthusiast.

**Devotion,** *n.* 1. Consecration, dedication.
2. Piety, religion, devoutness, religiousness, devotedness, holiness, sanctity, saintliness, godliness.
3. [*Usually in pl.*] Worship, adoration, prayer, devoutness.
4. Attachment, affection, love.
5. Ardor, earnestness, eagerness, zeal, devotedness.

**Devotional,** *a.* Devout, religious, pious, saintly, godly.

**Devour,** *v. a.* 1. Gorge, engorge, eat greedily *or* ravenously, swallow eagerly.
2. Destroy, consume, annihilate, waste, spend, expend, swallow up, destroy swiftly *or* rapidly.

**Devout,** *a.* 1. Religious, pious, holy, saintly, devotional, godly, saint-like, heavenly-minded.
2. Sincere, earnest, serious, grave, solemn.

**Dew-worm,** *n.* Earth-worm, lob-worm (*Lumbricus terrestris*).

**Dexterity,** *n.* Skill, skilfulness, adroitness, expertness, readiness, facility, aptness, aptitude, address, quickness, cleverness, knack, ability, tact, art.

**Dexterous,** *a.* Skilful, adroit, expert, handy, apt, ready, quick, clever, able, facile.

**Diablery,** *n.* Mischief, wickedness, diabolical conduct. See DEVILRY.

**Diabolic,** / **Diabolical,** } *a.* Fiendish, infernal, satanic, impious, atrocious, wicked. See DEVILISH.

**Diacoustics,** *n.* Diaphonics.

**Diadem,** *n.* 1. Crown.
2. Empire, sovereignty.

**Diagnostic,** *a.* Distinguishing, characteristic.

**Diagram,** *n.* Figure.

**Dial,** *n.* Sun-dial.

**Dialect,** *n.* 1. Provincialism, idiom.
2. Language, tongue, speech, form of speech, phraseology, parlance.

**Dialectic,** *n.* (*Log.*) Logic of illusion, negative procedure, progression by negation.

**Dialectic,** / **Dialectical,** } *a.* 1. Logical.
2. Negative, critical, exposing limits, exposing inadequacy.
3. Idiomatic, provincial.

**Dialectician,** *n.* Logician, reasoner.

**Dialectics,** *n.* 1. Application of logical principles, applied logic.
2. Logic, science of the laws of thought, science of reasoning.

**Dialogue,** *n.* Colloquy, conference, conversation.

**Diameter,** *n.* Distance through the centre (*as of a circle*), central chord.

**Diamond,** *n.* 1. Brilliant, crystallized carbon, carbon crystal.
2. Rhombus, lozenge.

**Diaphaneity,** *n.* Transparency, translucency, pellucidness.

**Diaphanous,** *a.* Transparent, translucent, pellucid, clear.

**Diaphonics,** *n.* Diacoustics.

**Diaphragm,** *n.* Midriff.

**Diarrhœa,** *n.* (*Med.*) Relax, flux, purging, looseness of the bowels.

**Diarthrosis,** *n.* (*Med*) Abarticulation.

**Diary,** *n.* Journal, register, chronicle.

**Diastole,** *n.* Dilatation, outward throb.

**Diatessaron,** *n.* Harmony of the (*four*) Gospels.

**Diatribe,** *n.* 1. Disputation, dissertation, disquisition.
2. Invective, philippic, strain of invective stream of abuse, reviling, tirade.

**Dickens,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) The Deuce, the Devil.
**Dicker,** *n.* Ten, group of ten, bunch of ten.
**Dictate,** *v. a.* I. Prescribe, direct, ordain, command, order, bid, require, decree.
2. Utter (*so that another may repeat* or *write*).
**Dictate,** *n.* I. Injunction, command, order, decree.
2. Precept, maxim, rule.
**Dictation,** *n.* I. Prescription, direction.
2. Utterance (*for copying*).
**Dictator,** *n.* Despot, autocrat, absolute ruler.
**Dictatorial,** *a.* I. Absolute, unlimited, unrestricted.
2. Imperious, authoritative, overbearing, domineering, dictatory.
**Dictatorship,** *n.* I. Dictatorial office.
2. Term *or* tenure of absolute power.
3. Despotism, absolutism, arbitrary power, absolute power, iron rule.
**Diction,** *n.* I. Style, phraseology, language, expression, mode *or* manner of expression, turn of expression, form of expression.
2. Choice of words, words employed, vocabulary.
**Dictionary,** *n.* I. Lexicon, vocabulary, glossary, word-book.
2. Encyclopædia, cyclopædia, alphabetical summary (*in any department of knowledge*).
**Dictum,** *n.* (L. *pl. Dicta.*) I. Saying, assertion, affirmation.
2. (*Law.*) (*a*) Extra-judicial opinion; (*b*) award, arbitrament, decision (*of an arbitrator*).
**Didactic,** } *a.* Preceptive.
**Didactical,** }
**Didactics,** *n. pl.* Science and art of teaching, pædeutics, pedagogy.
**Didapper,** *n.* Dab-chick, dob-chick (*Podiceps minor*).
**Diddle,** *v. n.* I. Totter.
2. Trifle, dawdle, waste time.
**Die,** *v. n.* I. Expire, decease, depart, leave the world, draw the last breath, cease to exist, give up the ghost, pay the debt of nature, take one's last sleep, shuffle off this mortal coil, go the way of all flesh, go to one's last home, be numbered with the dead, cross the Styx, cross the Stygian ferry.
2. Wither, perish, decay, decline, fade, fade out, lose life.
3. Cease, vanish, disappear, come to nothing, come to an end, be lost, be heard of no more.
4. Sink, faint, fall.
5. Gradually cease, become fainter and fainter, subside, gradually disappear.
**Die,** *n.* I. Cube (*for gaming*).
2. Dado, cube of a pedestal.
3. Stamp.
**Die away.** I. Subside, grow less and less, decrease gradually. See DIE, 5.
2. Languish (*with delight* or *tenderness*), fall into an ecstasy, swoon.
**Diet,** *n.* I. Food, provision, victuals, aliment, nutriment, nourishment, subsistence, provision, fare, viands, regimen, cheer, rations, commons.
2. Assembly, convention, council, convocation, congress, parliament.
**Diet,** *v. n.* I. Eat sparingly, eat by rule regulate the diet.
2. Feed, eat, take nourishment, nourish one's self.
**Differ,** *v. n.* I. Vary, deviate, diverge, be unlike.
2. Disagree, be of a different opinion, think differently.
3. Wrangle, quarrel, contend, bicker, be at variance.
**Difference,** *n.* I. Dissimilarity, variation, diversity, disparity, dissimilitude, divergence, deviation, contrariety, contrast, disagreement.
2. Disagreement, variance, alienation, misunderstanding, dissension, jarring, breach, rupture, schism, contest, contention, quarrel, dispute, debate, controversy, altercation, bickering, wrangle, strife, falling out.
3. Distinction, discrimination.
4. Remainder (after subtraction), amount of inequality.
**Different,** *a.* I. Distinct, separate, not the same.
2. Unlike, dissimilar, various, diverse, contrary, contrasted, variant, deviating, divergent, diverging.
3. Various, divers, many, manifold, sundry.
**Differential,** *a.* Discriminating.
**Difficult,** *a.* I. Hard, arduous, Herculean, uphill, beset with difficulty.
2. Obscure, hard to be understood, intricate, perplexing.
3. Austere, rigid, unyielding, unaccommodating, uncompliant, hard to manage *or* persuade.
4. Fastidious, dainty, squeamish, hard to please.
**Difficulty,** *n.* I. Arduousness.
2. Obstacle, impediment, bar, obstruction, barrier, hindrance, trouble, perplexity, exigency, trial, dilemma, embarrassment, emergency, pinch, predicament, fix, pickle, stand, dead-set, set fast, dead-lock, dead-stand, stand-still, horns of a dilemma, up-hill work, sea of troubles, peck of troubles, hard row to hoe, hard nut to crack.
3. Objection, cavil, obstacle to belief.
4. Embroilment, complication, controversy, misunderstanding, difference.
**Diffidence,** *n.* I. Distrust, doubt, hesitation, hesitancy, reluctance.
2. Bashfulness, timidity, sheepishness, shyness, extreme modesty, distrust of one's self, lack *or* want of self-reliance.
**Diffident,** *a.* I. Distrustful, doubtful, hesitating, reluctant.
2. Bashful, timid, sheepish, over-modest, shy, distrustful of one's self.
**Diffuse,** *v. a.* Disperse, scatter, disseminate, spread, circulate, propagate, distribute, pour out, send abroad, spread abroad.
**Diffuse,** *a.* I. Prolix, copious, rambling, loose, verbose, wordy, long-winded, long-spun, spun out.
2. (*Med.*) Spreading, ill-defined, vaguely defined.
**Diffusion,** *n.* Dispersion, spread, extension, propagation, circulation, distribution.
**Diffusive,** *a.* I. Expansive, wide-reaching, permeating.
2. Spreading in every direction.
**Dig,** *v. a.* I. Excavate, delve, scoop, hollow out.
2. Break up (*with a spade, hoe,* or *the like*).
**Dig,** *v. n.* Delve, work with a spade, hoe, etc.
**Dig,** *n.* I. Punch, poke, thrust.
2. [*At colleges, U. S.*] Plodding student.
**Digest,** *n.* I. Pandect.
2. Code, system.
3. Abridgment, abstract, compend, compendium, epitome, summary, synopsis, conspectus, breviary, brief, sum and substance.
**Digest,** *v. a.* I. Methodize, systematize, arrange, codify, classify, dispose, reduce to order.
2. Concoct, convert into chyme.
3. Study, ponder, consider, contemplate, reflect upon, think on, meditate upon, con over, revolve in the mind.
4. Appropriate completely (*in the mind*), make one's own, assimilate, master.

5. (*Chem.*) Soften by a gentle heat, macerate, steep, soak.

**Digestion,** *n.* 1. Conversion of food into chyme.
2. Methodizing, digesting, classifying.
3. (*Chem.*) Macerating, maceration, steeping.

**Digit,** *n.* 1. Finger.
2. Numerical symbol (*in the Arabic notation*).
3. Finger's breadth, three fourths of an inch.
4. One twelfth of the solar diameter.

**Dignified,** *a.* Stately, noble, majestic, august, grave, imposing, decorous.

**Dignify,** *v. a.* 1. Advance, promote, exalt, ennoble, prefer to office.
2. Honor, grace, adorn, exalt, ennoble, give lustre to, add dignity to.

**Dignity,** *n.* 1. Rank, elevation, standing, station, place, greatness, eminence, exaltation, glory, honor, reputableness, respectability.
2. Stateliness, grandeur, majesty, nobleness, lofty bearing *or* conduct, elevation of aspect *or* deportment, dignified behavior, decorum.
3. Honor, preferment, high station *or* office.
4. Magistrate, dignitary, person in office.
5. Height, elevation, importance.

**Digress,** *v. n.* Wander, deviate *or* diverge *or* turn aside from one's main topic.

**Digression,** *n.* 1. Deviation *or* divergence *or* departure from the main topic.
2. Episode, incidental passage.

**Dilacerate,** *v. a.* Tear, lacerate, rend, rend asunder.

**Dilapidate,** *v. a.* Waste, ruin, destroy, pull down, throw down, suffer to go to ruin.

**Dilapidated,** *a.* Decayed, ruined, wasted, in ruins.

**Dilapidation,** *n.* Ruin, decay, downfall.

**Dilatation,** *n.* Expansion, expanding, distension, enlargement, spreading, amplification, swelling, dilation.

**Dilate,** *v. a.* Expand, extend, enlarge, widen, distend, swell.

**Dilate,** *v. n.* 1. Expand, widen, be distended.
2. Expatiate, descant, enlarge, dwell, be diffuse, be prolix, launch out, branch out, spin a long yarn, beat about the bush.

**Dilation,** *n.* (*Modern.*) Dilatation, expansion, expanding, swelling, bloating, distension, enlargement, amplification, spreading.

**Dilatory,** *a.* Slow, tardy, lingering, loitering, sluggish, laggard, lagging, behindhand, backward, procrastinating.

**Dilemma,** *n.* Quandary, strait, difficult choice, puzzling alternative, awkward *or* bad predicament.

**Dilettante,** *n.* [It.] 1. Amateur, trifling *or* desultory cultivator.
2. Pretender to taste (*in the fine arts*).

**Diligence,** *n.* Assiduity (*in some specific pursuit*), assiduousness, activity, sedulousness, perseverance, steady application (*to some pursuit that one likes*). See INDUSTRY.

**Diligent,** *a.* Assiduous, sedulous, industrious, active, busy, persevering, notable, hard-working, at work, diligently employed, busily engaged, up and stirring, busy as a bee, brisk as a bee.

**Dillydally,** *v. n.* Loiter, linger, delay, lag, saunter, trifle, dally, dawdle, idle away time.

**Dilute,** *v. a.* 1. Thin (*with water* or *other liquid*), make more liquid, make thinner.
2. Attenuate, reduce, weaken, thin, make thin, make weak.

**Dilute,** *a.* Thin, diluted, attenuated, weak.

**Diluvium,** *n.* (*Geol.*) Drift.

**Dim,** *a.* 1. Dusky, dark, obscure, mysterious, indistinct, ill-defined, indefinite, shadowy, cloudy, faint.
2. Dull, obtuse, slow to see, slow of understanding *or* perception.
3. Darkened, obscured, clouded, faint, confused, shorn of its beams.
4. Tarnished, blurred, sullied, dulled, dull.

**Dim,** *v. a.* Darken, obscure, cloud, sully, tarnish, dull.

**Dime,** *n.* Ten cents.

**Dimension,** *n.* 1. Extent, extension, measure (*in one direction*).
2. (*Alg.*) Literal factor.

**Dimensions,** *n. pl.* 1. Size, magnitude, bulk, volume, bigness, capacity, amplitude, greatness, largeness, mass, massiveness.
2. Measurements, linear dimensions; length, breadth, and thickness.

**Dim-eyed,** *a.* Dim-sighted, blear-eyed.

**Diminish,** *v. a.* Lessen, decrease, abate, reduce, contract, make smaller.

**Diminish,** *v. n.* Decrease, lessen, abate, subside, contract, grow *or* become less, be reduced, become smaller.

**Diminution,** *n.* Decrease, lessening, decrement, reduction, abatement, contraction.

**Diminutive,** *a.* Little, small, dwarfish, tiny, puny, pygmy, pygmean, contracted, minute, of small size.

**Dim-sighted,** *a.* Dim-eyed, blear-eyed.

**Din,** *n.* Noise, uproar, racket, clamor, clangor, clashing, clash, crash, crashing, clatter, hubbub, hullabaloo, hurly-burly.

**Dingle,** *n.* Dale, dell, vale, valley, glen.

**Dingy,** *a.* 1. Dun, dusky, brown.
2. Soiled, sullied, smirched, dimmed, dulled, faded.

**Dint,** *n.* 1. Stroke, blow.
2. Dent, indentation.
3. Force, power. [Only in the phrase *By dint of.*]

**Diocese,** *n.* Bishopric, see, jurisdiction, charge (*of a bishop*).

**Diocesan,** *n.* Head of the diocese, reigning *or* ruling bishop.

**Diodon,** *n.* Globe-fish, puffer, sea-hedgehog, porcupine-fish, prickly globe-fish.

**Dionæa,** *n.* Venus's fly-trap.

**Dioxide,** *n.* Sub-oxide.

**Dip,** *v. a.* 1. Immerse, plunge, douse, souse.
2. Take out (*with a ladle, cup, etc.*), ladle.
3. Baptize by immersion.

**Dip,** *v. n.* 1. Thrust a ladle (*cup, etc., into a liquid*).
2. Incline, tend downward.
3. Engage cursorily, enter slightly.
4. Dive, plunge, duck, pitch, immerse one's self.

**Diplomacy,** *n.* 1. Art of negotiating, negotiation, international business.
2. Artful management, tact, indirection.

**Diplomat,** } **Diplomate,** } *n.* See DIPLOMATIST.

**Diplomatist,** *n.* Negotiator, diplomat, expert in international affairs.

**Dipper,** *n.* 1. Plunger, ladler, etc. See verb.
2. Immersionist, dunker, tunker, tumbler.
3. Charles' Wain, Great Bear, Ursa Major, Cleaver.
4. Water-craw, water-pyet, water-crake, water-ouzel (*Cinclus aquaticus*).

**Dire,** *a.* Dreadful, dismal, fearful, direful, shocking, terrible, horrid, horrible, awful, terrific, tremendous, portentous, gloomy, woful, disastrous, calamitous, destructive, cruel, inexorable, implacable.

**Direct,** *a.* 1. Straight, in a right line, not crooked.
2. From father to son.

3. Plain, express, categorical, unambiguous, not equivocal.
4. Open, sincere, ingenuous, frank, outspoken.
5. (*Astron.*) In the order of the signs, advancing eastward.

**Direct,** *v. a.* 1. Aim, point, cast, turn.
2. Regulate, dispose, manage, conduct, control, govern, rule, guide.
3. Order, command, instruct, prescribe to, give directions to.
4. Show, point, guide, lead, put upon the right track.
5. Address, superscribe.

**Direction,** *n.* 1. Aim.
2. Tendency, line of motion.
3. Course, bearing, point of compass.
4. Management, oversight, superintendence, government, control, conduct.
5. Guidance, lead.
6. Order, command, prescription.
7. Address, superscription.

**Directly,** *ad.* 1. In a straight line, in a straight course.
2. Expressly, absolutely, unambiguously, openly, without circumlocution.
3. Immediately, quickly, promptly, speedily, soon, presently, forthwith, instantly, *instanter*, in a short time, without delay.

**Director,** *n.* 1. Superintendent, manager, boss.
2. Guide, counsellor, adviser, instructor, mentor, monitor.

**Direful,** *a.* Dreadful, fearful, horrible, terrible, shocking, horrid, terrific, awful, tremendous. See DIRE.

**Dirge,** *n.* Elegy, funeral song, mournful song, requiem, burial hymn, coronach.

**Dirt,** *n.* Filth, foul matter.

**Dirty,** *a.* 1. Unclean, foul, filthy, nasty, soiled, begrimed.
2. Clouded, cloudy, dark, sullied, dull.
3. Mean, base, vile, low, grovelling, sneaking, pitiful, paltry, beggarly, scurvy, shabby, despicable, contemptible.
4. [*Said of weather.*] Foul, rainy, sloppy, muddy, sleety, uncomfortable, disagreeable, nasty.

**Dirty,** *v. a.* Foul, befoul, soil, defile, draggle, daggle.

**Disability,** *n.* 1. Disqualification.
2. Inability, incapacity, incompetence, impotence, incapability.

**Disable,** *v. a.* 1. Weaken, enfeeble, cripple, paralyze, unman, deprive of strength.
2. Disqualify, incapacitate, disenable, unfit, make incapable.

**Disabuse,** *v. a.* Undeceive, set right.

**Disadvantage,** *n.* 1. Unfavorableness, disadvantageousness, inconvenience.
2. Injury, loss, damage, detriment, disservice, prejudice, hurt, drawback, harm.

**Disadvantageous,** *a.* 1. Unfavorable, ineligible, inconvenient.
2. Injurious, prejudicial, hurtful, detrimental, deleterious.

**Disaffect,** *v. a.* Alienate, estrange, make unfriendly.

**Disaffected,** *a.* Alienated, estranged, dissatisfied, disloyal.

**Disaffection,** *n.* Alienation, estrangement, breach, disagreement, dissatisfaction, disloyalty, ill-will.

**Disagree,** *v. n.* 1. Differ, vary, diverge, be unlike.
2. Dissent, be of different opinions, differ in opinion.
3. Quarrel, wrangle, dispute, bicker, fall out.
4. Be unsuitable, be unfit, be unsuited.

**Disagreeable,** *a.* Unpleasant, unpleasing, displeasing, distasteful, offensive.

**Disagreement,** *n.* 1. Difference, dissimilarity, unlikeness, dissimilitude, diversity, discrepancy, divergence, deviation.
2. Dissent, difference of opinion.
3. Discord, variance, misunderstanding, dissension, jarring, clashing, strife, quarrel, dispute, wrangle, bickering.

**Disallow,** *v. a.* 1. Prohibit, forbid, refuse permission to.
2. Reject, disapprove, set aside, refuse *or* decline to sanction.
3. Disavow, disclaim, disown, deny.

**Disannul,** *v. a.* Nullify, cancel, rescind, quash, vacate, annul, abolish, abrogate, void, invalidate, render void, set aside, do away.

**Disappear,** *v. n.* 1. Vanish, recede from view, be lost to view, pass out of sight.
2. Cease, cease to appear.

**Disappoint,** *v. a.* Balk, frustrate, foil, defeat, baffle, disconcert, bring to nought, foil of one's expectations.

**Disappointment,** *n.* 1. Frustration, foiling, baffling, unfulfilment.
2. Frustration of hopes, sense of frustration, feeling of thwarted expectation.

**Disapprobation,** *n.* Disapproval, censure, condemnation, displeasure, dislike.

**Disapproval,** *n.* Disapprobation, censure, condemnation, non-approval.

**Disapprove,** *v. a.* 1. Condemn, censure, dislike, regard as wrong.
2. Reject, disallow, refuse *or* decline to sanction.

**Disarm,** *v. a.* 1. Deprive of arms *or* weapons.
2. Disable, incapacitate, render powerless, harmless, *or* innocuous.

**Disarm,** *v. n.* Lay down arms, reduce the military establishment, dismiss *or* disband troops, reduce forces to a peace footing.

**Disarrange,** *v. a.* Disorder, unsettle, derange, disturb, put out of order, throw into disorder, throw into confusion.

**Disarray,** *n.* Confusion, disorder.

**Disaster,** *n.* Mishap, misfortune, reverse, mischance, misadventure, adversity, calamity, catastrophe, blow, stroke, casualty.

**Disastrous,** *a.* 1. Calamitous, unfortunate, unlucky, hapless, adverse, ruinous, destructive, untoward, unprosperous, ill-fated, ill-starred.
2. Foreboding, threatening, gloomy, dismal, portentous, portending disaster.

**Disavow,** *v. a.* Disclaim, disown, deny, disallow.

**Disband,** *v. a.* Break up, dismiss from (military) service, disperse, send home.

**Disband,** *v. n.* Separate, disperse, scatter, break up, retire from military service.

**Disbelief,** *n.* 1. Doubt, unbelief, non-conviction, rejection, lack of conviction.
2. Distrust, want of confidence, lack of trust.

**Disbelieve,** *v. a.* Discredit, not believe, refuse to credit, hold *or* consider not to be true.

**Disbeliever,** *n.* [With *in* or *of*.] Unbeliever, doubter, questioner, denier, non-adherent, opponent.

**Disburden,** *v. a.* Disencumber, unburden, unload, ease, rid, free, relieve, disburthen.

**Disburse,** *v. a.* Spend, expend, lay out, pay out.

**Disbursement,** *n.* Expenditure, paying out, laying out, spending.

**Disburthen,** *v. a.* See DISBURDEN.

**Discard,** *v. a.* 1. Reject, throw *or* thrust aside, throw away, cast away, lay aside, cast off.
2. Dismiss, discharge, cashier, break, cast off, turn away.

**Discern,** *v. a.* I. Discriminate, distinguish, note the distinctions of.
2. Perceive, see, discover, descry, behold, espy.
**Discern,** *v. n.* Discriminate, judge, make distinction.
**Discernible,** *a.* Perceptible, discoverable, to be discerned *or* descried.
**Discerning,** *a.* Discriminating, knowing, sagacious, perspicacious, judicious, acute, intelligent, ingenious, clear-headed, clear-sighted, keen-sighted, quick-sighted, eagle-eyed, hawk-eyed, Argus-eyed.
**Discernment,** *n.* I. Discrimination, sagacity, shrewdness, sharpness, brightness, astuteness, acuteness, cleverness, perspicacity, ingenuity, penetration, insight, judgment, intelligence, mother wit, quick parts.
2. Discerning, perception, notice, espial, discovery, descrying, beholding.
**Discharge,** *v. a.* I. Unload, disburden, unburden, relieve of a load.
2. Emit, expel, excrete, eject, void, throw off, send out, give forth.
3. Set off, fire off, let fly, give vent to, shoot, fire.
4. Pay, liquidate, cash.
5. Release, absolve, exonerate, acquit, clear, relieve, liberate, free, set free.
6. Dismiss, discard, cashier, break, turn away, send away.
7. Remove, destroy, put away, clear from.
8. Perform, execute, fulfil, observe, acquit one's self of.
9. Remove, take out (*as the cargo of a vessel*).
10. (*Law.*) Cancel, rescind, annul, nullify, invalidate, make void.
**Discharge,** *n.* I. Unloading, disburdening.
2. Emission, ejection, expulsion, excretion, vent, evacuation, voiding.
3. Firing, explosion, blast, burst, firing off.
4. Observance, performance, fulfilment, execution.
5. Payment, settlement, liquidation, satisfaction, clearance.
6. Release, liberation, exemption.
7. Acquittal, exoneration, absolution.
**Disciple,** *n.* I. Scholar, pupil, learner.
2. Follower, adherent, supporter.
**Disciplinarian,** *n.* Enforcer of discipline.
**Discipline,** *n.* I. Training, drilling, drill, exercise, diligent practice.
2. Control, regulation, government, good order, subjection.
3. Branch of knowledge, elements of culture.
4. Punishment, chastisement, correction.
5. Rule of practice, regulations.
**Discipline,** *v. a.* I. Instruct, train, breed, educate, teach, drill, exercise, form, bring up.
2. Regulate, control, govern, school, bring under subjection.
3. Punish, chastise, correct.
**Disclaim,** *v. a.* I. Disown, disavow, deny any knowledge of.
2. Renounce, reject, cast off.
**Disclaimer,** *n.* I. Disavowal.
2. (*Law*) Renunciation (*of a claim* or *a title*), relinquishment.
**Disclose,** *v. a.* I. Uncover, expose, bring to view, bring to light.
2. Reveal, divulge, show, unfold, unveil, tell, utter, betray, communicate, lay open, make known.
**Disclosure,** *n.* Revelation, exposure, discovery.
**Discolor,** *v. a.* Stain, tarnish, tinge, change the color of.
**Discomfit,** *v. a.* I. Defeat, overthrow, rout, overcome, overpower, conquer, vanquish, subdue, beat, checkmate, put to flight, put down, get the upper hand of, scatter in flight.
2. Foil, disconcert, balk, frustrate one's plans perplex.
**Discomfiture,** *n.* Rout, defeat, overthrow, ruin.
**Discomfort,** *n.* Uneasiness, disquiet, inquietude, trouble, annoyance.
**Discommode,** *v. a.* Disturb, annoy, molest, trouble, disquiet, incommode, inconvenience, put to inconvenience.
**Discompose,** *v. a.* I. Disorder, derange, disarrange, embroil, jumble, unsettle, confuse, disturb, throw into disorder *or* confusion.
2. Displease, disquiet, ruffle, agitate, harass, worry, annoy, plague, trouble, vex, fret, nettle, irritate, provoke, chafe.
3. Disconcert, perplex, bewilder, embarrass, abash, put out.
**Discomposure,** *n.* I. Derangement, confusion.
2. Agitation, disquiet, uneasiness, excitement, vexation, worry, perturbation, annoyance.
**Disconcert,** *v. a.* I. Frustrate, defeat, balk, baffle, upset, thwart, contravene, interrupt, undo.
2. Discompose, confuse, perplex, bewilder, embarrass, disturb, abash, put out, unbalance, throw off one's balance.
**Disconnect,** *v. a.* Disjoin, separate, disengage, disunite, sever. Compare DETACH.
**Disconnection,** *n.* Disjunction, disassociation, disunion, separation, isolation, severance.
**Disconsolate,** *a.* Inconsolable, desolate, forlorn, heart-broken, broken-hearted, comfortless, cheerless, sorrowful, melancholy, sad.
**Discontent,** *n.* Dissatisfaction, uneasiness, inquietude, restlessness, discontentment.
**Discontinuance,** *n.* Cessation, intermission, suspension, interruption, stoppage, stop, breaking off.
**Discontinue,** *v. a.* Intermit, stop, cease, interrupt, quit, break off, leave off, put an end to.
**Discontinuous,** *a.* Interrupted, broken, intermittent, discrete.
**Discord,** *n.* I. Disagreement, contention, strife, dissension, variance, opposition, wrangling, difference, rupture, falling out.
2. Dissonance, discordance, harshness, jarring, want of harmony.
**Discordance,** / **Discordancy,** } *n.* I. Disagreement, inconsistency, incongruity, opposition, conflict, repugnance.
2. Discord, dissonance.
**Discordant,** *a.* I. Disagreeing, incongruous, contradictory, contrary, opposite, repugnant, at variance.
2. Dissonant, harsh, jarring, inharmonious.
**Discount,** *n.* Allowance, deduction, reduction, drawback, abatement, rebate.
**Discountenance,** *v. a.* I. (*Rare.*) Abash, put to shame, put out of countenance.
2. Discourage, disfavor, check, frown upon, show disapprobation of.
**Discourage,** *v. a.* I. Dishearten, dispirit, depress, deject.
2. Dissuade, deter, keep back.
3. Disfavor, discountenance, throw cold water upon, put a damper on, cover with a wet blanket.
**Discouragement,** *n.* I. Disheartening.
2. Dissuasion, dehortation, counter influence.
3. Embarrassment, hindrance, obstacle, impediment, damper, wet blanket, cold water.
**Discourse,** *n.* I. (*Rare.*) Reason, reasoning faculty, reasoning.
2. Dissertation, treatise, disquisition, homily, sermon.

3. Conversation, talk, converse, oral communication, verbal intercourse.

**Discourse,** *v. n.* 1. Speak, expatiate, hold forth, deliver a discourse.

2. Talk, converse, parley, confer, advise, hold a conversation, hold a parley *or* conference, talk together.

3. Reason, make inferences, draw conclusions.

**Discourse,** *v. a.* Utter, emit, give forth, pour forth.

**Discourteous,** *a.* Uncivil, impolite, uncourtly, uncomplaisant, ungentlemanly, disrespectful, inurbane, unmannerly, uncourteous, brusk *or* brusque, abrupt, rude, ill-bred, ill-mannered.

**Discourtesy,** *n.* Incivility, impoliteness, rudeness, abruptness, bruskness *or* brusqueness, inurbanity, ill-breeding.

**Discover,** *v. a.* 1. Reveal, communicate, tell, disclose, exhibit, show, manifest, make manifest, impart, make known, lay open, lay bare, expose to view.

2. Ascertain, detect, find out.

3. Find out (*originally*), be the discoverer of, be the first to find.

4. Descry, discern, espy, see, behold, get sight of, get a glimpse of.

**Discovery,** *n.* 1. Disclosure, revelation, making known.

2. Finding, finding out, detection, ascertainment.

3. First sight, first view.

**Discredit,** *n.* 1. Doubt, question, loss of credit *or* credence.

2. Disrepute, dishonor, disgrace, reproach, opprobrium, obloquy, odium, ignominy, ill repute.

**Discredit,** *v. a.* 1. Disbelieve, give no credit to, place no confidence in, refuse credence to, question, doubt.

2. Disgrace, dishonor, bring reproach upon, make disreputable, blow upon, destroy confidence in, bring into disfavor, make distasteful, deprive of credit.

**Discreditable,** *a.* Disgraceful, disreputable.

**Discreet,** *a.* Prudent, cautious, judicious, wise, circumspect, considerate, heedful, wary.

**Discrepance,** } *n.* Difference, incongruity, dis-
**Discrepancy,** } agreement, contrariety, inconsistency, variance, divergence, discordance.

**Discrepant,** *a.* Differing, disagreeing, incongruous, inconsistent, contrary, discordant, jarring, clashing, conflicting.

**Discrete,** *a.* 1. Separate, distinct, disjunct, discontinuous.

2. Disjunctive, discretive.

**Discretion,** *n.* 1. Prudence (*in things immediately before us*), judgment, caution, wariness, carefulness, circumspection, considerateness, judiciousness. See PRUDENCE.

2. Sound judgment, good sense, discrimination, mature judgment, maturity, responsibility.

3. Will, pleasure, choice, liberty of judgment.

**Discretional,** }
**Discretionary,** } *a.* Optional.

**Discretive,** *a.* Disjunctive, discrete.

**Discriminate,** *v. a.* Distinguish, mark the difference between, tell one from the other.

**Discriminate,** *v. n.* Distinguish, make a distinction, note differences, judge nicely *or* accurately, be discriminating.

**Discrimination,** *n.* 1. Distinction, difference.

2. Discernment, penetration, acuteness, judgment, sagacity, insight.

**Discriminative,** *a.* Discriminating, distinguishing, characterizing, characteristic, distinctive.

**Discursive,** *a.* 1. Reasoning, argumentative, capable of reasoning.

2. Traversing a field of particulars, derived through particulars, passing from many to one, from manifoldness to unity.

3. Roving, wandering, rambling, desultory, taking a wide range.

**Discus,** *n.* Quoit, disk.

**Discuss,** *v. a.* Debate, sift, canvass, ventilate, agitate, argue, reason about, consider, deliberate (upon).

**Discussion,** *n.* 1. Debating, ventilation, agitation, canvassing.

2. Debate, disputation, controversy.

**Disdain,** *v. a.* Despise, contemn, scout, scorn, spurn, look down upon, hold in contempt, consider beneath notice.

**Disdain,** *n.* Scorn, contempt, contumely, haughtiness, superciliousness, arrogance, *hauteur*.

**Disdainful,** *a.* Scornful, contemptuous, supercilious, contumelious, haughty, cavalier.

**Disease,** *n.* Disorder, distemper, malady, complaint, ail, ailment, sickness, illness, indisposition, infirmity.

**Diseased,** *a.* Disordered, distempered, unsound, sickly, sick.

**Disembark,** *v. a.* Land, put on shore, send ashore, debark.

**Disembark,** *v. n.* Land, go on shore, debark.

**Disembarrass,** *v. a.* Disengage, extricate, release, disburden, disencumber, disentangle, ease, rid, free, clear, set free.

**Disembodied,** *a.* Unbodied, incorporeal, immaterial, spiritual, bodiless, divested of the body.

**Disembogue,** *v. a.* Discharge (*at the mouth, as a river*), empty, pour out, give vent to.

**Disembogue,** *v. n.* Issue, flow out (*at the mouth, as a river*), discharge itself, be discharged.

**Disemboguement,** *n.* Discharge, issue.

**Disembowel,** *v. a.* Eviscerate, embowel, take out the bowels of.

**Disembroil,** *v. a.* Disentangle, free from perplexity, extricate from confusion.

**Disenable,** *v. a.* Disqualify, disable, unfit, incapacitate, make incapable.

**Disenchant,** *v. a.* Free from enchantment, deliver from illusions, remove the spell from.

**Disencumber,** *v. a.* Disburden, disengage, disembarrass, release, ease, rid, set free.

**Disengage,** *v. a.* 1. Release, extricate, liberate, clear, disentangle, disembroil, disembarrass, loose, unloose, free, set free.

2. Separate, detach, divide, disjoin, disunite, dissociate.

3. Withdraw, wean, draw off.

**Disengaged,** *a.* Unengaged, unoccupied, at leisure, not busy.

**Disengagement,** *n.* 1. Detachment, separation.

2. Liberation, release, extrication, disentanglement.

3. Leisure, freedom from business

**Disennoble,** *v. a.* Degrade, disgrace, make ignoble, deprive of rank *or* dignity, strip of title.

**Disentangle,** *v. a.* 1. Unravel, untwist, unfold, loosen, separate, straighten out.

2. Extricate, disengage, disembroil, liberate, clear, loose, unloose, disconnect, detach, free, set free.

**Disenthrall,** *v. a.* Liberate, enfranchise, free, release from bondage, rescue from slavery *or* oppression.

**Disestablish,** *v. a.* 1. (*Rare.*) Abolish, overthrow, annul, discontinue, abrogate, set aside, do away.

2. Deprive of public support, strip of State authority, abolish as a State institution

**Disestablishment,** *n.* 1. (*Rare.*) Abolition, annulment, discontinuance, abrogation, overthrow, subversion, destruction, annihilation, extinction.

2. Deprivation of public support, stripping of State authority, abolition as a State institution.

**Disesteem,** *n.* and *v. a.* Disregard. See DISFAVOR.

**Disfavor,** *n.* 1. Disregard, disesteem, dislike, disrespect, little *or* slight esteem, low regard, slight displeasure, unfavorable regard, disapproval.

2. Unacceptableness, (*state of*) disapproval *or* low regard, disgrace, uninfluential position.

3. Unkindness, disobliging act, ill turn, disservice, act of ill-will.

**Disfigure,** *v. a.* Deform, deface, mar, injure, blemish, spoil, make ugly, make unsightly.

**Disfigurement,** *n.* 1. Defacement, injury, deforming, marring, blemishing, spoiling.

2. Deformity, blemish, injury.

**Disfranchise,** *v. a.* Deprive of a franchise, deprive of chartered rights *or* the privileges of a citizen.

**Disfurnish,** *v. a.* Unfurnish, strip, divest, dismantle, disgarnish.

**Disgarnish,** *v. a.* See DISFURNISH.

**Disgorge,** *v. a.* 1. Vomit, spew, cast up, throw up.

2. Eject, discharge, throw out.

3. Relinquish, surrender, yield, give up, give back.

**Disgrace,** *n.* 1. Disfavor, disesteem, degradation.

2. Dishonor, discredit, disrepute, disesteem, shame, reproach, disparagement, ignominy, infamy, opprobrium, obloquy, odium, scandal, blot on one's escutcheon.

**Disgrace,** *v. a.* 1. Put out of favor, dismiss from favor, humiliate, humble, degrade, strip of rank *or* honors.

2. Dishonor, discredit, degrade, debase, tarnish, stain, sully, taint, bring shame, reproach, dishonor, *or* a stain upon.

**Disgraceful,** *a.* Shameful, ignominious, scandalous, dishonorable, discreditable, disreputable, infamous, opprobrious, ignominious, that deserves reproach, odium, *or* obloquy.

**Disguise,** *v. a.* Conceal (*by dress* or *outward appearance*), cloak, veil, shroud, muffle, mask, hide, dissemble.

**Disguise,** *n.* 1. Mask, cover, counterfeit dress.

2. False appearance, counterfeit show, cloak, blind, pretence, pretext.

**Disguised,** *a.* 1. Cloaked, masked, veiled, in disguise.

2. Intoxicated, inebriated, drunken, drunk, fuddled, tipsy, mellow, maudlin, in liquor, in one's cups, half-seas-over.

**Disgust,** *n.* 1. Nausea, disrelish, distaste, loathing.

2. Dislike, repugnance, aversion, antipathy, abomination, detestation, abhorrence, hatred.

**Disgust,** *v. a.* 1. Sicken, affect with nausea, turn one's stomach, go against one's stomach.

2. Displease, offend, be repellent, repulsive, repugnant, hateful, detestable, *or* abhorrent to.

**Disgusting,** *a.* 1. Nauseous, nauseating, loathsome, sickening.

2. Repulsive, loathsome, revolting, offensive, odious, hateful, foul, abominable, repugnant, abhorrent, detestable, distasteful.

**Dish,** *n.* 1. See PLATTER.

2. Viand, article of food.

**Dish,** *v. a.* 1. Put in a dish, put into dishes, serve.

2. (*Colloq.*) Do for, put *hors de combat*, balk, upset, thwart, shelve, lay up, render helpless.

**Dishabille,** *n.* Déshabillé, undress, loose dress.

**Dishearten,** *v. a.* Dispirit, discourage, deject, depress.

**Dished,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) 1. Ruined, spoiled.

2. Frustrated, balked, foiled, baffled, upset, disconcerted, disappointed.

**Dishevelled,** *a.* Disordered (*as the hair*), untrimmed, hanging loose *or* negligently, at loose ends.

**Dishing,** *a.* Concave, dish-like.

**Dish-like,** *a.* Dishing, concave, shaped like a dish.

**Dishonest,** *a.* 1. Faithless, knavish, false, unfair, disingenuous, fraudulent, deceitful, treacherous, slippery, unscrupulous, perfidious, false-hearted, without probity, destitute of integrity.

2. [*Said of women.*] Unchaste, unvirtuous, wanton, lewd, unfaithful (*to marriage vows*).

**Dishonesty,** *n.* 1. Improbity, faithlessness, knavery, treachery, falsehood, deceitfulness, perfidiousness, fraud, fraudulency, fraudulence, trickery.

2. [*Said of women.*] Unchastity, unfaithfulness, infidelity, frailty, wantonness, lewdness.

**Dishonor,** *n.* Disgrace, discredit, disrepute, reproach, degradation, shame, ignominy, obloquy, infamy, opprobrium, odium, scandal, abasement.

**Dishonor,** *v. a.* 1. Disgrace, discredit, degrade, abase, bring shame *or* reproach upon, stain the character of.

2. Debauch, deflour, corrupt.

3. Refuse to accept *or* to pay (*as a draft*).

**Dishonorable,** *a.* 1. Disreputable, discreditable, disgraceful, shameful, scandalous, infamous, ignominious.

2. Base, devoid of honor, shameless, false, false-hearted.

**Dish-washer,** *n.* Goosander, wagtail, dun-diver (*Mergus merganser* or *Mergus castor*).

**Disinclination,** *n.* Indisposition, reluctance, repugnance, aversion, unwillingness.

**Disincline,** *v. a.* Make averse *or* reluctant *or* unwilling, indispose.

**Disinclined,** *a.* Unwilling, indisposed, reluctant, averse.

**Disinfect,** *v. a.* Deodorize, fumigate, purify, cleanse *or* free from infection.

**Disingenuous,** *a.* Insincere, uncandid, double-minded, hollow, dishonest.

**Disintegrate,** *v. a.* Crumble, reduce to fragments, break to pieces.

**Disinter,** *v. a.* Exhume, unbury, disentomb, disinhume, dig up.

**Disinterested,** *a.* 1. Unbiassed, impartial, fair, candid.

2. Generous, unselfish, liberal, magnanimous, high-minded.

**Disinthrall,** *v. a.* See DISENTHRALL.

**Disjoin,** *v. a.* Disunite, separate, divide, part, sunder, sever, dissever, detach, dissociate.

**Disjoint,** *v. a.* 1. Dislocate, luxate, put out of joint.

2. Unloose, disconnect, disjoin, separate at the joints *or* original divisions.

3. Break up, disarrange, derange, throw into confusion.

**Disjointed,** *a.* Disconnected, loose, incoherent, desultory.

**Disjunction,** *n.* Separation, disconnection, disassociation, disunion, isolation, severance, parting.

**Disjunctive,** *a.* Disjoining, discretive, alternative.

**Disk,** *n.* [Written also *Disc.*] 1. Quoit, discus.

2. Face (*of the sun, moon, etc.*).

3. Circular plate, flat circular surface.

**Dislike,** *n.* Disinclination, aversion, distaste, disrelish, antipathy, repugnance, displeasure, disgust.

**Dislike,** *v. a.* Disrelish, have an aversion to, be disinclined *or* averse *or* reluctant, disapprove, hold in disfavor.

**Dislimb,** *v. a.* Dismember, mutilate.

**Dislocate,** *v. a.* 1. Displace, disarrange, disturb, put out of place *or* out of order.

2. Disjoint, luxate, put out of joint.

**Dislocation,** *n.* 1. Derangement, displacement.
2. Luxation, disjointing.
**Dislodge,** *v. a.* 1. Expel, oust, eject, drive out, drive away.
2. Remove, force out, push out, get out.
**Disloyal,** *a.* Unfaithful, undutiful, disaffected, faithless, false, treacherous, perfidious, untrue, false to one's allegiance.
**Disloyalty,** *n.* Unfaithfulness, undutifulness, faithlessness, treachery, perfidy, want of loyalty, lack of fidelity, dereliction of allegiance.
**Dismal,** *a.* 1. Cheerless, gloomy, dark, dull, dreary, lonesome.
2. Melancholy, mournful, sad, doleful, dolorous, sombre, lugubrious, funereal.
3. Horrid, horrible, terrible, dire, frightful.
**Dismals,** *n. pl.* [With *The* prefixed.] Melancholy, low spirits, the blues, the vapors, depression, depression of spirits, low state, *ennui.*
**Dismantle,** *v. a.* Unrig, strip of covering, deprive of apparatus, furniture, rigging, equipments, armament, *or* defences.
**Dismay,** *v. a.* Terrify, frighten, appall, affright, scare, alarm, intimidate, paralyze with fear, daunt.
**Dismay,** *n.* Terror, fright, affright, fear, alarm, horror, consternation.
**Dismember,** *v. a.* 1. Mutilate, dislimb, disjoint.
2. Divide, separate, sever, pull apart, break up, dilacerate, rend asunder.
**Dismiss,** *v. a.* 1. Send away, give leave to go, permit to go.
2. Discharge, discard, cashier, turn off, turn out, remove from office, turn adrift, send packing, send about one's business.
**Dismissal,** *n.* See DISMISSION.
**Dismission,** *n.* 1. Permission to go, leave to depart, release, discharge, dismissal, liberation, manumission.
2. Discharge, removal from office, dismissal.
**Dismount,** *v. a.* 1. Unhorse.
2. [*Said of cannon.*] Displace, throw out of position, knock from their carriages.
3. [*Said of artillery.*] Take from the wheels, remove from the carriages.
**Dismount,** *v. n.* Alight (*from a horse*), descend, get down.
**Disobedience,** *n.* 1. Infraction *or* violation (*of a command*), refusal to obey, breach of duty, disobeying.
2. Undutifulness, neglect of duty, unruliness, frowardness, indiscipline, contumacy.
**Disobedient,** *a.* Unsubmissive, uncomplying, refractory, obstinate, undutiful, unruly, froward.
**Disobey,** *v. a.* 1. Refuse to obey, break the command of, refuse submission to, disregard the commands of.
2. Transgress, violate, infringe, disregard, set at nought *or* defiance, go counter to.
**Disoblige,** *v. a.* Displease, offend.
**Disobliging,** *a.* Unaccommodating, unkind, unamiable, unfriendly, ill-natured.
**Disorder,** *n.* 1. Confusion, derangement, disarrangement, disarray, disorganization, irregularity, jumble, want of order.
2. Tumult, disturbance, commotion, riot.
3. Turbulence, tumultuousness, riotousness.
4. Distemper, complaint, malady, sickness, disease, ail, ailment, indisposition.
**Disorder,** *v. a.* 1. Derange, disarrange, disturb, discompose, confuse, unsettle, disorganize, upset, throw into confusion, turn topsy-turvy, put out of place.
2. Impair the functions of, produce disease in.
**Disorderly,** *a.* 1. Immethodical, irregular, confused, out of order, in bad order.
2. Lawless, rebellious, turbulent, unruly, tumultuous, riotous.
**Disorganization,** *n.* 1. Disorganizing, deranging, etc. See the verb.
2. Disorder, derangement, confusion.
3. Destruction, dissolution.
**Disorganize,** *v. a.* 1. Disorder, derange, disarrange, upset, confuse, unsettle, disturb, discompose, put out of order, throw into disorder.
2. Destroy, break up.
**Disown,** *v. a.* 1. Disclaim, disavow, repudiate, renounce, reject, cast off, refuse to acknowledge.
2. Deny, disallow, refuse to admit.
**Disparage,** *v. a.* 1. Depreciate, decry, belittle, undervalue, underrate, underestimate, run down, detract from, derogate from.
2. Asperse, reproach, traduce, defame, vilify, reflect upon, inveigh against, speak ill of.
**Disparagement,** *n.* 1. Depreciation, derogation, detraction, undervaluing, underrating.
2. Lessening, diminution, detraction, derogation, impairment, injury, worsening, prejudice, harm.
3. Reproach, aspersion, defamation, calumny, vilification.
4. Reproach, indignity, dishonor, disgrace, dispraise.
**Disparity,** *n.* 1. Inequality, difference, disproportion.
2. Dissimilitude, unlikeness.
**Dispart,** *v. a.* Sunder, disunite, separate, divide, sever, dissever, burst, rend, rive, cleave, split, break asunder.
**Dispart,** *v. n.* Separate, part.
**Dispassion,** *n.* 1. Calmness, calm, dispassionateness, collectedness, freedom from agitation, unruffled state.
2. Apathy, insensibility, impassibility, coldness, dulness, torpor, indifference, unconcern, want of feeling.
**Dispassionate,** *a.* 1. Unimpassioned, imperturbable, inexcitable, unexcited, composed, collected, temperate, undisturbed, unruffled, quiet, calm, cool, staid, serene, sober.
2. Impartial, unbiassed, fair, candid, disinterested.
**Dispatch,** *n.* and *v. a.* See DESPATCH.
**Dispel,** *v. a.* Disperse (*completely*), scatter, dissipate, banish, drive away.
**Dispensable,** *a.* 1. Distributable, apportionable.
2. To be spared *or* dispensed with, unnecessary, needless, superfluous, removable.
**Dispensation,** *n.* 1. Dispensing, distributing, distribution, apportioning, apportionment, allotment.
2. Administration, stewardship.
3. Scheme, plan, system, economy.
4. Exemption (*from some law*), license.
**Dispensatory,** *n.* Pharmacopœia.
**Dispense,** *v. a.* 1. Distribute, apportion, allot, deal out.
2. Administer, apply, execute, carry out
3. Exempt, release, relieve, excuse.
**Dispenser,** *n.* Distributer, divider.
**Dispense with.** 1. Do without.
2. Disregard, neglect, set aside, suspend the use of, omit.
3. (*Rare.*) Excuse, exonerate, exempt, release.
**Dispeople,** *v. a.* Depopulate, unpeople.
**Disperse,** *v. a.* 1. Scatter, separate, dissipate, dispel, drive to different parts, scatter to the winds.
2. Diffuse, disseminate, spread, scatter abroad, sow broadcast.
**Disperse,** *v. n.* 1. Scatter, separate, be scattered, go different ways.

2. Break up *or* away, vanish, disappear, be dispelled, be dissipated.

**Dispersion,** *n.* Scattering.

**Dispirit,** *v. a.* Dishearten, depress, deject, discourage.

**Dispirited,** *a.* Dejected, disheartened, depressed, discouraged, down-hearted, downcast, despondent, cast down, crestfallen, chapfallen, down in the mouth.

**Displace,** *v. a.* 1. Move, dislocate, put out of place, change the place of.

2. Remove, dislodge, take out *or* away.

3. Depose, oust, dismiss, discharge, cashier, remove, eject from office.

**Display,** *v. a.* 1. Expand, unfold, extend, open, spread.

2. Exhibit, show, bring into view, hold up to view, make manifest.

3. Parade, show off.

**Display,** *n.* 1. Exhibition, manifestation, show.

2. Parade, pomp, pageant, ostentation, flourish.

**Displease,** *v. a.* 1. Offend, dissatisfy, disgust, disoblige, give offence to.

2. Provoke, irritate, vex, chagrin, affront, pique, chafe, fret, anger, nettle, make angry.

**Displeasure,** *n.* 1. Dissatisfaction, dislike, distaste, disapprobation, disapproval.

2. Anger, indignation, vexation, resentment, wrath.

3. Offence, injury.

**Disport,** *n.* (*Poetical.*) Play, amusement, diversion, pastime, sport, merriment.

**Disport,** *v n.* Play, gambol, frisk, frolic, sport, make merry, wanton, caper.

**Disport,** *v. a.* Amuse, divert, entertain, cheer, solace, beguile, relax.

**Disposal,** *n.* 1. Arrangement, disposition.

2. Management, control, government, regulation, disposure, direction, ordering, conduct.

3. Dispensation, distribution, bestowment.

**Dispose,** *v. a.* 1. Arrange, range, rank, group, marshal, set, place, place in order.

2. Adjust, regulate, settle, determine, set right.

3. Incline, lead, move, induce, bias, predispose.

**Dispose,** *v. n.* 1. Control, regulate, rule, settle, decide.

2. Bargain, compound, make terms, arrange, have an understanding.

**Dispose of.** 1. Sell, transfer, convey, alienate, part with, put out of one's possession, get rid of.

2. Determine the condition of, arrange for.

3. Remove, put away, get rid of.

4. Employ, use, put to use, do with.

**Disposer,** *n.* 1. Bestower, giver, distributer, donor, dispenser.

2. Regulator, director, governor, manager, controller.

**Disposition,** *n.* 1. Disposing, arranging, arrangement, placing, location, grouping.

2. Management, regulation, control, direction, ordering, adjustment, disposure, disposal.

3. Tendency, proneness, inclination, proclivity, propensity, predisposition, bent, bias.

4. Temper, nature, native character, native impulses, humor, turn.

5. Willingness, inclination.

6. Dispensation, distribution, bestowment.

**Dispossess,** *v. a.* 1. Deprive, divest, strip.

2. Dislodge, eject, oust, drive out.

3. (*Law.*) Disseize, oust, wrongfully dispossess.

**Dispossession,** *n.* 1. Deprivation.

2. (*Law.*) Ouster, disseizin, wrongful dispossession.

**Disposure,** *n.* 1. Management, direction, regulation, control, disposal, disposition, ordering.

2. Distribution, assignment, allotment.

**Dispraise,** *n.* 1. Blame, censure.

2. Reproach, dishonor, disgrace, disparagement, discredit, shame, opprobrium.

**Dispraise,** *v. a.* Blame, censure, find fault with.

**Disproof,** *n.* Confutation, refutation.

**Disproportion,** *n.* 1. Want of symmetry, ill *or* bad proportions.

2. Disparity, inequality, unsuitableness, inadequacy, insufficiency.

**Disproportional,** *a.* See DISPROPORTIONATE.

**Disproportionate,** *a.* 1. Unsymmetrical, ill-proportioned, out of proportion.

2. [With *to.*] Out of proportion, lacking proportion, incommensurate (*with*), improperly proportioned, unsuitable, lacking proper adjustment *or* adaptation, ill-adapted.

3. Inadequate, insufficient, below requirement.

**Disprove,** *v. a.* Confute, refute, show to be false.

**Disputable,** *a.* Controvertible, debatable, doubtful, questionable, open to discussion.

**Disputant,** *n.* Controversialist, arguer, debater, disputer.

**Disputation,** *n.* Debate, dispute, controversy, argumentation, verbal contest.

**Disputatious,** *a.* Cavilling, captious, contentious, quarrelsome, polemical.

**Dispute,** *v. n.* 1. Debate, argue, contend in argument.

2. Bicker, wrangle, quarrel, brawl, spar, spat, jangle, squabble, tiff, fall out, have words, have an altercation.

**Dispute,** *v. a.* 1. Debate, discuss, agitate, ventilate, argue, reason about.

2. Controvert, impugn, deny, contradict, call in question, oppose by argument.

3. Contest, struggle for, make resistance on.

**Dispute,** *n.* 1. Debate, disputation, discussion, controversy.

2. Altercation, wrangle, squabble, spat, tiff, verbal contest, verbal quarrel, war of words.

**Disputer,** *n.* Debater, controversialist, disputant, reasoner, arguer.

**Disqualification,** *n.* Incapacitation, disability, want of qualification.

**Disqualify,** *v. a.* 1. Unfit, disable, incapacitate (*naturally*).

2. Disenable, prohibit, preclude, incapacitate (*legally*).

**Disquiet,** *n.* Uneasiness, restlessness, disturbance, anxiety, vexation, trouble, disquietude, inquietude, unrest.

**Disquiet,** *v. a.* Trouble, annoy, vex, disturb, worry, harass, plague, bother, molest, pester, incommode.

**Disquietude,** *n.* Uneasiness. See DISQUIET.

**Disquisition,** *n.* Dissertation, treatise, discourse, essay, formal inquiry.

**Disregard,** *n.* 1. Neglect, slight, contempt, ignoring, wilful oversight.

2. Disesteem, disfavor, indifference.

**Disregard,** *v. a.* Neglect, slight, overlook, ignore, contemn, disobey, pay no attention to, pay no heed to, pay no regard to, take no notice of, turn a deaf ear to.

**Disrelish,** *n.* 1. Dislike, distaste, want of relish.

2. Insipidity, insipidness, flatness, bad taste, nauseousness.

3. Aversion, antipathy, repugnance, disgust.

**Disrelish,** *v. a.* Dislike, loathe, have an aversion to.

**Disreputable,** *a.* 1. Discreditable, dishonorable, disgraceful, shameful, scandalous, infamous, opprobrious, derogatory.

2. Of bad reputation (*deservedly*), low, mean, vulgar, base, of bad character.

**Disrepute,** *n.* Discredit, dishonor, disgrace, degradation, derogation, abasement, odium, ill repute.

**Disrespect,** *n.* 1. Disesteem, irreverence, slight, neglect, disregard.

2. Incivility, discourtesy, rudeness.

**Disrespectful,** *a.* 1. Irreverent, slighting.

2. Uncivil, impolite, discourteous, uncourteous, rude.

**Disrobe,** *v. a.* Divest, strip, undress, uncover, unclothe.

**Disruption,** *n.* Breach, rent, rupture, burst, breaking *or* tearing asunder.

**Dissatisfaction,** *n.* 1. Discontent, uneasiness, inquietude. See DISQUIET.

2. Displeasure, dislike, disapprobation, disapproval.

**Dissatisfied,** *a.* Discontented, uneasy, displeased.

**Dissect,** *v. a.* 1. Anatomize, cut in pieces.

2. Analyze, scrutinize, sift, examine, investigate, explore, lay open.

**Dissection,** *n.* 1. Anatomy.

2. Scrutiny, analysis, examination, investigation, sifting.

**Disseize,** *v. a.* Dispossess, oust (*wrongfully*).

**Dissemble,** *v. a.* Conceal, hide, disguise, cloak, cover.

**Dissemble,** *v. n.* Conceal one's real purposes, disguise the feelings *or* character.

**Dissembler,** *n.* Disguiser of one's feelings, motives, *or* character (*as the case may be*).

**Disseminate,** *v. a.* Spread, propagate, diffuse, disperse, circulate, promulgate, spread abroad.

**Dissemination,** *n.* Diffusion, dispersion, propagation, scattering, spreading, promulgation.

**Dissension,** *n.* Discord, contention, strife, variance, disagreement, difference, quarrel, breach of friendship.

**Dissent,** *v. n.* 1. Withhold assent, refuse *or* decline to agree, disagree (*in an opinion*).

2. Refuse to conform (*to the Church of England*), be a non-conformist.

**Dissent,** *n.* 1. Disagreement, difference of opinion.

2. Non-conformity, refusal to conform (*to the Church of England*).

**Dissenter,** *n.* Non-conformist, sectary, dissident.

**Dissent from.** Differ from *or* with, disagree with *or* to, withhold assent to.

**Dissentient,** *a.* Disagreeing, dissenting.

**Dissepiment,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Partition.

**Dissertation,** *n.* Disquisition, treatise, discourse, essay.

**Disservice,** *n.* Injury, harm, mischief, hurt, disadvantage, disfavor, ill-turn.

**Dissever,** *v. a.* Disjoin, disunite, separate, part, sunder, dispart, divide, rend, sever, dissociate, disconnect.

**Dissidence,** *n.* Dissent, disagreement, non-conformity, sectarianism, principles of non-conformance.

**Dissident,** *n.* Dissenter, non-conformist, sectary.

**Dissimilar,** *a.* Unlike, different, heterogeneous, diverse, divergent, various.

**Dissimilarity,** *n.* Unlikeness, dissimilitude, diversity, disparity, variation, divergence.

**Dissimilitude,** *n.* See DISSIMILARITY.

**Dissimulation,** *n.* Concealment, dissembling, deceit, duplicity, double-dealing, false pretence.

**Dissipate,** *v. a.* 1. Disperse, dispel, scatter, drive away.

2. Waste, squander, lavish, consume, spend lavishly, throw away.

**Dissipate,** *v. n.* 1. Vanish, disappear, scatter, disperse.

2. Live dissolutely, be dissolute, practise debauchery, indulge in dissipation.

3. Live idly and luxuriously, enervate one's self, be an idler and spendthrift.

**Dissipation,** *n.* 1. Dispersion, scattering, vanishing.

2. Waste, squandering, lavish expenditure.

3. Dissoluteness, profligacy, excess, debauchery, loose living.

**Dissociate,** *v. a.* Disjoin, disunite, separate, sever, dissever, divide, part, sunder, detach, disconnect.

**Dissociation,** *n.* Disunion, separation, severance, severing, dividing, disjoining, dissevering, parting, sundering, detachment, disconnection.

**Dissoluble,** *a.* 1. Dissolvable, capable of liquefaction.

2. Separable, capable of being sundered *or* disunited, temporary.

**Dissolute,** *a.* Loose, licentious, lax, debauched, wanton, lewd, corrupt, profligate, rakish, depraved, dissipated, reprobate, abandoned, graceless, shameless, wild.

**Dissolution,** *n.* 1. Liquefaction, melting, solution.

2. Decomposition, putrefaction.

3. Death, disease, extinction of life.

4. Destruction, overthrow, ruin.

5. Termination, breaking up.

**Dissolvable,** *a.* Dissoluble, capable of liquefaction.

**Dissolve,** *v. a.* 1. Liquefy, melt.

2. Disunite, sever, separate, divide, loose, disorganize, break apart.

3. Destroy, ruin.

4. Terminate, bring to an end, put an end to, break up.

**Dissolve,** *v. n.* 1. Melt, liquefy, be melted.

2. Vanish, disappear, fade, melt away, be dissipated.

3. Perish, crumble, be destroyed.

**Dissonance,** *n.* 1. Discord, discordance, harshness, jarring, want of harmony.

2. Disagreement, inconsistency, incongruity, discrepancy.

**Dissonant,** *a.* 1. Discordant, unharmonious, harsh, grating, jarring, out of tune.

2. Disagreeing, incongruous, inconsistent, discrepant.

**Dissuade,** *v. n.* 1. Urge *or* exhort against attempt to divert, urge not to.

2. Turn from a purpose, divert by persuasion, render averse, persuade not to.

**Dissuasion,** *n.* Dehortation, dissuasive, dissuasive advice.

**Dissuasive,** *n.* See DISSUASION.

**Dissuasive,** *a.* Dissuading, dehortatory, tending to dissuade.

**Dissyllable,** *n.* Word of two syllables.

**Distain,** *v. a.* (*Poetical.*) Stain.

**Distance,** *n.* 1. Remoteness.

2. Degree of remoteness *or* removal.

3. Remote region, distant quarter.

4. Interval, space, space intervening.

5. Reserve, coldness, stiffness, distant behavior, frigidity.

**Distance,** *v. a.* Outdo, surpass, excel, outstrip, leave behind.

**Distant,** *a.* 1. Remote, far.

2. Reserved, frigid, cold, cool, stiff, uncordial.

3. Slight, faint, indirect, indistinct, obscure.

**Distaste,** *n.* 1. Disrelish, disgust.

2. Aversion, dislike, repugnance, displeasure, dissatisfaction.

**Distasteful,** *a.* 1. Nauseous, nauseating, unpalatable, unsavory, loathsome, disgusting.

2. Disagreeable, offensive, unpleasant, unpleasing, repugnant, repulsive.

**Distemper,** *n.* I. Disease, malady, complaint, disorder, ail, ailment, illness, indisposition, sickness.
2. Tempera, size-mixed color.
3. Destemper, painting with size-mixed pigments.

**Distempered,** *a.* I. Diseased, disordered, out of order.
2. Immoderate, intemperate, inordinate, unregulated.

**Distend,** *v. a.* Expand, dilate, bloat, enlarge, swell, stretch, swell out.

**Distension,** } *n.* Dilation, dilatation, enlargement,
**Distention,** } swelling, expansion, stretching.

**Distich,** *n.* Couplet, couple of verses.

**Distil,** *v. n.* [Written also *Distill.*] Drop, drip, trickle, dribble, fall in drops.

**Distil,** *v. a.* [Written also *Distill.*] I. Drop, let fall in drops.
2. Separate by evaporation, extract by heat.
3. Extract spirit from.

**Distinct,** *a.* I. Separate, different.
2. Definite, defined, clear, plain, unmistakable, unconfused, well-defined.

**Distinction,** *n.* I. Discrimination, notice of difference, distinguishing.
2. Difference, point of difference, characteristic difference.
3. Repute, reputation, celebrity, note, name, fame, renown, account, credit, respectability, eminence, superiority.

**Distinctive,** *a.* Distinguishing, discriminative, characteristic.

**Distinctness,** *n.* I. Difference, separateness.
2. Clearness, precision, perspicuity, explicitness, lucidness, lucidity.

**Distinguish,** *v. a.* I. Characterize, mark, indicate by a mark, mark out.
2. Discriminate, discern, perceive, tell, know.
3. Separate, divide.
4. Signalize, make famous, make celebrated, make known, bring into notice.

**Distinguish,** *v. n.* Make distinction, show the difference.

**Distinguishable,** *a.* I. Separable, divisible.
2. To be distinguished, to be recognized as distinct.

**Distinguished,** *a.* I. Illustrious, famous, noted, eminent, celebrated.
2. Conspicuous, marked, extraordinary, supreme, transcendent, consummate.

**Distort,** *v. a.* I. Twist, deform, wrest.
2. Pervert, misrepresent, falsify, wrest, strain the sense of.

**Distortion,** *n.* I. Twist, wryness, deformity.
2. Perversion, misrepresentation, falsification, wresting.

**Distract,** *v. a.* I. Divert, draw away, turn aside.
2. Perplex, confuse, discompose, harass, disturb, disconcert, bewilder, confound, mystify, embarrass.
3. Craze, derange, drive frantic, drive beside one's self.

**Distracted,** *a.* Deranged, insane, mad, frantic, furious, raving, wild, crazed, beside one's self.

**Distraction,** *n.* I. Confusion, perplexity, embarrassment, bewilderment, abstraction, mystification.
2. Disturbance, discord, tumult, disorder, division, perturbation, commotion, turmoil, agitation.
3. Derangement, madness, raving, frenzy, insanity, alienation, aberration, incoherence, wandering, delirium, mania, lunacy, hallucination, loss of the senses, disordered intellect *or* faculties, loss of reason.

**Distrain,** *v. a.* (*Law.*) Seize (*for debt*), take, attach, distress.

**Distress,** *n.* I. Affliction, calamity, disaster, misery, misfortune, adversity, hardship, trial, trouble, perplexity.
2. Anguish, agony, suffering, sorrow, grief.
3. Pain, anguish, agony, torture, gripe, griping.
4. Privation, destitution, poverty, indigence, want, straits.

**Distress,** *v. a.* I. Afflict, perplex, pain, trouble, grieve, make unhappy, make miserable.
2. (*Law.*) Take, seize, distrain.

**Distribute,** *v. a.* I. Apportion, assign, allot, dispense, mete, divide, share, dole (out), parcel out, deal out, portion out.
2. Classify, class, arrange, assort, dispose.

**Distribution,** *n.* I. Apportionment, allotment, assignment, dole, partition, division, dispensation, dispensing.
2. Arrangement, classification, disposal, disposition, grouping.

**District,** *n.* Region, tract, territory, circuit, province, quarter.

**Distrust,** *v. a.* Doubt, suspect, lack confidence in, mistrust, disbelieve in.

**Distrust,** *n.* Suspicion, misgiving, doubt, mistrust, want of confidence.

**Distrustful,** *a.* I. Suspicious, doubting, dubious (*about*), apt to distrust.
2. [With *of.*] Diffident, not confident.

**Disturb,** *v. a.* I. Agitate, shake, stir.
2. Disarrange, derange, disorder, confuse, unsettle, throw into confusion, put into disorder.
3. Molest, annoy, disquiet, vex, ruffle, worry, plague, trouble, incommode.
4. Interrupt, impede, hinder.

**Disturbance,** *n.* I. Agitation, derangement, commotion, disorder, confusion, perturbation.
2. Perturbation, excitement, discomposure, annoyance, agitation.
3. Interruption, hindrance, molestation.
4. Tumult, excitement, disorder, riot, *émeute*, rising, uproar.

**Disunion,** *n.* I. Separation, disjunction, severance, disconnection.
2. Schism, breach, rupture, feud.

**Disunite,** *v. a.* I. Disjoin, dissociate, separate, sever, dissever, part, divide, detach, sunder.
2. Set at variance, alienate, put discord between, estrange.

**Disunite,** *v. n.* Part, separate, fall asunder, be separated.

**Disuse,** *n.* I. Failure to use, non-employment, ceasing to use, abandonment.
2. Desuetude, discontinuance, neglect, non-observance, disusage.

**Ditch,** *n.* Trench.

**Ditty,** *n.* Song, lay.

**Diurnal,** *a.* Daily, quotidian.

**Diuturnal,** *a.* (*Rare.*) Lasting, of long duration, of long continuance.

**Diuturnity,** *n.* (*Rare.*) Long duration, long time.

**Divagation,** *n.* (*Rare.*) Wandering, rambling, roaming, straying, deviation, digression.

**Divan,** *n.* I. Turkish council of state, council, court.
2. State-chamber, audience-chamber, council-chamber, hall of court.
3. Sofa, long seat.

**Divaricate,** *v. n.* Diverge, part, fork, separate into two, open wide, branch off, spread asunder.

**Divarication,** *n.* Divergence, forking, separation, spreading.

**Dive,** *v. n.* I. Plunge, make *or* take a plunge, take a header.

2. Penetrate, go deep, plunge, explore, sound, fathom.

**Diverge,** *v. n.* 1. Radiate, divide, separate, go asunder, tend from one point in different directions.
2. Divaricate, separate, branch off.
3. Differ, vary, deviate, disagree.

**Divergence,** *n.* 1. Radiation.
2. Divarication, forking, separation.
3. Difference, variation, variance, disagreement, deviation.

**Divergent,** *a.* 1. Radiating.
2. Divaricating, separating, parting.
3. Disagreeing, dissimilar, differing, variant, diverse.

**Divers,** *a.* Various, several, sundry, numerous, many, manifold, different.

**Diverse,** *a.* Different, differing, unlike, varying, multiform, variant, dissimilar, disagreeing, divergent.

**Diversify,** *v. a.* 1. Vary, make different, give variety to.
2. Dapple, spot, streak, stripe, variegate.

**Diversion,** *n.* 1. Turning aside, diverting.
2. Amusement, recreation, pastime, sport, play, entertainment, relaxation, divertisement.

**Diversity,** *n.* 1. Difference, dissimilitude, dissimilarity, unlikeness, variation, divergence
2. Variety, multiformity, multitude.

**Divert,** *v. a.* 1. Turn aside, draw away.
2. Call off, distract, draw away, disturb.
3. Amuse, entertain, recreate, please, gratify, delight, exhilarate, refresh.

**Divest,** *v. a.* 1. Strip, undress, unclothe, disrobe.
2. Deprive, strip, dispossess.

**Divide,** *v. a.* 1. Sever, sunder, part, separate, cleave, disunite.
2. Keep apart, put a barrier between.
3. Make hostile, make discordant, set at variance, disunite, alienate, estrange.
4. Distribute, allot, apportion, assign, share, mete, dispense, dole, deal out, parcel out, portion out.

**Divide,** *v. n.* Part, separate, cleave, open, diverge, go asunder, divaricate, fork, be divided, be separated.

**Dividend,** *n.* 1. Number to be divided.
2. Share, division, profits divided.

**Divider,** *n.* 1. Distributer, dealer.
2. Separator.

**Dividers,** *n. pl.* Compasses.

**Divination,** *n.* 1. Divining, foretelling, soothsaying, augury, magic, incantation.
2. Presage, prediction, prophecy.

**Divine,** *a.* 1. Godlike, superhuman.
2. Sacred, holy, spiritual, heavenly, celestial, angelic, seraphic.
3. Pertaining, belonging *or* due to God, coming from God.
4. Rapturous, supreme, transcendent, exalted, exalting.

**Divine,** *n.* 1. Minister, priest, clergyman, pastor, parson, ecclesiastic, churchman.
2. Theologian.

**Divine,** *v. a.* 1. Predict, foretell, presage, prognosticate, vaticinate, prophesy.
2. Conjecture, surmise, guess.

**Divine,** *v. n.* 1. Vaticinate, prophesy, play the prophet, utter presages.
2. Conjecture, guess, fancy, surmise, suspect, think, believe.

**Diviner,** *n.* 1. Conjurer, magician, sorcerer, seer, soothsayer.
2. Conjecturer.

**Divinity,** *n.* 1. Deity, Godhead, divine nature, divine essence.
2. Theology, science of divine things.
3. Divine being, deity, god *or* goddess.

**Divisible,** *a.* Separable.

**Division,** *n.* 1. Separation.
2. Portion, section, class, head, category.
3. Partition, demarcation.
4. Compartment, separate part.
5. Apportionment, allotment, distribution.
6. Difference, disagreement, variance, breach, rupture, disunion, discord, feud, alienation, estrangement.

**Divorce,** *n.* Separation (*of husband and wife*), dissolution of the marriage bond.

**Divorce,** *v. a.* 1. Dissolve the marriage of, put out of wedlock, put away.
2. Separate, part, sever, disunite.

**Divulge,** *v. a.* Disclose, communicate, discover, impart, tell, make known, make public, spread abroad.

**Dizzy,** *a.* 1. Giddy, vertiginous.
2. Thoughtless, heedless, careless, giddy.

**Do,** *v. a.* 1. Perform, effect, execute, accomplish, achieve, bring about, work out, carry into effect.
2. Complete, finish, conclude, end, terminate.
3. Transact, carry on.
4. Practise, observe, perform, carry into practice.
5. Produce, make, work.
6. Confer, bestow, grant, vouchsafe.
7. Translate, render.
8. Prepare, cook.
9. Hoax, cheat, swindle, chouse, cozen.

**Do,** *v. n.* 1. Act (*well* or *ill*), behave.
2. Fare.
3. Answer, answer the purpose.
4. Be enough, be sufficient.

**Do-all,** *n.* Factotum, general manager.

**Do away.** 1. Remove, take away.
2. Destroy, overthrow.

**Dob-chick,** *n.* Didapper, dab-chick (*Podiceps minor*).

**Do by.** Treat, behave toward.

**Docile,** *a.* Teachable, tractable, easily taught, pliant, yielding.

**Docility,** *n.* Teachableness, readiness to learn, tractableness, pliableness, pliancy, gentleness.

**Dock,** *v. a.* 1. Curtail, clip, cut short.
2. Shorten, lessen, deduct from.
3. Put into a dock (*as a vessel*).

**Doctor,** *n.* 1. Instructor, teacher.
2. Adept, savant, learned man.
3. Physician, medical practitioner.

**Doctress,** *n.* Female physician.

**Doctrinaire,** *n.* [Fr.] Theorist, ideologist, unpractical thinker, preacher of abstractions.

**Doctrine,** *n.* Dogma, tenet, opinion, precept, principle.

**Document,** *n.* Paper, writing (*official*).

**Dodge,** *v. n.* 1. Start aside, shift place suddenly, duck.
2. (*Colloq.*) Shuffle, evade, equivocate, quibble, prevaricate, use artifice, play fast and loose, be evasive.

**Dodge,** *v. a.* Evade (*by starting* or *ducking*).

**Dodge,** *n.* 1. Starting aside.
2. (*Colloq.*) Evasion, artifice, trick, subterfuge, quibble, cavil.

**Dodo,** *n.* Dronte.

**Doe,** *n.* She-deer, female deer (*particularly of the fallow deer*).

**Doer,** *n.* Actor, operator, performer, agent, executor.

**Doff,** *v. a.* Put off, lay aside.

**Dog-days,** *n. pl.* Canicular days.

**Dogged,** *a.* 1. Sullen, sour, morose, churlish, growling, surly, snarling, snappish.
2. Stubborn, obstinate, wilful, mulish, inflexible, pertinacious, unyielding, headstrong, intract-

able, impracticable, cantankerous, perversely resolute.

**Doggish,** *a.* Snarling, snappish, growling, churlish, surly, sullen, sour, morose, dogged.

**Dog-grass,** *n.* See DOG'S-GRASS.

**Dogma,** *n.* Doctrine, tenet, opinion, principle, article of faith.

**Dogmatic,** } *a.* I. Authoritative, formal, cate-
**Dogmatical,** } gorical, settled.

2. Positive, confident, peremptory.

3. Arrogant, overbearing, magisterial, oracular, dictatorial.

4. Doctrinal, setting forth doctrines, expounding dogma.

**Dogmatism,** *n.* I. Positiveness of opinion, arrogance of assertion.

2. (*Met.*) Uncritical *or* naïve thinking, assumption of first principles, uncritical use of principles.

**Dogmatist,** *n.* Magisterial teacher, arrogant asserter.

**Dogmatize,** *v. n.* Assert positively, speak with an air of authority, express one's self arrogantly.

**Dog's-grass,** *n.* Knot-grass, quick-grass, couch-grass, wheat-grass, dog-wheat, dog-grass, witch-grass, quitch-grass, quickens (*Triticum repens*).

**Dog-star,** *n.* Sirius, Canicula.

**Doings,** *n. pl.* Deeds, actions, acts, transactions.

**Dole,** *n.* I. Apportionment, allotment, distribution.

2. Part, share, portion.

3. Gift, gratuity, donation, pittance, alms.

4. Grief, sorrow, distress, woe, affliction.

**Doleful,** *a.* I. Sorrowful, rueful, woful, piteous, melancholy, lugubrious, sad.

2. Dismal, gloomy, cheerless, dark, dolorous, dolesome.

**Dole out.** Distribute, divide, apportion, allot, assign, share, deal, deal out.

**Dolesome,** *a.* Dismal, gloomy, cheerless, dark, dolorous. See DOLEFUL.

**Do-little,** *n.* [*U. S.*] Idler, sluggard, drone, laggard, lounger, trifler, dawdler, doodle, do-nought (donnat, donnot, *Scotch*), do-nothing, good-for-nothing, inefficient person.

**Doll,** *n.* Puppet (*for a child*), baby.

**Dolorous,** *a.* I. Dismal, gloomy, cheerless, dark, dolesome.

2. Sorrowful, sad, piteous, rueful, woful, lugubrious, mournful, doleful, dolesome.

**Dolt,** *n.* Simpleton, fool. See DUNCE.

**Doltish,** *a.* Stupid, stolid, dull, foolish, blockish, simple, witless, thick-skulled, beetle-headed, beef-brained, beef-witted, thick-headed, heavy-headed.

**Domain,** *n.* I. Sway, authority, dominion.

2. Dominion, empire, territory, realm.

3. Estate, lands, landed estate.

4. Province, department, region, realm, branch.

**Dome,** *n.* I. Cupola, tholus, spherical vaulted roof.

2. (*Poetical.*) Building, fabric, house.

3. (*Rare.*) Cathedral, minster, *dom.*

**Domestic,** *a.* I. Home, family, household, pertaining to home *or* the family.

2. Fond of home, retiring, retired.

3. Intestine, internal, home (*in opposition to foreign*).

4. Tame, domesticated, not wild.

**Domestic,** *n.* Servant, house-servant.

**Domesticate,** *v. a.* I. Make domestic, accustom to keep at home.

2. [*Animals.*] Tame, attach to the house.

3. [*Plants.*] Accustom to the garden, reduce to cultivation, cultivate.

4. Familiarize, naturalize, adopt, make at home, assimilate.

**Domestics,** *n. pl.* [*U. S.*] Cotton goods.

**Domicile,** *n.* Habitation, dwelling, residence, abode, home, mansion, place of abode, place of residence.

**Domicile,** } *v. a.* Establish in a fixed resi-
**Domiciliate,** } dence.

**Dominant,** *a.* Prevailing, ruling, predominant, predominating, ascendant, in the ascendant.

**Dominate,** *v. a.* I. Rule, sway, control, reign over, keep in subjection, keep down.

2. Overlook, overtop, surmount, command (*visually* or *defensively*).

**Dominate,** *v. n.* (*Rare.*) Prevail, predominate, have sway, be in the ascendant.

**Domination,** *n.* Sway, ascendancy, rule, dominion, supremacy, command, government, mastery.

**Domineer,** *v. n.* I. [With *over.*] Tyrannize, rule with insolence, rule tyrannously, lord it, play the autocrat *or* dictator, exercise oppression.

2. [*Used absolutely.*] Hector, bully, bluster, swagger, swell, vapor, play the bully, lay down the law, ride a high horse, carry it with a high hand.

**Dominican,** *n.* Predicant, jacobin, black friar, preaching friar, *frère prêcheur.*

**Dominie,** *n.* [*Scotch.*] Pedagogue, schoolmaster, teacher, instructor.

**Dominion,** *n.* I. Sway, command, rule, government, supremacy, domination, mastery, ascendancy, control, sovereignty, sovereign authority, domain.

2. Territory, region, country, realm.

**Don,** *v. a.* Put on, slip on, dress in.

**Donation,** *n.* Gift, grant, largess, gratuity, benefaction, boon, present, offering, contribution, subscription, donative, dole.

**Donative,** *n.* Gift. See DONATION.

**Donator,** *n.* [L.] (*Law.*) Donor, giver, bestower.

**Done,** *p.* I. Performed, executed, accomplished, achieved, effected.

2. Completed, finished, concluded, ended, terminated.

3. Transacted, carried on.

4. Bestowed, conferred, vouchsafed, granted.

5. Translated, rendered. See Do.

**Done,** *interj.* Agreed, I agree, I accept, good.

**Done for.** (*Colloq.*) Spoiled, ruined, wound up, shelved, *hors de combat*, dished, damned.

**Donkey,** *n.* I. Ass, mule.

2. Simpleton, fool. See DUNCE.

**Donor,** *n.* Giver, bestower; (*law*) donator.

**Doodle,** *n.* I. Trifler, idler. See DO-LITTLE.

2. Simpleton, simple fellow.

**Doodle-sack,** *n.* Scotch bagpipe.

**Doom,** *v. a.* I. Condemn, sentence, pronounce sentence on.

2. Destine, appoint, decree.

**Doom,** *n.* I. Sentence, judgment, condemnation, judicial decree.

2. Fate, destiny, lot, ill fate, ruin.

**Doomsday,** *n.* Day of judgment, the crack of doom.

**Do one's best.** Do all one can, do the best one is capable of, leave no stone unturned.

**Door,** *n.* I. Entrance.

2. Passage, avenue, way, means, means of access, means of approach.

3. [*Familiarly.*] House, home.

**Doorkeeper,** *n.* Porter, *concierge.*

**Dor,** *n.* [Written also *Dorr.*] I. Cockchafer, dor-bug, tree-beetle, dumbledor, dummador, May-bug (*Melolontha vulgaris*).

2. Black-beetle, dor-beetle, dor-fly, buzzard-clock (*Geotrupes stercorarius*).

**Doree,** *n.* (*Ich.*) John-dory, common dory (*Zeus faber*).

**Dormant,** *a.* 1. Sleeping, quiescent, at rest.
2. Latent, unexerted, suspended, inert, inactive, in abeyance.
**Dormant partner.** Sleeping partner, silent partner.
**Dormer,** *n.* [Written also *Dormar.*] Luthern, dormer-window.
**Dormer-window,** *n.* Dormer, luthern.
**Dormitory,** *n.* 1. Chamber, bedroom, sleeping room, place to sleep in.
2. Building containing sleeping apartments.
**Dorsal,** *a.* On the back.
**Dory,** *n.* (*Ich.*) See DOREE.
**Dose,** *n.* 1. Prescribed portion (*of medicine*), drench, draught.
2. Disagreeable lot *or* fate *or* portion, bitter pill.
3. Sufficient quantity, quantity, portion, *quantum.*
**Dose,** *v. a.* Administer a dose to, give doses to.
**Dot,** *n.* Point, period.
**Dot,** *v. a.* 1. Mark with dots.
2. Variegate, diversify.
**Dotage,** *n.* Imbecility, senility, second childhood.
**Dotard,** *n.* Driveller, imbecile, doting old man.
**Dote,** *v. n.* 1. Drivel, be imbecile, be foolish, be in one's dotage *or* second childhood.
2. Be over-fond, be foolishly fond.
**Dote on or upon.** Love very fondly, love excessively, be foolishly fond of.
**Do the honors.** Bestow honor (*as on a guest*), show civilities.
**Double,** *a.* 1. Coupled, in pairs.
2. Twice as much.
3. Twofold.
4. Deceitful, dishonest, knavish, false, perfidious, hollow, insincere, double-minded, double-faced, double-tongued, full of duplicity.
**Double,** *ad.* Twice, doubly, twofold.
**Double,** *v. a.* 1. Fold, plait.
2. Duplicate, multiply by two, make twice as much.
3. (*Naut.*) Sail round.
**Double,** *v. n.* 1. Increase twofold, be doubled.
2. Return upon the same track.
**Double,** *n.* 1. Twice as much.
2. Doubling, plait, fold.
3. Returning upon one's track (*to elude pursuit*).
4. Trick, stratagem, ruse, shift, artifice, wile, manœuvre.
5. Counterpart.
**Double-dealer,** *n.* Deceiver, cheat, trickster, tricker.
**Double-dealing,** *n.* Deceit, duplicity, dissimulation, artifice, deception, fraud, dishonesty, trickery, Machiavelism.
**Double-entendre,** *n.* [English coinage for French *double entente.*] 1. Pun, *équivoque*, quirk, quibble, *calembour*, play upon words, paronomasia.
2. Indelicate pun, smutty *équivoque.*
**Double-faced,** *a.* Hypocritical, deceitful, knavish, dishonest, false, perfidious, double.
**Double-headed,** *a.* Bicipital, with two heads.
**Double-hearted,** *a.* Deceitful, treacherous, false-hearted, perfidious, false.
**Double-minded,** *a.* Unsettled, undetermined, undecided, changeable, fickle, vacillating, wavering.
**Doublet,** *n.* 1. Body-garment, jacket, jerkin.
2. One of a pair.
**Doublets,** *n. pl.* Pair, couple, two, twins.
**Double upon.** (*Mil.*) Enclose between two fires.
**Doubling,** *n.* 1. Fold, plait.
2. Artifice, trick, shift, stratagem.
**Doubly,** *ad.* Twice, double.
**Doubt,** *v. n.* 1. Hesitate, waver, be doubtful, be in suspense, withhold judgment, be undetermined, entertain doubts, be in a state of uncertainty, not know what to think.
2. (*Rare.*) Suspect, fancy, apprehend.
**Doubt,** *v. a.* 1. Question, hesitate to believe, consider questionable, have doubts about.
2. Distrust, suspect, not confide in.
**Doubt,** *n.* 1. Indecision, hesitation, hesitancy, irresolution, uncertainty, suspense, misgiving.
2. Suspicion, distrust, mistrust.
**Doubtful,** *a.* 1. Wavering, undecided, hesitating, undetermined, in suspense.
2. Ambiguous, dubious, equivocal, obscure, enigmatical, problematical.
3. Indeterminate, undecided, uncertain, questionable.
**Douceur,** *n.* [Fr.] 1. Gentleness, mildness, kindness, pleasant manner.
2. Present *or* gift (*especially one intended as a bribe*), bribe, lure.
**Doughface,** *n.* [*U. S.*] Pliable politician, nose of wax.
**Doughfaced,** *a.* [*U. S.*] Pliable, weak, pusillanimous, easily influenced, without any backbone.
**Doughty,** *a.* [*Now usually ironical.*] Brave, courageous, bold, fearless, dauntless, valiant, valorous, gallant, intrepid, adventurous, chivalrous, heroic.
**Doura,** *n.* 1. (*Bot.*) Heart-wood, duramen.
2. Indian millet, Guinea corn, negro-corn, durra, dhurra *or* dora (*Sorghum vulgare*).
**Douse,** *v. a.* 1. Plunge, immerse, submerge, dip, souse, put under water (or *other liquid*).
2. (*Naut.*) Strike *or* lower quickly *or* in haste, slacken suddenly.
**Dove-cot,** *n.* [Written also *Dove-cote.*] Columbary, pigeon-house.
**Dowdy,** *a.* [*Said of women.*] Slovenly (*in dress*), slatternly, ill-dressed, vulgar-looking, awkward.
**Dowdy,** *n.* Slattern, trollop, ill-dressed *or* vulgar-looking woman.
**Dowel,** *n.* Pin, tenon, peg, pinion.
**Dower,** *n.* 1. Endowment, gift.
2. Dowry.
3. (*Law.*) Widow's portion (*of real estate*).
**Do without.** Dispense with.
**Down,** *prep.* 1. From the top to the bottom of.
2. Along the course of.
**Down,** *ad.* 1. Downward, in a descending course, from a high to a low position.
2. On the ground, the floor, etc., prostrate.
3. From a thin to a dense state, into a denser consistence.
4. Below the horizon.
5. Into disrepute, into disgrace, into disfavor *or* disuse.
6. Low, humbled, in distress, in adversity.
**Downcast,** *a.* Sad, dejected, dispirited, disheartened, despondent, discouraged, depressed, cast down, down-hearted, crestfallen, chapfallen.
**Downfall,** *n.* Ruin, destruction, fall.
**Down-hearted,** *a.* Dejected. See DOWNCAST.
**Downright,** *a.* 1. Plain, simple, sheer, explicit, clear, undisguised, unequivocal, positive, absolute, categorical.
2. Honest, sincere, artless, ingenuous, frank, open, above-board, direct, straightforward, unceremonious, blunt.
**Downward,** / **Downwards,** } *ad.* Down, in a descending course.
**Down with.** [*Imperatively.*] 1. Raze, overturn, take down, throw down.
2. Put down, lay down.
**Dowry,** *n.* Dower.
**Doxy,** *n.* 1. Mistress, paramour.

2. Prostitute, strumpet, harlot, whore, drab, street-walker, Cyprian, night-walker, punk, woman of the town. See COURTESAN.

**Doze,** *v. n.* Slumber, drowse, nap, sleep lightly, be half asleep, be drowsy.

**Doze,** *n.* Light sleep, drowse, nap, light slumber.

**Doze away.** Pass drowsily, spend in drowsiness, sleep through, doze out.

**Dozen,** *a.* Twelve.

**Doze out.** See DOZE AWAY.

**Dozy,** *a.* Sleepy, drowsy, heavy, sluggish.

**Drab,** *n.* 1. Strumpet, prostitute, trull. See COURTESAN.

2. Slut, draggle-tail, trollop, slattern, dowdy, slovenly woman.

3. Brownish-yellow cloth, dull-brown woollen stuff, dun-colored cloth.

4. Dun, dull brown, brownish-yellow, dun-color.

**Drab,** *a.* Dun, dull brown, brownish-yellow.

**Drabble,** *v. a.* [*Archaic and provincial.*] Draggle, trail, daggle, befoul, bemire.

**Draff,** *n.* Refuse, lees, dregs, sediment, scum, rubbish, stuff, waste *or* worthless matter.

**Draft,** *n.* 1. Drawing, selection.

2. Bill of exchange.

3. [Written also *Draught.*] Outline, delineation, rough sketch, rough copy.

**Draft,** *v. a.* 1. Detach, select.

2. Make an outline of, make a draft of, make a rough sketch of.

**Drag,** *v. a.* Draw, pull, haul, tug, draw heavily and slowly.

**Drag,** *v. n.* 1. Trail, be drawn along.

2. Linger, move slowly, make slow progress.

**Draggle,** *v. a.* Trail, daggle, befoul, bemire, drabble.

**Draggle-tail,** *n.* Slut, drab, sloven, slattern, dowdy, slovenly woman.

**Dragoman,** *n.* Interpreter (*in Turkey* and *the East*), drogman.

**Dragoon,** *n.* Horse-soldier, cavalier, equestrian, mounted soldier, *chasseur.*

**Dragoon,** *v. a.* Compel, force, drive, persecute, harass, harry.

**Drain,** *v. a.* 1. Draw off.

2. Empty, exhaust.

3. Make dry, clear of water *or* moisture.

**Drain,** *v. n.* 1. Flow off.

2. Become dry.

**Drain,** *n.* Sewer, channel, trench, ditch, water-course.

**Drake,** *n.* Male duck.

**Drama,** *n.* 1. Dramatic composition, play, theatrical piece, spectacle.

2. Dramatic literature.

3. Historic *or* cosmical pageant (*series of events invested with dramatic unity*).

4. The stage, dramatic representation, histrionic art.

**Dramatis personæ.** [L.] Characters (of the play), interlocutors (in the drama), personages of the drama.

**Drape,** *v. a.* Cover with drapery.

**Drapery,** *n.* 1. Hangings, tapestry.

2. Clothing, hanging garments (*especially in statuary* and *painting*).

**Drastic,** *a.* Powerful, active, efficacious.

**Drastics,** *n. pl.* (*Med.*) Powerful *or* active purgatives.

**Draught,** *n.* 1. Drawing, pulling.

2. Potion, drink, cup, dose, drench.

3. Current of air.

4. [Written also *Draft.*] Sketch, outline, delineation, design, rough sketch, rough copy.

5. Water drawn, floating depth (*of a vessel*).

**Draughts,** *n. pl.* Checkers.

**Draw,** *v. a.* 1. Pull, drag, haul, tug, pull along.

2. Attract, bring toward, pull toward.

3. Suck, drain, suck dry.

4. Inhale, inspire, breathe in, take into the lungs.

5. Extract, take out, draw out.

6. Induce, move, lead, allure, entice, engage, persuade, influence.

7. Produce, bring, bear.

8. Extend, protract, stretch, lengthen out.

9. Delineate, sketch, depict, trace, trace out, describe (*as a line*).

10. Deduce, derive, infer.

11. Extort, force out.

12. Compose, write, prepare, draw up.

13. Gain, win.

**Draw,** *v. n.* 1. Pull.

2. Move, come, go, proceed.

3. Sketch, practise drawing *or* the art of delineation.

4. Produce inflammation, vesicate, blister.

5. Request payment by draft, make a draft.

**Draw back.** Retire, withdraw, retreat.

**Drawback,** *n.* 1. Disadvantage, detriment, fault, imperfection, deficiency, defect.

2. Discount, deduction, reduction, rebate, abatement, allowance.

**Drawcansir,** *n.* Blusterer, bully, swaggerer, braggart, braggadocio, Bombastes Furioso.

**Drawing,** *n.* 1. Pulling, attracting, draining, inhaling, etc. See DRAW.

2. Art of delineation.

3. Delineation, sketch, picture, plan, outline, draught.

**Drawing-knife,** *n.* Shave.

**Draw in one's horns.** (*Colloq.*) Repress one's ardor, restrain one's pride, cease boasting, pull in one's horns.

**Draw near.** } Approach, come near.
**Draw nigh.** }

**Draw on.** Approach, advance.

**Draw up.** 1. Raise, lift, elevate, pull up, haul up.

2. Compose, write, prepare, frame, draw.

3. Array, marshal, form in order, set in line, set in order of battle.

4. Come to a halt *or* stop, halt, stop.

**Dread,** *n.* 1. Fear, apprehension, terror.

2. Awe, veneration.

**Dread,** *a.* 1. Frightful, terrible, horrible, dreadful.

2. Venerable, awful.

**Dread,** *v. a.* Fear greatly.

**Dreadful,** *a.* 1. Terrible, horrible, horrid, direful, dire, fearful, frightful, terrific, awful, tremendous, formidable.

2. Venerable, awful.

**Dream,** *n.* 1. Sleeping vision.

2. Revery, fancy, fantasy, conceit, illusion, delusion, vagary, idle fancy, day-dream, castle in the air, *château en Espagne.*

**Dream,** *v. n.* 1. Have visions in sleep.

2. Think, imagine, fancy, have a notion.

3. Give a loose rein to the fancy, give the reins to the imagination, indulge in revery, build castles in the air.

**Dream away.** Spend idly, pass in revery.

**Dreamer,** *n.* Visionary, enthusiast, castle-builder.

**Dreamland,** *n.* Fairyland, land of dreams, realms of fairy, realm of fancy and imagination, region of revery, cloudland.

**Drear,** *a.* Gloomy. See DREARY, 1.

**Dreary,** *a.* 1. Gloomy, dismal, dark, drear, lonely, solitary, lonesome, cheerless, comfortless, chilling, depressing.

2. Monotonous, dull, tiresome, uninteresting.

**Dredge-box,** *n.* Dredging-box, flour-dredge.

**Dreggy,** *a.* Muddy, turpid, dirty, feculent, foul.
**Dregs,** *n. pl.* 1. Sediment, lees, grounds, draff, feculence.
2. Dross, scum, refuse, draff.
**Drench,** *v. a.* 1. Saturate, soak, steep, imbrue, wet thoroughly, wet through, wet through and through.
2. Physic, purge.
**Drenching,** *n.* Soaking, wetting, ducking.
**Dress,** *v. a.* 1. Align, make straight.
2. Adjust, arrange, dispose, set *or* put in order.
3. Prepare, fit, make suitable *or* fit, get ready, make ready.
4. Clothe, array, attire, apparel, accoutre, robe, rig, trick out.
5. Adorn, deck, decorate, embellish, trim, set out, set off.
**Dress,** *v. n.* Get *or* put on one's clothes, make one's toilet, attire one's self.
**Dress,** *n.* 1. Clothes, clothing, raiment, garments, garb, guise, habit, apparel, attire, habiliment, vesture, suit, costume.
2. Array, fine clothes, rich garments, elegant attire.
3. (Lady's) gown.
**Dress-coat,** *n.* Body-coat, swallow-tailed coat.
**Dressing,** *n.* 1. Preparing, putting in order.
2. Manure, fertilizer, compost.
3. Force-meat, stuffing.
**Dressy,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Showy, flashy, gaudy, fond of dress.
**Drib,** *v. a.* 1. Crop, lop, cut off, lop off (*little by little*).
2. Purloin, appropriate in driblets, cabbage, crib.
3. Entice, allure, decoy, coax, wheedle.
**Dribble,** *v. n.* Drip, trickle, fall in drops.
**Driblet,** *n.* Fragment, small portion.
**Drier,** *n.* Desiccative.
**Drift,** *n.* 1. Course, bearing, direction.
2. Aim, purpose, intention, intent, proposal, design, scope, tendency, object, mark.
3. (*Geol.*) Diluvium, diluvial formations.
4. (*Mining.*) Passage (*under ground, between shafts*).
5. Sweep, rush, current, sweeping pressure, driving impulse.
6. Heap, heaped pile, driven mass, drifted pile.
**Drift,** *v. a.* Drive into heaps.
**Drift,** *v. n.* 1. Float, be wafted, be borne *or* carried by the current *or* aimlessly.
2. Accumulate in heaps, be driven into heaps.
**Driftless,** *a.* Aimless, purposeless, without an object.
**Drill,** *n.* 1. Borer, boring-tool.
2. Military training, exercise in tactics.
3. Training, discipline.
4. Furrow, channel, trench (*for planting*).
5. Planting-machine.
**Drill,** *v. a.* 1. Pierce, perforate, bore.
2. Exercise in tactics, train in martial exercises.
3. Instruct, exercise, teach, train.
**Drink,** *v. n.* 1. Take a drink, quench one's thirst.
2. Tipple, tope, be a drunkard, be a toper, be intemperate (*in the use of spirituous liquors*), be of intemperate habits, take a drop too much.
3. Carouse, revel, indulge in a drinking-bout.
**Drink,** *v. a.* 1. Swallow, quaff.
2. Imbibe, absorb, swallow up, suck in.
**Drink,** *n.* Beverage, potion.
**Drinkable,** *a.* Potable, that may be drunk, fit to drink, suitable for drinking.
**Drinking,** *n.* Tippling, toping, intemperate habits.
**Drinking-bout,** *n.* Carouse, carousal, revel, revelry, jollification, bacchanals, saturnalia, debauch, compotation, wassail, orgies, spree (*colloq.*).
**Drink to.** Pledge, toast, drink in honor of, drink the health of.
**Drip,** *v. n.* 1. Trickle, fall in drops, dribble.
2. Have drops falling from.
**Drip,** *v. a.* Let fall in drops.
**Drive,** *v. a.* 1. Impel.
2. Hurl, send, propel.
3. Force, coerce, compel, oblige.
4. Press, urge.
5. Prosecute, carry on.
6. Guide (*by reins*).
7. Take in a carriage, carry on a drive.
**Drive,** *v. n.* 1. Be forced along, be impelled, move helplessly, drift, scud.
2. Rush, press with violence, go furiously.
3. Go driving, take a drive, go by carriage.
4. Aim, intend.
**Drive,** *n.* 1. Airing, ride.
2. Carriage-road, driving-course.
**Drive at.** Intend, purpose, aim at, tend to, be after, endeavor after.
**Drive away.** Expel, disperse, scatter, dispel, drive off.
**Drive back.** Repel, repulse.
**Drivel,** *v. n.* 1. Slaver, slobber, drool.
2. Dote, be imbecile, be foolish.
**Drivel,** *n.* 1. Slaver, drivelling.
2. Nonsense, balderdash, stuff, foolish talk, nonsense, twaddle, twattle, imbecile prating. See PRATE.
**Driveller,** *n.* [Written also *Driveler.*] 1. Slaverer, drooler.
2. Dotard, idiot, simpleton, fool, imbecile, twattler, senseless gabbler.
**Drivelling,** *n.* [Written also *Driveling.*] 1. Slaver.
2. Foolishness, folly, idiocy.
**Drive off.** Expel, drive away.
**Drive out.** Expel, reject, eject, cast out, turn out.
**Drizzle,** *v. n.* Rain (*in small drops*), mizzle.
**Droll,** *n.* 1. Jester (*by profession*), buffoon, harlequin, mountebank, punch, punchinello, clown, zany, scaramouch, fool, jack-pudding, merry-andrew, pickle-herring.
2. Farce, comic show.
**Droll,** *a.* 1. Comic, comical, funny, ludicrous, farcical, laughable, ridiculous.
2. Odd, queer, facetious, waggish, amusing, diverting.
**Droll,** *v. n.* Jest, act the buffoon, play the droll.
**Drollery,** *n.* Pleasantry, fun, facetiousness, waggishness, waggery, buffoonery, comicality.
**Drone,** *n.* 1. Male honey-bee.
2. Idler, sluggard, lounger, idle fellow, lazy fellow, do-nothing, good-for-nothing.
3. Humming, humming noise.
4. Droning-pipe (*in bagpipe*), drone-pipe.
**Drone,** *v. n.* 1. Lounge, dawdle, idle, waste time in trifles, live in idleness.
2. Make a dull humming sound, hum.
**Drone,** *v. a.* Read monotonously.
**Droniah,** *a.* Idle, lazy, indolent, sluggish, slow, inactive, drony.
**Dronte,** *n.* Dodo.
**Drool,** *v. n.* [*U. S. and parts of England.*] Slaver, drivel, drop saliva.
**Droop,** *v. a.* Let droop, let sink *or* fall, let bend down.
**Droop,** *v. n.* 1. Sink *or* hang down, drop, bend downward.
2. Wilt, wither, fade.

3. Languish, weaken, faint, sink, fail, decline, grow weak, be dispirited.

**Drop,** *n.* 1. Globule.
2. Ear-ring, pendant.
3. Small quantity, very little, least bit.

**Drop,** *v. a.* 1. Distil, send down *or* let fall in drops.
2. Lower, sink, depress, let down, let fall, let go.
3. Leave, quit, forsake, desert, relinquish, abandon, forswear, give up, give over, omit.
4. Discontinue, intermit, remit, cease, desist from, break off, leave off, lay aside.
5. Bedrop, spot, speckle, variegate.
6. Utter (*casually*), let fall, insert *or* state in passing, write *or* send informally.

**Drop,** *v. n.* 1. Distil, fall in drops, drip.
2. Fall suddenly.
3. Cease, come to an end, come to nothing.

**Drop astern.** (*Naut.*) Move back.

**Drop down.** (*Naut.*) Move toward the sea.

**Drop in.** Call, happen in.

**Drop serene.** Amaurosis, *gutta serena.*

**Dross,** *n.* 1. Scum, recrement, scoria.
2. Refuse, waste matter.

**Drought,** *n.* Dryness (*of weather*), aridity, drouth, want of rain.

**Drouth,** *n.* See DROUGHT.

**Drove,** *n.* 1. Herd, flock.
2. Crowd, collection, herd (*of people in motion*).

**Drown,** *v. a.* 1. Suffocate in water.
2. Overflow, inundate, deluge, overwhelm, flood.
3. Overcome, overpower.

**Drown,** *v. n.* Be drowned.

**Drowse,** *v. n.* Slumber, doze, nap, be half asleep.

**Drowsy,** *a.* 1. Sleepy, dozy.
2. Lethargic, comatose, stupid.
3. Soporific, lulling.

**Drub,** *v. a.* Beat, thrash, cudgel, cane, flog, pound, thump, etc. See BEAT.

**Drubbing,** *n.* Beating, flogging, thrashing, cudgelling, caning, pounding, flagellation.

**Drudge,** *v. n.* Slave, toil, plod, work hard, do heavy menial service.

**Drudge,** *n.* Slave, menial, scullion, hack, fag, hard-worker, toiler.

**Drudgery,** *n.* Hard *or* toilsome work, ignoble toil, mean labor.

**Drug,** *n.* 1. Medicine, physic, remedy.
2. Unsalable article.

**Drug,** *v. a.* 1. Mix with drugs, put drugs into.
2. Deaden with narcotics *or* anæsthetics, deaden, dull.
3. Dose to excess, stuff with drugs.
4. Surfeit, disgust.

**Drum,** *n.* (*Anat.*) Tympanum.

**Drunk,** *a.* 1. Intoxicated, inebriated, drunken, in liquor.
2. Soaked, saturated, drenched.

**Drunkard,** *n.* Toper, tippler, sot, carouser, reveller, bacchanal, bacchanalian.

**Drunken,** *a.* 1. Intoxicated, drunk, inebriated.
2. Sottish, given to intoxication *or* drink.
3. Drenched, saturated, soaked.

**Drunkenness,** *n.* 1. Intoxication, inebriety, ebriety.
2. Sottishness.

**Drupe,** *n.* Stone-fruit.

**Dry,** *a.* 1. Free from moisture, dried.
2. Arid, parched.
3. Thirsty, craving drink.
4. Uninteresting, barren, dull, jejune, meagre, tame, vapid, dreary, tiresome, tedious, unembellished, plain.
5. Sarcastic, severe, sly, keen, sharp.

**Dry,** *v. a.* Desiccate, exsiccate, free from moisture, make dry.

**Dry,** *v. n.* Become dry, lose moisture.

**Dryad,** *n.* Wood-nymph.

**Dry goods.** Textile fabrics (*as distinguished from groceries*).

**Dry-rot,** *n.* Sap-rot, powder-post.

**Dualism,** *n.* 1. Parseeism, Zoroastrianism, Mazdeism, Manicheism, doctrine of two supreme principles (*good and evil*).
2. (*Met.*) Natural realism, doctrine of two primal realities (*mind and matter*).

**Dub,** *v. a.* Name, style, term, denominate, designate, call, entitle, christen.

**Dubiety,** *n.* (*Rare.*) Doubtfulness, dubiousness, uncertainty.

**Dubious,** *a.* 1. Doubtful, undecided, hesitant, uncertain, wavering, fluctuating, unsettled.
2. Uncertain, doubtful, equivocal, ambiguous, not plain, not clear.

**Duck,** *v. a.* Immerse, plunge, souse, dip.

**Duck,** *v. n.* 1. Dive, plunge, dip, immerse one's self.
2. Bow, cringe, dodge (*downward*).

**Duck-bill,** *n.* Ornithorhynchus, platypus, mullangong, tambreet, water-mole, duck-mole.

**Duck-hawk,** *n.* Harpy, marsh-harrier, moor-buzzard (*Circus æruginosus*).

**Ducking-stool,** *n.* Trebuchet, tumbrel, castigatory, cucking-stool.

**Duct,** *n.* Conduit, channel, canal, pipe, tube.

**Ductile,** *a.* 1. Tractable, compliant, docile, yielding, facile.
2. Pliant, flexible, easily bent.
3. Extensible, capable of being drawn out.

**Ductility,** *n.* 1. Tractableness, docility, compliancy, flexibility, yielding disposition.
2. Extensibility.

**Dudgeon,** *n.* Anger, resentment, indignation, ire, malice, ill-will.

**Duds,** *n. pl.* (*Colloq.*) 1. Old clothes, tattered garments.
2. Effects, things, clothes, traps.

**Due,** *a.* 1. Owed, to be paid.
2. Proper, fit, suitable, appropriate, becoming, befitting.
3. Owing, to be ascribed.

**Due,** *n.* 1. Debt, what is due.
2. Right, just title, lawful claim.

**Due,** *ad.* Directly, exactly.

**Duel,** *n.* Affair of honor.

**Due to.** 1. Owing to, occasioned by, to be ascribed to.
2. Owed to.
3. Belonging of right to, fit for, befitting, suited to, appropriate to.

**Dug,** *n.* Teat (*of a beast*), nipple, pap, udder (*rarely*).

**Dulcamara,** *n.* Woody nightshade, bitter-sweet (*Solanum dulcamara*).

**Dulcet,** *a.* 1. Sweet, luscious, honeyed, delightful to the taste, delicious.
2. Melodious, harmonious, sweet, delightful to the ear.
3. Pleasing, agreeable, pleasant, delightful, charming, sweet.

**Dull,** *a.* 1. Stupid, stolid, doltish, blockish, brutish, unintelligent, blunt-witted.
2. Apathetic, insensible, unimpassioned, passionless, dead, callous.
3. Inert, inactive, lifeless, inanimate, heavy, sluggish, slow, torpid.
4. Blunt, obtuse, dulled.
5. Gloomy, sad, dismal, cheerless.
6. Dim, obscure.
7. Tedious, wearisome, tiresome, uninteresting, dreary, dry, jejune.

**Dull,** *v. a.* 1. Blunt, make blunt.
2. Stupefy, benumb, deaden, paralyze, obtund, hebetate, make *or* render insensible, render callous, make obtuse.
3. Depress, dishearten, discourage, dispirit, deject, make melancholy, make sad, gloomy, *or* dejected.
4. Quiet, allay, moderate, assuage, mitigate, alleviate, soften.
5. Sully, tarnish, dim.

**Dullard,** *n.* Simpleton. See DUNCE.

**Duly,** *ad.* 1. Properly, fitly, befittingly, decorously, in a suitable manner.
2. Regularly, in course, at the proper time.

**Dumb,** *a.* 1. Unable to speak, incapable of speech.
2. Mute, speechless, silent.

**Dumb-show,** *n.* Pantomime.

**Dumb-waiter,** *n.* See DUMMY.

**Dumfound,** / **Dumfounder,** } *v. a.* (*Colloq.*) Confuse, confound, pose, nonplus, strike dumb, astound, amaze.

**Dummador,** *n.* Cockchafer, dor, dor-bug, May-bug, tree-beetle, May-beetle, dumbledor (*Melolontha vulgaris*).

**Dummy,** *n.* 1. Mute, dumb person.
2. (*Colloq.*) Dumb-waiter.
3. Fourth hand (*when only three persons play at whist*).

**Dumpish,** *a.* Sad, dejected, dispirited, despondent, moping. See MELANCHOLY, *a.*

**Dumps,** *n. pl.* Dejection, depression, sadness, despondency, blues, blue devils. See MELANCHOLY, *n.*

**Dumpy,** *a.* Short and thick (*in person*), squat.

**Dun,** *a.* Dull brown, yellowish-brown, drab.

**Dun,** *v. a.* Press (*for a debt*), importune, urge.

**Dun,** *n.* 1. Importunate creditor.
2. Dunning letter.

**Dunce,** *n.* Simpleton, fool, dolt, ignoramus, witling, wiseacre, blockhead, block, numskull, dullard, thickhead, thick-skull, dunderhead, dunderpate, clodpoll, clodpate, beetle-head, bull-head, dull-head, addle-head, logger-head, chuckle-head, jolt-head, lack-brain, shallow-brain, moon-calf, lackwit, halfwit, oaf, changeling, booby, noodle, spooney, tony, nincompoop (*colloq.*), ninny, ninnyhammer, nonny, gaby, flat, sawney, driveller, noddy, natural, innocent, lout, stick, ass, jackass, donkey, owl, goose, coot, loon, calf, noncompos, stupid fellow, silly fellow.

**Dunder,** *n.* Lees (*of cane juice*).

**Dunderhead,** / **Dunderpate,** } *n.* Simpleton. See DUNCE.

**Dun-diver,** *n.* Goosander, dish-washer, wagtail (*Mergus merganser* or *Mergus castor*).

**Dung,** *n.* Excrement, ordure, fæces.

**Dung,** *v. a.* Manure (*with dung*).

**Dungeon,** *n.* Prison (*especially one underground and dark*), keep, donjon-keep.

**Dungmeers,** *n. pl.* Compost-pits.

**Dupe,** *n.* Gull, cully, credulous person.

**Dupe,** *v. a.* Cheat, deceive, delude, trick, circumvent, overreach, beguile, cully, chouse, cozen, gull, impose upon.

**Duplicate,** *a.* Double, twofold.

**Duplicate,** *n.* Copy, transcript, counterpart.

**Duplicity,** *n.* Dissimulation, chicanery, guile, deceit, deception, hypocrisy, circumvention, artifice, Machiavelism, double-dealing, falseness, fraud, perfidy, dishonesty.

**Durability,** *n.* Durableness, lasting quality.

**Durable,** *a.* Permanent, lasting, abiding, continuing, constant, stable.

**Durableness,** *n.* Permanence, durability, lasting quality.

**Durance,** *n.* See DURESS.

**Duration,** *n.* 1. Continuance (*in time*), continuation, lasting period.
2. Time, extension in time.

**Duress,** *n.* Constraint, restraint, captivity, confinement, imprisonment, durance.

**During,** *prep.* For the time of, for the period of.

**Dusk,** *n.* 1. Twilight, approach of night *or* darkness, edge of darkness, nightfall.
2. Dark color, approach to blackness, duskiness.

**Dusky,** *a.* 1. Obscure, murky, dim, shadowy, cloudy, shady, overcast, somewhat dark.
2. Dark, dark-colored.

**Dutch gold.** Pinchbeck.

**Dutch oven.** Baking-reflector, reflector.

**Duteous,** *a.* Obedient. See DUTIFUL.

**Dutiful,** *a.* 1. Obedient, submissive, duteous.
2. Reverential, respectful, deferential.

**Duty,** *n.* 1. What one ought to do, what one is bound *or* under obligation to do.
2. Service, business, function, office.
3. Tax, impost, toll, custom, excise.

**Dwale,** *n.* Belladonna, banewort, deadly nightshade (*Atropa belladonna*).

**Dwarf,** *n.* Pygmy, hop o' my thumb.

**Dwarf,** *v. a.* Stunt, hinder from growth.

**Dwarfish,** *a.* Stunted, dwarfed, undersized, diminutive, small, little, tiny, liliputian, pygmean, pygmy.

**Dwell,** *v. n.* Inhabit, reside, live, stay, sojourn, tarry, abide, be settled, have a habitation.

**Dweller,** *n.* Inhabitant, inhabiter, resident, citizen, denizen.

**Dwelling,** *n.* Habitation, abode, residence, lodging, quarters, domicile, home, place of residence, place of abode, dwelling-place, house.

**Dwelling-place,** *n.* See DWELLING.

**Dwell on.** / **Dwell upon.** } 1. Hang upon fondly, be absorbed with, be deeply interested in.
2. Continue long upon, occupy a long time with.

**Dwindle,** *v. n.* 1. Diminish, decrease, lessen, shrink, grow less, grow little.
2. Sink, degenerate, decline, decay, fall away, fall off.

**Dwindle,** *v. a.* Diminish, decrease, lessen, make less.

**Dyad,** *n.* Pair, couple, group of two.

**Dye,** *n.* 1. Coloring liquor.
2. Color, hue, tint, tinge, stain, cast, shade.

**Dye,** *v. a.* Color, tinge, stain.

**Dyer's-weed,** *n.* Green-broom, green-weed (*Genista tinctoria*).

**Dying,** *a.* 1. Expiring.
2. Mortal, perishable.

**Dying,** *n.* Death, decease, demise, dissolution, departure, exit, end of life.

**Dynamics,** *n.* Science of forces.

**Dynasty,** *n.* 1. Government, sovereignty, dominion, empire.
2. Race of rulers, family of sovereigns, succession.

**Dysentery,** *n.* Bloody flux.

**Dyspepsia,** / **Dyspepsy,** } *n.* (*Med.*) Indigestion, difficulty of digestion.

**Dyspnœa,** *n.* [L.] (*Med.*) Difficulty of breathing.

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**Each,** *a.* 1. One and the other (*of two*), both, either (*archaic and poetical*).
2. Every one (*of several*).
**Eager,** *a.* 1. Longing, yearning, greedy, anxious, impatient, keenly desirous.
2. Ardent, zealous, enthusiastic, vehement, impetuous, forward, earnest, animated, fervent, fervid, glowing, hot, sanguine.
3. (*Poetical.*) Sharp, keen, biting, mordant, nipping, stinging.
**Eagerness,** *n.* 1. Longing, yearning, avidity, greediness, impatience, anxiety.
2. Ardor, zeal, vehemence, impetuosity, earnestness, enthusiasm, fervor, fervency, heartiness, devotion.
**Eagle,** *n.* 1. King of birds.
2. Ten dollars (*U. S. gold coin*).
**Eagle-eyed,** *a.* 1. Sharp-sighted, keen-eyed, keen-sighted, of piercing vision.
2. Discerning, perspicacious, penetrating, of piercing vision, of penetrating insight, quick-sighted, sharp-sighted, lynx-eyed, hawk-eyed, keen-eyed, Argus-eyed.
**Eagre,** *n.* [Written also *Eger* and *Eygre.*] Bore, great tidal wave.
**Ear,** *n.* 1. Organ of hearing.
2. Musical perception, faculty of discriminating sounds, sense of hearing.
3. Regard, heed, attention, hearing.
4. Spike (*of grain*), head.
**Earache,** *n.* Otalgia, otalgy, pain in the ear.
**Ear-drop,** *n.* Ear-ring, pendant.
**Early,** *a.* 1. Timely, seasonable, in season.
2. Forward, premature.
3. At dawn, at daybreak, at the opening of day.
**Early,** *ad.* Soon, betimes, seasonably, in good season, in good time.
**Earn,** *v. a.* 1. Gain, get, acquire, win, obtain, procure.
2. Merit, deserve, be entitled to.
**Earnest,** *a.* 1. Ardent, zealous, eager, fervent, fervid, glowing, animated, importunate, warm, hearty.
2. Intent, steady, fixed, close.
3. Serious, sincere, true, truthful.
4. Serious, important, momentous, weighty.
**Earnest,** *n.* 1. Seriousness, reality, truth, good faith.
2. Pledge, promise, foretaste, first-fruits.
3. (*Law.*) Earnest-money, handsel.
**Earnest-money,** *n.* Earnest, pay in advance (*to bind a bargain*), handsel.
**Earnings,** *n. pl.* Income, proceeds, profits. See WAGES.
**Ear-ring,** *n.* Pendant, ear-drop.
**Earth,** *n.* 1. World, globe, terrestrial ball, terraqueous orb.
2. Soil, ground, land, clod, turf, sod.
3. World, mankind, inhabitants of the globe.
4. This world, nature, natural order, temporal things, transitory state.
**Earth-born,** *a.* 1. Terrigenous, born on the earth, sprung from the ground.
2. Of low birth, of mean extraction, meanly born.
3. Earthly, low, mean, base, abject, grovelling, earth-bred, unspiritual, merely temporal.
**Earth-bred,** *a.* Low, base, vile, abject, grovelling, earth-born, earth-fed.
**Earth-flax,** *n.* Amianth, amianthus (*species of Asbestos*).
**Earthly,** *a.* 1. Terrestrial.
2. Sensual, sordid, worldly, low, grovelling, vile, base, gross, earthly-minded, earth-born, earth-fed, earth-bred, carnal, unspiritual.
3. Natural, merely natural *or* physical, temporal, carnal, merely temporal, non-spiritual.
4. On earth, in the world, possible, conceivable.
**Earthly-minded,** *a.* 1. Sensual, sordid.
2. Devoted to this world. See EARTHLY.
**Earthy,** *a.* 1. Terrene, composed of earth, like earth.
2. Earthly, terrestrial.
3. Gross, coarse, unrefined.
**Ear-wax,** *n.* Cerumen.
**Ear-wig,** *n.* 1. Ear-piercer (*Forficula auricularia*).
2. Whisperer, insinuater, prying informer.
**Ear-wig,** *v. a.* Get the ear of, influence by insinuations, prejudice by covert insinuations, whisper insinuations in one's ear.
**Ease,** *n.* 1. Rest, repose, quiescence.
2. Quiet, quietude, quietness, tranquillity, peace, content, contentment.
3. Facility, easiness, readiness.
4. Freedom, flexibility, freedom from stiffness *or* harshness *or* forcedness, lightness, naturalness.
5. Freedom from formality *or* constraint, unaffectedness.
**Ease,** *v. a.* 1. Relieve, disburden, disencumber, free from pain *or* anxiety, pacify, quiet, still, give rest *or* repose *or* relief.
2. Alleviate, allay, assuage, appease, mitigate, soothe, abate.
3. [With *of.*] Relieve (*from* or *of*), disburthen.
4. Release (from pressure), loosen, give more room.
5. Facilitate, make less difficult.
**Ease away.** (*Naut.*) Slacken gradually (*a rope*), ease off.
**Easement,** *n.* (*Law.*) Privilege (*by grant* or *prescription*), convenience, accommodation, advantage.
**Ease off.** (*Naut.*) See EASE AWAY.
**Eastern,** *a.* 1. Oriental, orient.
2. Toward the east.
**Easy,** *a.* 1. Light, not difficult, not burdensome.
2. Quiet, tranquil, untroubled, comfortable, contented, satisfied, at rest, at ease, without anxiety, without pain.
3. Yielding, complying, compliant, pliant, facile, submissive, accommodating, complaisant.
4. Unconstrained, graceful, not formal, not stiff.
5. Natural, flowing, unaffected, smooth.
6. Gentle, moderate.
7. Not straitened (*pecuniarily*), comfortable, affluent.
**Eat,** *v. a.* 1. Chew and swallow, ingest.
2. Corrode, erode, consume, wear away, gnaw into.
**Eat,** *v. n.* 1. Feed, take food.
2. Act corrosively.
3. (*Colloq.*) Taste, relish.
**Eatable,** *a.* Esculent, edible.
**Eat dirt.** Humble one's self, abase one's self,

lower one's note, fall on one's knees, get a set-down, eat humble pie.

**Eat humble pie.** Suffer humiliation, endure mortification, be humbled, be abashed, be taken down, eat dirt.

**Eating,** *a.* Corrosive, erosive, corroding, caustic, catheretic.

**Eating-house,** *n.* Restaurant, chop-house, coffee-house, *caft.*

**Eat one's words.** Take back what was said, retract a statement, withdraw charges.

**Eat out.** Eat away, consume, gnaw out, erode, destroy.

**Eat up.** Consume, devour, make away with, destroy, use up, exhaust.

**Eau-de-cologne,** *n.* [Fr.] Cologne, cologne-water.

**Eavesdropper,** *n.* Stealthy listener.

**Eavesdropping,** *n.* Listening by stealth.

**Ebb,** *n.* I. Regression, regress, retrocession, retrogression, reflux, refluence, return.

2. Decline, decay, deterioration, degeneration, degeneracy, caducity, wane, waning.

3. Decrease, diminution, abatement, decrement, subsidence.

**Ebb,** *v. n.* I. Recede, retire, flow back.

2. Decline, decrease, decay, wane, sink, fall away.

**Ebon,** *a.* I. Dark, black, inky.

2. Made of ebony.

**Ebriety,** *n.* Drunkenness, intoxication, inebriation, inebriety.

**Ebullience,** / **Ebulliency,** *n.* I. Effervescence, ebullition, boiling over.

2. Bursting forth, overflow, burst, rush, bursting vigor.

**Ebullient,** *a.* I. Effervescing, boiling over.

2. Bursting, rushing, outbursting, throbbing, stormy.

3. Over-enthusiastic, over-demonstrative, extravagant.

**Ebullition,** *n.* I. Boiling.

2. Effervescence, fermentation.

3. Burst, outburst, bursting forth, outbreak, fit, paroxysm.

**Eccentric,** *a.* I. Without a centre, deviating from the centre, deviating from a circle.

2. With different centres, non-concentric.

3. Irregular, abnormal, anomalous, peculiar, uncommon, unnatural, singular, strange, wayward, odd, aberrant, erratic, whimsical.

**Eccentricity,** *n.* I. Deviation from circularity, ellipticity, oblateness, flatness, flattening.

2. Distance from centre to focus.

3. Irregularity, peculiarity, oddness, oddity, singularity, waywardness, strangeness, aberration.

**Ecclesiastic,** / **Ecclesiastical,** *a.* Of the Church, belonging *or* relating to the Church, church.

**Ecclesiastic,** *n.* Priest, clergyman, churchman, minister, parson, pastor, divine, person in holy orders *or* orders.

**Echinate,** / **Echinated,** *a.* Prickly, bristled.

**Echo,** *n.* I. Reverberation, reflected sound, repercussion of sound.

2. Assenting repetition, slavish imitation.

**Echo,** *v. n.* Resound, reverberate, be sounded back.

**Echo,** *v. a.* I. Reverberate, re-echo.

2. Repeat, sound again.

3. Sound loudly, resound, reverberate.

**Éclaircissement,** *n.* [Fr.] Explanation, explication, elucidation, clearing up.

**Eclaircize,** *v. a.* (*Modern.*) Explain, unfold, expound, elucidate, illustrate, make plain, make clear.

**Éclat,** *n.* I. Acclamation, applause, plaudit, burst of applause

2. Brilliancy, splendor, show, pomp, lustre, effect, striking effect.

**Eclectic,** *a.* Selecting, selective.

**Eclecticism,** *n.* Eclectic philosophy, eclectic method.

**Eclipse,** *n.* I. Occultation, eclipsing.

2. Obscuration, darkening, dimming, clouding, veiling, hiding, shrouding, disappearance, concealment, vanishing, occultation.

3. Extinguishment, extinction, obliteration, blotting out, destruction, annihilation.

**Eclipse,** *v. a.* I. Darken, obscure, dim.

2. Cloud, veil, shroud, hide, hide from view.

3. Throw into the shade, utterly surpass, put out of competition.

4. Extinguish, blot out, put out, annihilate, annul.

**Eclipse,** *v. n.* Suffer eclipse, be eclipsed, darkened, veiled, hidden, dimmed, *or* obscured.

**Eclogue,** *n.* Bucolic, idyl, pastoral, pastoral poem.

**Economic,** / **Economical,** *a.* I. Household, housekeeping, relating to housekeeping *or* the household, housewifely.

2. Relating to economics, concerning public economy.

3. Saving, sparing, provident, thrifty, frugal, free from lavishness *or* waste.

**Economics,** *n.* I. Science of wealth, method of developing public wealth, plutology, public economy, political economy.

2. Household management, household economy, housewifery.

**Economize,** *v. a.* Save, husband, manage frugally, use prudently, expend with frugality *or* without waste.

**Economize,** *v. n.* Retrench, be frugal, be prudent, be economical, practise economy, husband one's resources, avoid waste.

**Economy,** *n.* I. Frugality, thrift, thriftiness, good husbandry, good housewifery.

2. Arrangement, regulation, management, administration.

3. System, plan, dispensation, established order.

**Ecphonesis,** *n.* [Gr.] (*Rhet.*) Exclamation, ejaculation, interjection, animated *or* passionate utterance.

**Ecstasy,** *n.* I. Trance, suspension of external sense.

2. Transport, rapture, ravishment, delight, excessive joy, supreme delight, transporting pleasure.

**Ecstatic,** / **Ecstatical,** *a.* I. Entrancing, suspending the senses.

2. Resulting from *or* given in trance or ecstasy.

3. Transporting, ravishing, rapturous, surpassingly *or* supremely delightful, enrapturing, beatific.

**Ectype,** *n.* Close *or* exact copy, reproduction.

**Ecumenic,** / **Ecumenical,** *a.* [Written also *Œcumenic* and *Œcumenical.*] General (*applied especially to councils of the Church*), universal.

**Edacious,** *a.* Greedy, voracious, devouring.

**Eddish,** *n.* [Written also *Eadish.*] Eagrass, earsh, etch. See AFTERMATH.

**Eddy,** *n.* I. Counter-current.

2. Whirlpool, vortex.

**Edentate,** / **Edentated,** *a.* Toothless.

**Edge,** *n.* I. Cutting side (*of a blade*).

2. Border, rim, brim, margin, verge, brink; beginning *or* end, opening *or* close (*as the case may be*).

3. Keenness, sharpness, intensity, interest, animation, zest.

4. Power to wound, sharpness, sting, acrimony, bitterness, gall.

**Edge,** *v. a.* I. Sharpen.
2. Fringe, border, rim.
3. Move sideways, move little by little, hitch up, hitch along.

**Edge,** *v. n.* Move sideways, move little by little, hitch along.

**Edge-bone,** *n.* Aitchbone, natchbone, rump-bone.

**Edging,** *n.* Fringe, border, trimming.

**Edible,** *a.* Eatable, esculent.

**Edict,** *n.* Command, order, decree, rescript, mandate, ordinance, proclamation, ban.

**Edification,** *n.* (Moral) upbuilding, religious nurture, moral *or* religious strengthening, spiritual invigoration, enlargement of spiritual life.

**Edifice,** *n.* Building, fabric, structure.

**Edify,** *v. a.* Upbuild (morally), nurture in religion, stimulate to spiritual growth, strengthen in spiritual life, beget spiritual improvement in, enlarge in Christian life.

**Edit,** *v. a.* I. Revise and correct, prepare for the press, annotate and emend, superintend the publication of, bring out.
2. Conduct (*a journal, etc.*), manage.

**Edition,** *n.* I. Issue (*of a literary work*), impression.
2. Impression, number (*of copies*) printed at once.

**Editor,** *n.* I. Reviser and corrector (*of a work*), annotator.
2. Conductor (*of a journal*), manager.

**Educate,** *v. a.* Train, discipline, teach, instruct, school, nurture, breed, bring up, develop the faculties of, form the mind and character of.

**Education,** *n.* Training, teaching, tuition, schooling, instruction, discipline, cultivation, nurture, breeding, development.

**Educe,** *v. a.* Extract, draw out, bring out.

**Edulcorate,** *v. a.* (*Chem.*) Wash, purify, cleanse.

**Edulcoration,** *n.* (*Chem.*) Washing, cleaning, purification.

**Eel-pout,** *n.* I. Blenny (*Zoarces viviparus*).
2. Burbot (*Lota vulgaris*).

**Efface,** *v. a.* Obliterate, erase, expunge, blot, cancel, rub out, wipe out, scratch out, rub off, blot out, strike out.

**Effect,** *n.* I. Consequence, result, issue, event.
2. Force, validity, weight, power, efficiency.
3. Purport, import, drift, tenor, meaning, general intent.
4. Fact, reality, truth.
5. General *or* total impression, *ensemble*.

**Effect,** *v. a.* I. Cause, produce, create.
2. Accomplish, achieve, execute, perform, do, consummate, complete, realize, carry, compass, effectuate, bring about, bring to pass, carry out, work out.

**Effective,** *a.* I. Competent, adequate, sufficient, effectual.
2. Powerful, forcible, energetic, potent, cogent, efficacious.
3. Operative, active, efficient.

**Effects,** *n. pl.* Goods, furniture, movables, personal estate.

**Effectual,** *a.* I. Operative, successful.
2. Efficacious, effective, active, efficient, of adequate power.

**Effectuate,** *v. a.* Accomplish, secure, achieve, effect, execute, carry out, bring to pass.

**Effeminacy,** *n.* [*Said of men.*] Weakness, softness, timidity, unmanly delicacy.

**Effeminate,** *a.* [*Said of men.*] Womanish, feminine, timorous, unmanly.

**Effeminate,** *v. a.* Unman, soften, emasculate, emolliate, make *or* render effeminate.

**Effervesce,** *v. n.* Froth, foam, bubble, ferment, bubble and hiss.

**Effervescence,** *n.* Bubbling, frothing, foaming, ebullition, fermentation.

**Effete,** *a.* I. Barren, unprolific, unfruitful, fruitless, addle.
2. Decayed, spent, exhausted, wasted, worn out.

**Efficacious,** *a.* Effectual, effective, powerful, active, operative, efficient, energetic, of adequate power.

**Efficacy,** *n.* Potency, competency, power, strength, force, efficiency, effectiveness, energy, vigor, virtue.

**Efficiency,** *n.* See EFFICACY.

**Efficient,** *a.* I. Operative, active, efficacious, effective, effectual, potent.
2. Able, energetic, skilful, ready.

**Efficient,** *n.* (*Rare.*) Cause, operator, prime mover, efficient agent.

**Effigies,** *n.* See EFFIGY.

**Effigy,** *n.* I. Image, figure, statue, representation, likeness, portrait, effigies.
2. Sepulchral statue, mortuary statue.

**Efflorescence,** *v. n.* I. Bloom, flower, burst into bloom, break into flower.
2. Break into florid ornament, become florid.
3. (*Chem.*) Grow pulverulent (*on the surface*), acquire a bloom *or* down.

**Efflorescence,** *n.* I. Flowering, bloom, blossoming.
2. Flowering-time, time of blossoming, period of bloom.
3. Pulverulence (*of the surface*).

**Effluence,** *n.* Emanation, efflux.

**Effluvium,** *n.* Exhalation, vapor, noxious exhalation.

**Efflux,** *n.* I. Flow, effusion.
2. Emanation, effluence.

**Effort,** *n.* Endeavor, attempt, trial, essay, exertion, struggle, strain, straining, striving, stretch.

**Effrontery,** *n.* Assurance, impudence, audacity, hardihood, presumption, shamelessness, saucinesss, brass, brazen boldness.

**Effulgence,** *n.* Brilliancy, lustre, splendor, brightness, radiance, refulgence.

**Effulgent,** *a.* Brilliant, shining, lustrous, splendid, resplendent, bright, radiant, refulgent, dazzling, blazing, flaming, glowing, burning, beaming.

**Effuse,** *v. a.* Shed, spill, pour out *or* forth.

**Effuse,** *v. n.* Issue, emanate, come forth, spread forth.

**Effuse,** *a.* Profuse, poured forth freely, lavish.

**Effuse,** *n.* Effusion, outpouring, loss, waste, spilling, shedding.

**Effusion,** *n.* I. Outpouring, efflux, gush.
2. Shedding, spilling, waste, effuse.
3. Utterance, expression of thought *or* sentiment, desultory composition *or* effort (*literary*).

**Effusive,** *a.* I. Lavish, generous, largely *or* freely outpouring, effuse.
2. Poured abroad, spread widely, diffused.

**Eft,** *n.* Salamander, newt.

**Eftsoon,** } *ad.* Soon, speedily, presently, soon
**Eftsoons,** } after, straightway.

**Egg,** *n.* Ovum.

**Egg,** *v. a.* I. [With *on.*] Urge, incite, instigate, push, stimulate, encourage.
2. [With *into.*] Provoke, harass, harry.

**Egg-shaped,** *a.* Ovate.

**Eglantine,** *n.* Eglatere, sweetbrier (*Rosa rubiginosa*).

**Ego,** *n.* [L.] (*Psychol.*) Subject, conscious subject, self, me.

**Egoism,** *n.* I. (*Met.*) Subjective *or* sceptical

*or* negative idealism, solipsism (*limitation of certainty to the self*).

2. Egotism, selfishness, extravagant love of self.

**Egotism,** *n.* I. Self-importance, self-conceit, self-esteem, self-assertion, self-admiration, self-praise, self-commendation, bumptiousness (*colloq.*).

2. Selfishness, passionate *or* extravagant self-love, egoism.

**Egotistic,** } *a.* Conceited, vain, opinionated,
**Egotistical,** } self-important, self-conceited, self-admiring, self-asserting, bumptious (*colloq.*).

**Egregious,** *a.* [*Usually in a bad sense.*] Extraordinary, remarkable, enormous, monstrous, outrageous, great, huge, prodigious, tremendous.

**Egress,** *n.* I. Passage out, power to go out.

2. Way out, exit, departing passage.

3. Going out, exit, departure, emergence.

**Either,** *a.* and *pron.* I. (*Properly.*) One or the other (*of two*).

2. (*Less authorized.*) Any one (*of several*).

3. [*Archaic or poetical.*] Each (*of two*), both, one and the other.

**Ejaculate,** *v. a.* Utter in an exclamation, utter briefly and suddenly.

**Ejaculate,** *v. n.* Cry *or* exclaim passionately *or* hurriedly.

**Ejaculation,** *n.* Exclamation, brief and sudden utterance, *ecphonesis.*

**Eject,** *v. a.* I. Emit, discharge, void, evacuate, vomit, spew, puke, throw out, cast up.

2. Expel, oust, dismiss, discharge, cashier, turn out, thrust out, put out.

3. Reject, banish, throw aside, cast away, throw overboard.

**Ejection,** *n.* Expulsion, dismission, discharge, extrusion, banishment, thrusting out, turning out.

**Eke out.** Add to, supply the deficiency of, stretch out, make out, make out with difficulty.

**Elaborate,** *v. a.* I. Bestow labor upon, work out.

2. Improve, refine, mature, ripen, prepare thoroughly, work out with (great) care.

**Elaborate,** *a.* I. Labored, studied, elaborately prepared.

2. High-wrought, highly finished, minutely and intricately wrought.

**Elaboration,** *n.* I. Labor, painstaking.

2. Preparation, ripening, maturing, working out.

**Elapse,** *v. n.* Pass, lapse, glide away, slip away, pass away.

**Elastic,** *a.* I. Springy, rebounding, resilient, recoiling.

2. Recuperative.

**Elasticity,** *n* I. Springiness, resiliency, tendency to rebound.

2. Tendency to recover, power to endure strain *or* depression.

**Elate,** *a.* Flushed (*with success*), elated, excited, exhilarated, puffed up, in high spirits.

**Elate,** *v. a.* Cheer, exhilarate, elevate, animate, excite, flush, puff up, make proud.

**Elater,** *n.* Fire-fly (*of South America, Cuba, etc.*).

**Elation,** *n.* Exultation, elevation, exaltation, pride, high spirits.

**Elbow,** *n.* Angle, bend, turn, flexure.

**Elbow,** *v. a.* Push, crowd, jostle, hustle, shoulder.

**Elbow,** *v. n.* Jostle, hustle, shoulder, crowd, push, push one's way.

**Elbow-chair,** *n.* Armchair, easy-chair.

**Elbow-room,** *n.* Scope, swing, range, sweep, opportunity, liberty of action, a fair field, room enough.

**Eld,** *n.* I. Old age, decrepitude, decadence, decay.

2. Olden time, antiquity, former *or* bygone ages, bygone times, the past.

**Elder,** *a.* I. Older, senior, earlier born.

2. Senior, ranking, previously appointed *or* commissioned.

3. Earlier, more ancient, ancient, olden.

**Elder,** *n.* I. Senior, superior in age.

2. Old man, aged man, venerable man.

3. Presbyter, ruling elder.

**Elderly,** *a.* Somewhat old, somewhat advanced in life.

**Eldership,** *n.* I. Seniority.

2. Elder's office.

3. Order of elders, body of elders.

**Eldest,** *a.* Oldest.

**Elect,** *v. a.* Choose, select, cull, pick, prefer, single out, fix upon, pitch upon, pick out, make choice of.

**Elect,** *a.* I. Chosen, selected, picked, choice.

2. Elected, appointed (*but not installed in office*).

3. (*Theol.*) Redeemed, predestinated to salvation, saved, chosen to salvation.

**Election,** *n.* I. Selection, preference, choice.

2. Appointment by vote.

3. Choice, alternative, liberty, freedom, free-will, power to choose.

4. Discrimination, distinction, discernment.

5. (*Theol.*) Predestination.

**Electioneer,** *v. n.* Canvass.

**Elective,** *a.* I. Chosen by election, determined by suffrage, dependent on suffrage.

2. Concerning suffrage, of suffrage.

3. Selective, mutually attractive.

**Elective franchise.** Right of voting, right to vote, right of suffrage.

**Elector,** *n.* Voter, constituent.

**Electric,** *a.* I. Charged with electricity.

2. Marked by electricity, relating to electricity.

3. Full of fire *or* spirit, inspiriting, inspiring, stimulating.

4. Lightning-like, swift and flashing, instantaneous and thrilling, rousing, thrilling, stirring, exciting.

**Electrify,** *v. a.* I. Render electric, charge with electricity.

2. Rouse, thrill, excite, stir, enchant.

**Elegance,** *n.* I. Grace, beauty, symmetry, propriety.

2. Refinement, polish, politeness, gentility.

**Elegant,** *a.* I. Graceful, beautiful, handsome, fine, symmetrical, classical, tasteful, chaste, neat, well-made, well-proportioned, in good taste.

2. Polished, refined, accomplished, cultivated, polite, genteel, courtly, fashionable.

**Elegiac,** *a.* Mournful, plaintive, sorrowful, dirge-like.

**Elegy,** *n.* I. Dirge, lament, epicedium, mournful song, funeral song.

2. Serious, meditative, *or* melancholy poem.

**Element,** *n.* I. Simple body, uncompounded body, ultimate part.

2. Constituent, component, ingredient, constituent principle, component part.

3. Proper state, proper sphere, natural medium, vital air.

4. [In *pl.*] Rudiments, first steps *or* principles, outlines, essential parts.

**Elementary,** *a.* I. Simple, uncompounded.

2. Rudimentary, rudimental, primary.

**Elench,** *n.* (*Log.*) I. Elenchus, refutatory syllogism, syllogism forcing contradiction (*upon the opponent*).

2. (*Rare.*) Sophism, paralogism, fallacy, specious argument.

**Elephantine,** *a.* I. Huge, immense, gigantic, colossal, Cyclopean, Herculean, enormous, very large.
2. Clumsy, unwieldy.

**Elevate,** *v. a.* I. Raise, lift, lift up.
2. Exalt, promote, advance, aggrandize.
3. Improve, dignify, ennoble, refine, exalt, greaten.
4. Animate, elate, cheer, exhilarate, excite, flush.

**Elevation,** *n.* I. Raising, elevating.
2. Exaltation, aggrandizement, promotion.
3. Dignity, refinement, improvement, ennobling.
4. Hill, elevated place, height.
5. Height, altitude.

**Élève,** *n.* [Fr.] Pupil.

**Elf,** *n.* I. Fairy, fay, sprite, imp, urchin, diminutive spirit.
2. Dwarf, gnome.
3. Imp, urchin, mischief (*applied in sport to a child*).

**Elfish,** *a.* Elf-like, mischievous, elvish.

**Elicit,** *v. a.* I. Draw out, bring out, educe, evoke, call forth, succeed in obtaining.
2. Bring to light, educe, deduce.

**Elide,** *v. a.* Cut off (*a syllable*), strike out, curtail.

**Eligible,** *a.* I. Desirable, preferable, to be preferred, worthy of choice, fit to be chosen.
2. Legally qualified (*for election*).

**Eliminate,** *v. a.* Exclude, remove, expel, reject, eradicate, erase, thrust out, drive out, get clear of, get rid of.

**Elimination,** *n.* I. Exclusion, expulsion, rejection.
2. Removal, eradication, erasure.

**Élite,** *n.* [Fr.] Flower (*of a society*), best part, select body.

**Elixir,** *n.* I. Cordial.
2. (*Med.*) Compound tincture.

**Elk,** *n.* Moose, moose-deer (*Cervus alces* or *Alces molchis*).

**Ellipse,** *n.* I. Closed conic (section).
2. Oval, oval figure, flattened circle, rounded oblong.

**Ellipsis,** *n.* Omission, gap, hiatus, lacuna.

**Elliptic,** / **Elliptical,** } *a.* I. Oval, oblong rounded.
2. Relating *or* belonging to the ellipse, like an ellipse.
3. Defective, incomplete, containing omissions.

**Elocution,** *n.* I. Speech, faculty of speech, power of expression.
2. Utterance, delivery, manner of speaking, oral expression.
3. Art of delivery, art of oral expression, reading art, declamatory art.

**Éloge,** *n.* [Fr.] Eulogy, eulogium, panegyric, funeral oration.

**Elongate,** *v. a.* Lengthen, stretch, extend, draw out, lengthen out.

**Elope,** *v. n.* Abscond (*as a woman with a paramour*), run away, run off.

**Eloquence,** *n.* I. Oratory, art of speaking well, (*in public*).
2. Graceful and vigorous utterance, fit words in fit places, appropriate expression.
3. Impassioned utterance, flowing and impassioned speech, speech full of appropriate feeling.

**Eloquent,** *a.* I. Persuasive, impressive.
2. Graceful and vigorous.
3. Impassioned, flowing and full of feeling, fluent and powerful.

**Else,** *a.* or *pron.* Other.

**Else,** *ad.* or *conj.* I. Otherwise.
2. Besides.

**Elsewhere,** *ad.* I. In many *or* several other places.
2. In some other place.
3. In other places.

**Elucidate,** *v. a.* Explain, illustrate, unfold, make clear, make plain, throw light upon.

**Elucidation,** *n.* I. Clearing up, elucidating, explanation, explaining, illustration, illustrating, unfolding.
2. Explanation, illustration, exposition, comment, annotation, commentary, gloss, scholium.

**Elucidative,** *a.* Explanatory.

**Elude,** *v. a.* I. Escape, evade, avoid, shun, get away from, steal away from, slip from, slip away from.
2. Baffle, frustrate, foil, balk, thwart, disconcert, disappoint, escape (*notice* or *inquiry*), remain concealed from.

**Elusive,** *a.* I. Evasive. See ELUSORY.
2. Equivocating, shuffling, equivocatory.

**Elusory,** *a.* Evasive, elusive, delusive, deceptive, fraudulent, fallacious, deceitful, illusory.

**Elutriate,** *v. a.* Cleanse (*as ores, by washing*), purify.

**Elvish,** *a.* Elf-like, mischievous, elfish.

**Elysian,** *a.* Charming, delightful, ravishing, enchanting, blissful, heavenly, celestial, exceedingly happy.

**Elysium,** *n.* I. The Elysian fields, islands of the blest.
2. Paradise, Eden, delightful place.

**Emaciate,** *v. a.* Make lean *or* thin *or* spare, reduce in flesh, cause to waste away.

**Emaciate,** *v. n.* Waste away, pine, grow lean *or* thin *or* spare, become reduced in flesh.

**Emaciate,** / **Emaciated,** } *a.* Lean, thin, lank, attenuated, wasted, gaunt, skinny, meagre, worn to a shadow, reduced to a skeleton.

**Emaciation,** *n.* Leanness, lankness, meagreness, wasting away, pining away, tabes, tabefaction.

**Emanate,** *v. a.* I. Flow forth continuously, pour out incessantly.
2. Issue, arise, spring, flow, proceed, emerge, go out.

**Emanation,** *n.* I. Flowing out, issuing, issuance, arising, springing, flowing, emerging, emergence.
2. Efflux, effluence, issue.

**Emancipate,** *v. a.* Enfranchise, manumit, liberate, disenthrall, release, unfetter, unshackle, unchain, free, set free, set at liberty.

**Emancipation,** *n.* Enfranchisement, manumission, liberation, release, deliverance.

**Emasculate,** *v. a.* I. Castrate, geld, glib, deprive of virility, deprive of procreative power.
2. Weaken, enervate, debilitate, unman, effeminate, effeminize, emolliate, make effeminate, deprive of native vigor.

**Emasculation,** *n.* I. Castration, gelding, glibbing, orchotomy.
2. Weakening, debilitation, enervation, unmanning, effemination.
3. Effeminacy, weakness, softness, enervation.

**Embalm,** *v. a.* I. Preserve from decay (*by aromatics* or *antiseptics*).
2. Preserve, enshrine, cherish, keep unimpaired.
3. Scent, perfume, make fragrant *or* balmy, fill with balm.

**Embargo,** *n.* I. Prohibition (*of vessels to leave port*).
2. Prohibition (*in general*), prohibitory restriction, ban, restraint, hindrance, embarguement.

**Embargo,** *v. a.* Put under embargo, lay an embargo upon, prohibit from leaving port.

**Embark,** *v. a.* I. Put on shipboard.

2. Engage, enlist, invest, put.

**Embark,** *v. n.* I. Go on shipboard, go on board, go aboard, take ship.

2. Engage, enlist, enter upon, take the first step, go into.

**Embarrass,** *v. a.* I. Perplex, entangle, beset, make intricate, make difficult.

2. Harass, distress, trouble, vex, annoy, plague, hamper, clog.

3. Confuse, disconcert, abash, confound, nonplus, pose, dumfound, dumfounder.

**Embarrassment,** *n.* I. Perplexity, difficulty, entanglement.

2. Trouble, distress, vexation, plague.

3. Confusion, abashment.

**Embassy,** *n.* I. Commission, mission, ambassadorial office *or* function.

2. Legation, ambassadors.

3. Ambassadorial residence, legation.

**Embattle,** *v. a.* I. Array (*in order of battle*), set in battle (*array*), put in line.

2. Make battlements in, fit *or* adorn with battlements.

**Embay,** *v. a.* Landlock.

**Embed,** *v. a.* Bed.

**Embellish,** *v. a.* Decorate, deck, bedeck, ornament, adorn, beautify, set out, set off.

**Embellishment,** *n.* Decoration, ornament, ornamentation, adornment, adorning, decking, beautifying.

**Embers,** *n. pl.* Cinders, live coals, smouldering remains (of the fire).

**Embezzle,** *v. a.* Appropriate to one's own use (*what is intrusted*), misappropriate, purloin, steal, come unlawfully by.

**Embezzlement,** *n.* Peculation.

**Embitter,** *v. a.* [Written also *Imbitter.*]

1. Make bitter *or* more bitter.

2. Make unhappy *or* grievous *or* distressing.

3. Aggravate, exacerbate, render more severe *or* bitter *or* poignant *or* violent *or* malignant.

4. Exasperate, anger, make hostile, madden, enrage, exacerbate.

**Emblaze,** *v. a.* I. Blazon. See EMBLAZON, I.

2. Kindle, set in a blaze *or* ablaze.

3. Adorn with glittering ornaments, make glitter *or* gleam *or* shine.

4. Display, blazon, make ostentation of.

**Emblazon,** *v. a.* I. Blazon, emblaze, adorn with ensigns armorial.

2. Deck (*with showy ornaments*), decorate, adorn, embellish, emblaze, set off, set out.

3. Celebrate, laud, sing, sing the praises of.

**Emblazonry,** *n.* I. Heraldry, blazonry.

2. Heraldic ornaments.

**Emblem,** *n.* Type, symbol, sign, representation, token, badge, mark, device, cognizance, allusive figure.

**Emblematic,** } *a.* Typical, figurative, representative, symbolical, allusive.
**Emblematical,** }

**Emblematize,** *v. a.* Symbolize, typify, represent by an emblem, emblemize, emblematicize.

**Embodiment,** *n.* I. Embodying, etc. See the verb.

2. Bodily presentation, material representation, realization, incorporation.

**Embody,** *v. a.* I. Invest with a body, make corporeal, form into a body, incarnate.

2. Incorporate, concentrate, compact, integrate, combine, collect into a whole, draw into one mass.

3. Comprehend, include, embrace, comprise, contain.

4. Systematize, methodize, codify.

**Emboguе,** *v. n.* [*Said of rivers.*] Discharge, empty, fall.

**Embolden,** *v. a.* Encourage, animate, inspirit, reassure, make bold, give courage to.

**Embolism,** *n.* I. Intercalation, interpolation (*of time*).

2. Time *or* period intercalated.

3. (*Med.*) Obstruction, stoppage.

**Embolismic,** } *a.* Intercalated, intercalary, interpolated, inserted, embolic, embolismal, embolismatic (al).
**Embolismical,** }

**Embonpoint,** *n.* [Fr.] Plumpness, fleshiness, fatness, corpulence, corpulency, obesity, stoutness, rotundity.

**Embosom,** *v. a.* Enfold, enwrap, surround, envelop, hide, conceal, bury.

**Emboss,** *v. a.* I. Adorn with raised work, ornament in relief.

2. Cover with bosses *or* protuberances *or* relief.

**Embossment,** *n.* I. Embossing. See the verb.

2. Protuberance, jut, prominence, raised work, figure in relief.

**Embouchure,** *n.* [Fr.] I. Mouth (*as of a river*).

2. (*Mus.*) Aperture (*of an instrument*), mouthpiece.

**Embowed,** *p. a.* Bent, curved, arched, bowed, arcuated, arcuate.

**Embowel,** *v. a.* I. Eviscerate, disembowel, paunch, gut, take out the bowels *or* entrails of, free from the viscera.

2. Embed, bury, hide, conceal.

**Embrace,** *v. a.* I. Clasp in the arms, hug, press to the bosom, fold to the heart.

2. Welcome, seize, accept, lay hold on, accept eagerly.

3. Comprehend, include, cover, contain, comprise, enclose, encompass, encircle, embody, take in.

**Embrace,** *n.* Hug, clasp.

**Embroider,** *v. a.* Adorn with needle-work.

**Embroidery,** *n.* Variegated needle-work.

**Embroil,** *v. a.* I. Entangle, ensnarl, implicate, commingle, involve.

2. Disturb, perplex, confuse, distract, trouble, disorder, discompose, throw into disorder, bring into difficulty.

**Embryo,** *n.* I. Germ, rudiment, embryon.

2. Rudimentary state, first stage, beginning.

**Embryo,** *a.* Embryotic, embryonic, embryon, embryonal, embryonate, embryous, rudimentary, undeveloped.

**Embryotic,** *a.* See EMBRYO, *a.*

**Emend,** *v. a.* Improve the text of, subject to textual criticism, supply with improved readings.

**Emendation,** *n.* Correction of the text, rectification of the text, improved reading.

**Emerge,** *v. n.* I. Rise (*out of a fluid*), come up.

2. Issue, emanate, escape, come forth.

3. Appear, become visible, rise into view.

**Emergence,** *n.* Emerging. See the verb.

**Emergency,** *n.* I. Exigency, urgency, necessity, crisis, pinch, pass, push, strait, difficulty, extremity, pressing necessity.

2. Juncture, conjuncture, crisis, pass, turn of events.

3. Unforeseen occasion, sudden *or* unexpected occurrence.

**Emersion,** *n.* I. Emerging, rising, emergence.

2. (*Astron.*) Reappearance (*after eclipse*).

**Emetic,** *n.* Vomit, vomitory, puke.

**Emeute,** *n.* [Fr.] Riot, popular outbreak, seditious commotion, uprising, tumult.

**Emication,** *n.* Scintillation, sparkling.

**Emigrate,** *v. n.* Migrate, remove (*from one country to settle in another*).

**Emigration,** *n.* I. Migration, removal, exodus.

2. Body of emigrants.

**Eminence,** *n.* I. Prominence, projection, protuberance.
2. Elevation, hill, elevated ground, high point.
3. Exaltation, celebrity, distinction, prominence, conspicuousness, loftiness, note, renown, repute, reputation, fame, high rank *or* position, great station, celebrity, preferment.
4. Supreme degree, superiority, marked degree.
**Eminency,** *n.* (*Rare.*) Same as EMINENCE, 3 and 4.
**Eminent,** *a.* I. High, lofty, elevated.
2. Distinguished, conspicuous, celebrated, prominent, illustrious, exalted, famous, renowned, remarkable, of great repute.
**Emissary,** *n.* I. Messenger, spy, scout, secret agent.
2. Outlet (*for water*), discharging channel.
**Emission,** *n.* I. Emitting, sending out, throwing out.
2. Issue, issuing, issuance, putting into circulation.
3. Bills *or* amount issued, issue.
**Emit,** *v. a.* I. Eject, discharge, exhale, breathe, breathe out, send forth, throw out, give out.
2. Issue (*for circulation*), put into circulation.
**Emmet,** *n.* Ant, pismire.
**Emolliate,** *v. a.* Soften, effeminate, emasculate, make effeminate.
**Emollient,** *a.* Softening, relaxing, soothing.
**Emolument,** *n.* I. Gain, lucre, pay, compensation, remuneration, profits, wages, salary, stipend, income, hire, pecuniary profit.
2. Advantage, profit, benefit.
**Emotion,** *n.* Feeling, passion, excitement (*of sensibility*), mental agitation.
**Empawn,** *v. a.* Pawn, pledge, put in pawn.
**Emphasis,** *n.* I. Stress (*on certain words*), force of utterance.
2. Impressiveness, significance, weight.
**Emphatic,** } *a.* Expressive, significant, strong,
**Emphatical,** } forcible, energetic, decided, positive, unequivocal, distinct.
**Empire,** *n.* I. Sovereignty, supremacy, dominion, absolute authority, supreme dominion, imperial power.
2. Rule, sway, command, control, government.
**Empiric,** *n.* Quack, charlatan, pretender, mountebank, impostor, cheat, mere experimenter (*without scientific training*).
**Empiric,** } *a.* I. Experimental, experiential,
**Empirical,** } from experience (*as distinguished from inference* or *reasoning*), based on evidence of the senses (*in opposition to the creations of reason*).
2. Tentative, provisional, hypothetical, experimental, that feels its way, awaiting verification.
3. Charlatanic, quackish.
**Empiricism,** *n.* I. Dependence on experience, reliance on the evidence of sense alone.
2. (*Philos.*) Empirical philosophy, sensationalism, sensualism, theory of the sole validity of sense.
3. Quackery, charlatanism, charlatanry.
**Emplastrum,** *n.* [L. *pl. Emplastra.*] (*Med.*) Plaster.
**Employ,** *v. a.* I. Busy, engage, engross, exercise, occupy.
2. Use, apply, make use of.
3. Intrust with an agency, enlist in one's service, give employment to.
**Employ,** *n.* (*Poetical.*) See EMPLOYMENT.
**Employé,** *n.* [Fr.] Agent, clerk, servant, hand, employee.
**Employment,** *n.* I. Business, occupation, engagement, pursuit, vocation, avocation, calling, profession, trade, craft, employ.
2. Service, agency, office, employ.
3. Employing, use, application.
4. Busy state, being busied, occupation, engrossment.
**Emporium,** *n.* Mart, market, place of trade, commercial city.
**Empoverish,** *v. a.* [Written also *Impoverish.*]
1. Make poor, bring to want, reduce to indigence.
2. Make less fertile, deprive *or* strip of fertility.
**Empower,** *v. a.* I. Authorize, commission, warrant, qualify, give authority to.
2. Enable, make able.
**Emptiness,** *n.* I. Empty state *or* condition, vacancy, destitution of contents.
2. Destitution, lack of supplies, want of furniture.
3. Vacuity, vacuum, void, void space, vacancy.
4. Unsatisfactoriness, unsatisfyingness, vanity, hollowness, unreality.
5. Triviality, frivolity, trifling, senselessness, silliness, destitution of sense.
**Empty,** *a.* I. Without contents, destitute of contents, devoid of contents.
2. Void, vacant, unoccupied.
3. [With *of.*] Devoid, destitute.
4. Unfurnished, unsupplied, unfilled, destitute.
5. Unsubstantial, unsatisfying, unsatisfactory, vain, hollow.
6. Desolate, waste, deserted.
7. Senseless, silly, weak, frivolous.
**Empty,** *v. a.* I. Exhaust, drain, evacuate, deplete.
2. Discharge, disembogue, pour out.
**Empty,** *v. n.* Flow, disembogue, embogue, discharge, fall, flow out, be discharged.
**Empyreal,** *a.* Ethereal, aerial, airy, highly refined, sublimed, sublimated.
**Empyrean,** *n.* Highest heaven.
**Emulate,** *v. a.* Rival, vie with, compete with, strive to equal *or* to excel.
**Emulation,** *n.* I. Rivalry, competition, desire to excel, desire of superiority.
2. Envy, jealousy, contention, envious strife.
**Emulous,** *a.* I. Competing, rivalling.
2. Very desirous *or* eager to excel *or* equal.
3. Contentious, envious, jealous.
4. [With *of.*] Very desirous, eager.
**Emunctories,** *n. pl.* Excretory ducts.
**Enable,** *v. a.* Empower, qualify, capacitate, make able, make capable, render capable.
**Enact,** *v. a.* I. Ordain, decree, establish by law, pass into a law, give legislative sanction to.
2. Play, act, personate, represent, act the part of.
**Enactment,** *n.* I. Enacting. See the verb.
2. Law, act, decree, edict, ordinance.
**Enamour,** *v. a.* Charm, captivate, fascinate, bewitch, inflame with love.
**Enarthrosis,** *n.* (*Anat.*) Ball-and-socket joint.
**Encage,** *v. a.* [Written also *Incage.*] Confine, coop, coop up.
**Encamp,** *v. n.* Camp, pitch one's camp, pitch camp, pitch one's tent.
**Encamp,** *v. a.* Place in a camp, put in camp.
**Encampment,** *n.* Camp.
**Enceinte,** *a.* [Fr.] Pregnant, with child, in the family way.
**Enchain,** *v. a.* I. Bind, shackle, manacle, enslave, hold in chains, hold in bondage.
2. Hold, rivet, fix, hold fast.
**Enchant,** *v. a.* I. Practise sorcery upon, cast a spell on, throw under a spell, bind by incantations, fascinate, bewitch, charm, practise charms upon.
2. Charm, captivate, fascinate, bewitch, enamour, win, catch, lead captive.
3. Charm, delight, enrapture, rapture, ravish, enravish, beatify, transport, fill with bliss.

**Enchanting,** *a.* Charming, captivating, fascinating, bewitching, delightful, rapturous, enrapturing, blissful, ravishing, Circean.

**Enchanter,** *n.* I. Charmer, magician, sorcerer, necromancer.

2. Charmer, the one who delights, captivates, *or* fascinates.

**Enchantment,** *n.* I. Enchanting, overpowering by magic *or* spells *or* incantations *or* sorcery, putting under a spell, incantation, fascination, charming.

2. Incantation, conjuration, necromancy, magic, sorcery, witchery, spell, charm.

3. Delight, fascination, rapture, ravishment, transport, bliss.

**Enchantress,** *n.* I. Sorceress, witch.

2. Charmer, *inamorata*, fair enslaver.

**Enchase,** *v. a.* I. Enclose (*as a gem in gold*), infix, set, encircle.

2. Chase, emboss.

**Enchiridion,** *n.* Manual, hand-book.

**Encircle,** *v. a.* I. Surround, encompass, environ, gird, belt, engird, enclose.

2. Embrace, fold, clasp, enfold.

**Enclose,** *v. a.* [Written also *Inclose.*] I. Encircle, surround, encompass, imbosom, circumscribe, shut in, fence in.

2. Cover, envelop, wrap.

**Enclosure,** *n.* [Written also *Inclosure.*] I. Enclosing.

2. Being enclosed.

3. Thing enclosed.

4. Circle, compass, space enclosed.

5. Yard, compound.

**Encomiast,** *n.* Eulogist, panegyrist, praiser, extoller.

**Encomiastic,** / **Encomiastical,** *a.* Panegyrical, eulogistic, laudatory, commendatory.

**Encomium,** *n.* Praise, eulogy, eulogium, laudation, commendation, panegyric, good word.

**Encompass,** *v. a.* I. Surround, environ, compass, gird, engird, belt, encircle, enclose.

2. Invest, beset, besiege, surround, hem in, wall in, lay siege to.

**Encore,** *ad.* [Fr.] Again, once more.

**Encounter,** *n.* I. Meeting, rencounter, clash, collision.

2. Attack, onset, assault.

3. Conflict, combat, fight, contest, battle, engagement, action, skirmish, brush, affair.

**Encounter,** *v. a.* I. Meet (*suddenly*), meet face to face.

2. Confront, face.

3. Meet with, fall upon, come upon.

4. Attack, engage with, contend against, join battle with, cope with, compete with, struggle with, strive with, fight with.

**Encounter,** *v. n.* Clash, skirmish, rencounter, fight, come into collision.

**Encourage,** *v. a.* I. Embolden, inspirit, animate, enhearten, hearten, stimulate, cheer, incite, assure, reassure, comfort, console, buoy up.

2. Support, favor, countenance, further, advance, promote, foster, aid, help, abet, patronize, help forward.

**Encourager,** *n.* Favorer, promoter, supporter, patron.

**Encroach,** *v. n.* I. Trespass, intrude, infringe, trench, make inroad, make invasion.

2. Creep, advance stealthily, overtake unawares.

**Encroachment,** *n.* Infringement, trespass, inroad, invasion.

**Encumber,** *v. a.* I. Load, clog, oppress, impede, hinder, obstruct, overload, burden.

2. Embarrass, perplex, entangle, involve, complicate.

**Encumbrance,** *n.* [Written also *Incumbrance.*]

I. Load, clog, impediment, hindrance, deadweight, drag.

2. Debt, claim, liability.

**Encyclic,** / **Encyclical,** *a.* Circular, addressed to the circuit (*of churches, officials, etc.*).

**Encyclic,** / **Encyclical,** *n.* Circular letter (*especially of the Pope*).

**Encyclopædia,** *n.* Cyclopædia.

**Encyclopædian,** *a.* See ENCYCLOPEDIC.

**Encyclopedic,** / **Encyclopedical,** *a.* That embraces the whole circle of learning, all-embracing, comprehensive, exhaustive, encyclopedian.

**Encysted,** *a.* Enclosed in a cyst *or* sac.

**End,** *n.* I. Extremity, extreme point.

2. Close, cessation, period, expiration, *finale*, finis, last, fall of the curtain.

3. Conclusion, completion.

4. Termination, bound, limit.

5. Final state, ultimate condition.

6. Result, event, consequence, sequel, upshot, (final) issue.

7. Fragment, scrap, remnant.

8. Aim, purpose, object, design, drift, bearing, intent, intention, view, final cause.

**End,** *v. a.* I. Terminate, conclude, finish, close, put an end to, bring to an end, make an end of, cut short, wind up.

2. Destroy, kill, put to death.

**End,** *v. n.* I. Conclude, terminate, cease, be finished, come to an end, come to a close, wind up.

2. Close, conclude a discourse, cease speaking.

**Endanger,** *v. a.* Hazard, risk, peril, jeopardize, commit, compromise, expose to danger, put at hazard, put in peril, put in jeopardy.

**Endear,** *v. a.* Attach, make dear, secure the affection of, bind by ties of affection, gain the love of.

**Endearment,** *n.* I. Endearing, attaching, attachment, making dear.

2. Fondness, tenderness, attachment, love, tender affection, close tie, fond attachment.

3. Caressing, caress, blandishment, fondling.

**Endeavor,** *n.* Effort, attempt, essay, trial, struggle, exertion, aim.

**Endeavor,** *v. n.* Try, attempt, essay, labor, strive, aim, make an effort, make an attempt.

**Endemic,** / **Endemical,** *a.* (*Med.*) Of a particular district.

**Endemic,** *n.* (*Med.*) Endemic disease.

**Endless,** *a.* I. Interminable, illimitable, unlimited, boundless, limitless, immeasurable, infinite, without end *or* limit *or* bound.

2. Eternal, everlasting, perpetual, unending, never-ending, without end.

3. Uninterrupted, incessant, ceaseless, unceasing, perpetual, continual, continuous, eternal, without break *or* interruption.

4. Immortal, undying, deathless, ever-living, ever-enduring, never-dying, imperishable, eternal, enduring forever.

5. Objectless, without purpose *or* design.

**Endorse,** *v. a.* [Written also *Indorse.*] I. Superscribe, write on the back of.

2. (*Com.*) Guarantee (*by superscription*), become surety for, become responsible for.

3. Sanction, warrant, confirm, ratify, guarantee, vouch for.

**Endosmose,** / **Endosmosis,** *n.* Inward osmose, transudation inward.

**Endow,** *v. a.* I. Furnish with a dowry, settle a dower upon.

2. Furnish with a fund, supply with means.

3. Enrich, endue, indue, invest, gift.

**Endowment,** *n.* I. Gift, grant, bequest, boon, largess, bounty, present.

2. Property, fund, revenue.

3. Talent, faculty, quality, power, ability, capacity, capability, aptitude, parts, genius, qualification, gift.

**Endue,** *v. a.* [Written also *Indue.*] Supply, invest, clothe, endow, enrich.

**Endurable,** *a.* Tolerable, bearable.

**Endurance,** *n.* I. Bearing, suffering, sufferance, tolerance, toleration.
2. Patience, fortitude, resignation.
3. Continuance, continuation, lastingness, permanence, persistence.

**Endure,** *v. a.* I. Bear, sustain, support, bear up under.
2. Suffer, undergo, experience, go through.
3. Brook, tolerate, abide, submit to, put up with, bear with, take patiently *or* easily.

**Endure,** *v. n.* I. Remain, continue, persist, last, abide, be permanent, be durable.
2. Bear, suffer, submit, resign one's self, be patient, take it patiently, take it easily *or* quietly, not fret about it.

**Enema,** *n.* (*Med.*) Clyster, glyster, injection, lavement.

**Enemy,** *n.* I. Foe, adversary.
2. Opponent, antagonist.
3. [With *The* prefixed.] Satan, arch-fiend. See DEVIL.

**Energetic,** *a.* Vigorous, active, forcible, powerful, strong, effective, efficacious, potent.

**Energize,** *v. n.* I. Act, be active, be in action *or* operation, operate.
2. Act with vigor, act forcibly.

**Energize,** *v. a.* Give energy to, give force to, excite to action.

**Energy,** *n* I. Force, power, might, efficacy, potency, efficiency, strength, activity, intensity.
2. Spirit, spiritedness, animation, life, vigor, manliness, zeal, pluck, bottom, animal spirits.
3. (*Mech.*) Capacity of work, mechanical value, *vis viva.*

**Enervate,** *v. a.* Unnerve, weaken, enfeeble, effeminate, effeminize, emasculate, debilitate, paralyze, break, deprive of force *or* strength, render feeble.

**Enfeeble,** *v. a.* Weaken, unnerve. See ENERVATE.

**Enfilade,** *v. a.* (*Mil.*) Rake with shot.

**Enforce,** *v. a.* I. Give force to, urge with energy, set forth strongly, impress on the mind.
2. Put in execution, put in force, compel obedience to, have executed *or* obeyed.
3. Constrain, compel, oblige, force, require.

**Enforcement,** *n.* I. Inculcation.
2. Sanction.
3. Execution, putting in force.
4. Constraint, compulsion.

**Enfranchise,** *v. a.* I. Admit as a free man, endow with a franchise.
2. Free, emancipate, manumit, release, set free, make free, restore to liberty.

**Engage,** *v. a.* I. Pledge, commit, promise, bind, put under pledge.
2. Plight, affiance, betroth, promise *or* pledge in marriage.
3. Enlist, induce to serve.
4. Gain, win, attach, attract, allure, entertain, draw, fix, arrest, gain over.
5. Occupy, employ, busy, engross.
6. Attack, encounter, fight with, join battle with.

**Engage,** *v. n.* I. Fight, combat, contend, struggle, contest, join battle.
2. Embark, enlist, take the first step.
3. Promise, agree, stipulate, bargain, undertake, pledge one's word, plight one's word, pass one's word, pledge one's self, become bound, be sworn, take upon one's self.

**Engagement,** *n.* I. Promise, stipulation, assurance, contract, pledge, obligation.
2. Plighting, betrothal, betrothment, affiancing.
3. Employment, occupation, business, calling, vocation, avocation.
4. Battle, conflict, combat, contest, action, fight, encounter, rencounter.

**Engaging,** *a.* Attractive, winning, captivating, charming, taking, pleasing.

**Engender,** *v. a.* I. Generate, beget, procreate, breed.
2. Produce, cause, occasion, beget, generate, breed, give rise to, call forth.

**Engine,** *n.* I. Machine.
2. Implement, instrument, weapon, agent, means.

**Enginery,** *n.* I. Engines, machines, (*especially*) artillery.
2. Mechanism, machinery, mechanical contrivances.
3. Contrivances, schemes, devices, machinations, artifices, system of artifice.

**Engird,** *v. a.* Surround, environ, gird, begird, encircle, encompass.

**English,** *n.* I. English people.
2. English language.

**Engorge,** *v. a.* I. Gorge, devour, swallow up, swallow eagerly, gulp down.
2. (*Med.*) Fill to excess, stuff, glut, obstruct.

**Engorge,** *v. n.* Devour food, feed greedily, be gluttonous.

**Engorgement,** *n.* I. Engorging.
2. (*Med.*) Congestion, obstruction, plethora, plethoric condition, over-fulness.

**Engrain,** *v. a.* [Written also *Ingrain.*] I. Dye in the grain, dye deep.
2. Incorporate with the grain, lodge in the very fibre.
3. Grain, paint in imitation of wood.

**Engrave,** *v. a.* I. Mark with incisions, cut, chisel, carve, grave.
2. Imprint, infix, grave, impress deeply.

**Engraving,** *n.* I. Cutting, carving, chiselling, incising, marking with incisions.
2. Engraver's art, graver's art.
3. Engraved plate.
4. Print.

**Engross,** *v. a.* I. Absorb, engage, occupy, take up.
2. Monopolize, forestall.
3. Copy in large hand, write out fair.

**Engrossment,** *n.* I. Absorption, monopoly forestalling.
2. Engrossed copy.

**Engulf,** *v. a.* [Written also *Ingulf.*] Absorb, swallow up.

**Enhance,** *v. a.* I. Raise (*as price*), advance, heighten, swell.
2. Increase, augment, aggravate.

**Enhearten,** *v. a.* Encourage, embolden, animate, hearten, inspirit, cheer, incite, stimulate, assure, reassure, comfort, console, buoy up.

**Enigma,** *n.* Riddle, puzzle, dark saying, obscure question.

**Enigmatic,** } *a.* Obscure, mysterious, mystic,
**Enigmatical,** } mystical, dark, occult, recondite, ambiguous, hidden, unintelligible, incomprehensible, puzzling, perplexing.

**Enjoin,** *v. a.* I. Urge *or* admonish *or* advise with authority *or* authoritatively.
2. Order, direct, bid, command, require, prescribe to.
3. (*Law.*) Prohibit, restrain, put an injunction on.

**Enjoy,** *v. a.* [*With a personal object only in sense* 3.] I. Take pleasure in, be delighted with, take delight in, derive pleasure from.

2. Have fruition of, have the advantage *or* blessing of.
3. Have sexual delight with, have intercourse with.

**Enjoyment,** *n.* I. Pleasure, gratification, delight, happiness.
2. Fruition, satisfactory *or* advantageous *or* beneficent possession.

**Enjoy one's self.** Be happy, have pleasure.

**Enkindle,** *v. a.* I. Inflame, ignite, kindle, set on fire.
2. Inflame, incite, excite, rouse, stimulate, instigate, provoke, stir up, set on.

**Enlarge,** *v. a.* I. Increase, augment, extend, expand, magnify, amplify, make larger, make greater.
2. Greaten, engreaten, ennoble, expand, give larger scope to, make more comprehensive.

**Enlarge,** *v. n.* I. Expatiate, dilate, descant, speak at length, launch out.
2. Increase, swell, grow, extend, expand, grow larger.

**Enlargement,** *n.* I. Expansion, dilatation, dilation, extension, augmentation, increase.
2. Expatiation, copious discourse, extended remark.

**Enlighten,** *v. a.* I. Illuminate, illume, illumine, irradiate, make light, make luminous, supply with light.
2. Instruct, inform, teach, make intelligent, render more intelligent.

**Enlightened,** *a.* Instructed, informed, educated, intelligent, refined, highly civilized, freed from ignorance.

**Enlightenment,** *n.* Instruction, illumination.

**Enlist,** *v. a.* I. Enroll, register, record, list.
2. Engage, induce to serve, secure the assistance of.
3. Engage for military *or* naval service, enroll in the army *or* navy, recruit.

**Enlist,** *v. n.* I. List, enroll one's self.
2. Embark, engage, pledge one's assistance.
3. Take service in the army *or* navy, enroll one's self in the army *or* navy.

**Enlistment,** *n.* I. Enrolment.
2. Taking *or* going into military service, recruiting.

**Enliven,** *v. a.* I. Quicken, animate, wake, rouse, invigorate, give life to.
2. Inspire, inspirit, exhilarate, cheer, delight, gladden.

**En masse.** [Fr.] Altogether, in a mass, in a body.

**Enmity,** *n.* Animosity, hatred, hate, hostility, aversion, malignity, malice, malevolence, rancor, bitterness, ill-will.

**Ennoble,** *v. a.* I. Raise to nobility, raise to the peerage.
2. Exalt, dignify, elevate, raise, aggrandize, enlarge, engreaten, greaten.

**Ennui,** *n.* [Fr.] Listlessness (*for want of occupation*), languor, tedium, lassitude, wearisomeness, tiresomeness, irksomeness.

**Ennuyé,** *a.* [Fr.] Listless, bored.

**Enormity,** *n.* I. Atrociousness, depravity, atrocity, flagitiousness, heinousness, nefariousness, outrageousness, wickedness.
2. Atrocious crime, flagitious villany.

**Enormous,** *a.* I. (*Rare.*) Inordinate, irregular, abnormal, exceptional.
2. Huge, monstrous, immense, vast, gigantic, colossal, prodigious, Cyclopean, Herculean, elephantine, very large.
3. Flagitious, atrocious, heinous, nefarious, outrageous, depraved, very wicked.

**Enough,** *n.* Sufficiency, plenty, *quantum sufficit.*

**Enough,** *a.* See SUFFICIENT.

**Enough,** *ad.* Sufficiently, satisfactorily, to satisfaction.

**Enounce,** *v. a.* (*Rare.*) Declare, enunciate, announce, publish, proclaim, promulgate, state, propound, make known.

**En passant.** [Fr.] In passing, by the way, by the bye.

**Enquire,** *v. a.* [Written also and usually *Inquire.*] Ask, ask about.

**Enquire,** *v. n.* [Or *Inquire.*] I. Ask, question, seek information (*by questioning*), make inquiry.
2. Make investigation, make examination.

**Enrage,** *v. a.* Irritate, exasperate, incense, madden, infuriate, provoke, inflame, chafe, anger, make furious, excite to rage, aggravate (*collog.*).

**Enrapture,** *v. a.* Enchant, entrance, enravish, transport, beatify, delight surpassingly.

**Enravish,** *v. a.* Enchant. See ENRAPTURE.

**Enravishment,** *n.* Rapture, ecstasy, transport, ravishment.

**Enrich,** *v. a.* I. Endow, make rich, make wealthy *or* affluent *or* opulent.
2. Fertilize, make productive.
3. Store, supply abundantly.
4. Adorn, decorate, deck, ornament, embellish.

**Enrichment,** *n.* I. Enriching. See the verb.
2. Adornment, decoration, ornament, ornamentation, embellishment.

**Enrobe,** *v. a.* Dress, clothe, invest, attire, array, apparel, robe.

**Enroll,** *v. a.* I. Enlist, list, register.
2. Record, chronicle.

**En route.** [Fr.] On the way, on the road, in transit.

**Ensanguine,** *v. a.* Stain with blood, redden (*with blood*), incarnadine.

**Ensconce,** *v. a.* Shelter, cover, shield, secure, screen, hide, protect, harbor.

**Ensconce one's self.** Hide, conceal one's self, take shelter, shelter one's self.

**Ensemble,** *n.* [Fr.] The whole, *tout ensemble*, effect, total effect, general impression.

**Enshrine,** *v. a.* I. Enclose in a shrine.
2. Preserve (*as something sacred*), embalm, treasure, cherish, keep unimpaired.

**Ensiform,** *a.* Sword-shaped.

**Ensign,** *n.* I. Banner, standard colors, streamer, flag, pennon, gonfalon.
2. Symbol, sign, signal.
3. Badge, distinctive mark, mark of distinction.

**Enslave,** *v. a.* I. Reduce to bondage, deprive of liberty, make a slave of.
2. Overpower, master, overmaster, subjugate, dominate.

**Ensnare,** *v. a.* [Written also *Insnare.*] I. Entrap, catch.
2. Inveigle, allure, seduce.
3. Entangle, embarrass, encumber.

**Ensue,** *v. n.* I. Follow, succeed, come after, be subsequent.
2. Issue, arise, spring, flow, come, result, proceed, be derived.

**Ensure,** *v. a.* Make secure, render certain, make sure.

**Entail,** *v. a.* I. Transfer (*by inalienable title*), settle inalienably, make incapable of conveyance.
2. Transmit (*by necessity*), fix unalterably, devolve as a necessary consequence, involve inevitably.

**Entangle,** *v. a.* I. Ensnare, entrap, catch, involve in complication.
2. Confuse (*by twisting* or *crossing*), intertwine, intertwist, interweave, tangle, knot, mat.
3. Perplex, embarrass, encumber, ensnare.

4. Puzzle, bewilder, catch, perplex, involve in contradictions.

**Entanglement,** *n.* I. Intricacy, involution, complication.

2. Perplexity, embarrassment, confusion, bewilderment.

**Entelechy,** *n.* [*Peripatetic philosophy.*] I. Actuality (*as distinguished from potential existence*), complete realization, ideal reality, perfection, attainment of end, utter fulfilment.

2. Self-completed being, thing complete in itself, realized ideal, perfected *or* perfect being, absolute actuality, ideal reality, monad.

**Enter,** *v. a.* I. Go into, come into, pierce, penetrate.

2. Record, register, enroll, inscribe, note, set down, chronicle, jot down, take down.

3. Insert, set in.

4. Begin, commence, commence upon.

5. Engage in, enlist in, embark in, join, become a member of.

6. (*Law.*) Take possession of, take up.

7. (*Law.*) Put before the court, put on the records of the court.

**Enter,** *v. n.* I. Come in, go in, pass in.

2. Embark, enlist, be initiated.

**Enter into.** I. Penetrate, pierce, perforate.

2. Form a part of, be a component *or* constituent in.

3. Share, participate in, be a partaker of.

4. Sympathize with.

**Enterprise,** *n.* I. Undertaking, adventure, venture, attempt, effort, essay, endeavor, cause.

2. Energy, activity, adventurousness, willingness to make ventures *or* essay difficulties.

**Enterprising,** *a.* I. Adventurous, venturesome, venturous, dashing, daring, audacious, bold.

2. Active, prompt, alert, stirring, adventurous, smart, energetic, efficient, spirited, zealous, strenuous, eager, on the alert, in earnest, willing to make ventures, prompt to undertake difficulties.

**Entertain,** *v. a.* I. Lodge, treat hospitably, show hospitality to, receive as a guest.

2. Hold, cherish, harbor.

3. Take into consideration, consider.

4. Divert, amuse, please.

**Entertainer,** *n.* Host.

**Entertainment,** *n.* I. Hospitable treatment.

2. Feast, banquet, treat, festival, collation.

3. Amusement, diversion, recreation, pastime.

**Enter upon.** Begin, commence, take the first steps in.

**Enthrall,** *v. a.* [Written also *Inthrall.*] I. Enslave, reduce to servitude, put under restraint, make a thrall *or* slave *or* bondsman of.

2. Enslave, overpower, overmaster, enchain, put in bondage (*morally*).

**Enthralment,** *n.* [Written also *Inthralment.*] Enslavement, servitude, slavery, bondage, vassalage, serfdom, thraldom, captivity.

**Enthrone,** *v. a.* I. Invest with sovereign power, seat upon the throne.

2. Exalt, elevate, raise to superiority.

**Enthusiasm,** *n.* I. Ecstasy (*from a belief of being inspired*), fanaticism, religious frenzy.

2. Ardor, zeal, warmth, earnestness, passion, devotion.

3. Heat of imagination, mental excitement.

**Enthusiast,** *n.* I. Fanatic, devotee, bigot, zealot, religious madman.

2. Zealot, visionary, dreamer, castle-builder.

**Enthusiastic,** / **Enthusiastical,** } *a.* I. Fanatical, bigoted.

2. Visionary, extravagant.

3. Ardent, earnest, vehement, zealous, fervent, fervid, burning, flaming, glowing, passionate, impassioned.

**Entice,** *v. a.* Allure (*to evil*), lure, attract, decoy, seduce, tempt, coax, inveigle, wheedle, cajole, persuade, lead astray.

**Enticement,** *n.* Allurement, lure, attraction, temptation, decoy, bait, seduction, inveiglement, inducement, persuasion.

**Entire,** *a.* I. Whole, complete, perfect, undivided, unbroken, undiminished, unimpaired.

2. Full, complete, plenary, thorough, unalloyed.

3. Mere, sheer, pure, unmixed, unmingled, unmitigated, unalloyed.

4. (*Bot.*) With even margins, not toothed, not notched.

**Entire,** *n.* Porter, stout.

**Entireness,** *n.* I. Wholeness, completeness, totality, integrity, entirety.

2. Fulness, completeness, thoroughness.

**Entirety,** *n.* I. Wholeness. See ENTIRENESS.

2. Whole, sum total, entire amount, undiminished quantity.

**Entitle,** *v. a.* I. Name, designate, denominate, style, call, dub, christen. See TITLE.

2. Give a claim to, give a right to, qualify for, fit for.

**Entity,** *n.* Being, existence, essence.

**Entomb,** *v. a.* Bury, inhume, inter.

**Entombment,** *n.* Burial, interment, inhumation, sepulture.

**Entrails,** *n. pl.* Intestines, bowels, viscera, inwards, guts.

**Entrance,** *n.* I. Ingress, access.

2. Entry, inlet, mouth, avenue, adit, passage, door, gate, portal.

3. Beginning, commencement, initiation, introduction.

**Entrance,** *v. a.* Charm, enchant, enrapture, delight, transport, ravish, throw into ecstasies, surpassingly delight.

**Entrap,** *v. a.* I. Ensnare, catch.

2. Inveigle, seduce, allure, entice.

3. Entangle, involve, perplex, embarrass, stagger, pose, nonplus, catch in difficulties, involve in contradictions.

**Entreat,** *v. a.* Beg, crave, beseech, implore, supplicate, solicit, pray, importune, petition, enjoin, appeal to, prefer a prayer to. See ADJURE.

**Entreaty,** *n.* Supplication, prayer, petition, suit, solicitation, appeal, importunity. See ADJURATION.

**Entrée,** *n.* [Fr.] I. Admittance, admission, free access.

2. Made dish, side dish, *entremet.*

**Entremets,** *n. pl.* [Fr.] Side dishes.

**Entre nous.** [Fr.] Confidentially, privately, in confidence, between ourselves, between you and me, under the rose, *sub rosa.*

**Entrepôt,** *n.* [Fr.] Magazine, warehouse, storehouse.

**Entry,** *n.* I. Ingress, entrance, access.

2. Passage (*into a house*), avenue, inlet, hall.

3. Record, note, minute, memorandum.

**Entwine,** *v. a.* [Written also *Intwine.*] I. Twine, twist together.

2. Encircle, surround, embrace, wind about, wind around.

**Enumerate,** *v. a.* Reckon, compute, count, number, tell, cite, recount, numerate, call over, relate in detail, mention one by one, specify.

**Enumeration,** *n.* I. Numbering, computation, citation, mention, detailed account, separate mention, specification.

2. (*Rhet.*) Recapitulation, summing-up.

**Enunciate,** *v. a.* I. Declare, speak, proclaim,

publish, express, relate, promulgate, state, propound, announce, enounce.
2. Utter, pronounce, articulate.
**Enunciate,** *v. n.* Articulate, speak, utter articulate sounds.
**Enunciation,** *n.* I. Declaration, utterance, expression, announcement.
2. Elocution, articulation, manner of utterance.
**Enunciative,** *a.* Declarative, expressive, declaratory, enunciatory.
**Enunciatory,** *a.* Declarative, enunciative, expressive, declaratory.
**Enure,** *v. n.* [Written also and usually *Inure.*] (*Law.*) Be applied, come into use, take effect.
**Envelop,** *v. a.* I. Enfold, inwrap, wrap, fold, wrap up, put a wrapper about.
2. Surround, encircle, encompass, enfold, fold, cover, hide.
**Envelop,** *n.* See ENVELOPE.
**Envelope,** *n.* [Fr.] I. Wrapper, covering, case, capsule.
2. (*Fort.*) Mound (*to cover a weak part*).
3. (*Astron.*) Coma.
**Envenom,** *v. a.* I. Poison, taint with venom.
2. Embitter, taint with malice, fill with hate, render malignant.
3. Enrage, exasperate, incense, provoke, irritate, madden, aggravate, inflame, make furious.
**Enviable,** *a.* Desirable, to be envied.
**Envious,** *a.* I. Jealous, disposed to envy.
2. Grudging.
**Enviousness,** *n.* See ENVY, *n.*
**Environ,** *v. a.* I. Surround, encompass, encircle, envelop, gird, begird, engird, belt, enclose.
2. Invest, besiege, beset, encompass.
**Environs,** *n. pl.* Neighborhood, vicinity, vicinage.
**Envoy,** *n.* Minister, ambassador, legate, plenipotentiary.
**Envy,** *v. a.* I. Hate (*for excellence* or *success*), view with jealousy, feel ill-will toward.
2. Grudge, begrudge.
3. Be discontented at, repine at (*another's prosperity*).
4. Long for, earnestly desire, desire eagerly and emulously, emulate.
**Envy,** *n.* I. Hate (*on account of excellence* or *success*), hatred, jealousy, spite, enviousness, ill-will.
2. Grudging, grudge.
3. Object of envy, person to be envied.
**Ephemeral,** *a.* Short-lived, transitory, transient, fleeting, flitting, evanescent, fugitive, fugacious, momentary, brief.
**Ephemeris,** *n.* [Gr. *pl. Ephemerides.*] I. Journal, diary.
2. (*Astron.*) Astronomical almanac *or* calendar.
**Epic,** *a.* Narrative, heroic.
**Epic,** *n.* Narrative, poem, epic poem, heroic poem.
**Epicedial,** } *a.* Elegiac, mournful, funereal
**Epicedian,** }
**Epicedium,** *n.* Elegy, dirge, lament, mournful song, funeral song.
**Epicure,** *n.* I. Gourmand, *gourmet*, refined glutton, dainty feeder, high liver, gustatory sensualist, voluptuary of the palate.
2. Voluptuary, sensualist, Sybarite, Epicurean, free liver, man of pleasure.
**Epicurean,** *n.* I. See EPICURE, 2.
2. Adherent of Epicurus, hedonist, eudæmonist.
**Epicureanism,** *n.* Doctrines of Epicurus, Epicurism, hedonism, eudæmonism.
**Epicurism,** *n.* I. Sensuality, luxury, luxurious living, free living, Sybaritism.
2. Doctrines of Epicurus, Epicureanism, hedonism, eudæmonism.
**Epidemic,** } *a.* General, prevailing, prevalent
**Epidemical,** } pandemic.
**Epidermis,** *n.* I. Cuticle, scarf-skin.
2. (*Bot.*) Exterior coating.
**Epigrammatic,** } *a.* Concise, laconic, terse,
**Epigrammatical,** } pointed, antithetic, poignant, piquant, sharp, pungent.
**Epilepsy,** *n.* Falling sickness.
**Epiphany,** *n.* I. Manifestation, appearance (*especially that of Christ by the star which guided the Magi to Bethlehem*).
2. (*Eccl.*) Festival of the Epiphany, 6th of January.
**Epiphyte,** *n.* Air-plant.
**Epiploon,** *n.* (*Anat.*) Omentum, caul.
**Episcopacy,** *n.* Episcopalianism, prelacy.
**Episcopal,** *a.* Episcopalian.
**Episcopalian,** *a.* Episcopal.
**Episcopalian,** *n.* Churchman, believer in episcopacy *or* prelacy.
**Episcopalianism,** *n.* Episcopacy.
**Episcopate,** *n.* I. Bishopric, office of a bishop, dignity of a bishop.
2. Body of bishops.
**Episode,** *n.* I. Digression, incidental narrative.
2. Incidental event.
**Epistle,** *n.* I. Letter, note, written communication.
2. Letter, missive, apostolical letter.
**Epistyle,** *n.* (*Arch.*) Architrave.
**Epitaph,** *n.* Inscription (*on a tomb* or *monument*), lapidary composition.
**Epithalamium,** *n.* Nuptial song, marriage poem.
**Epithet,** *n.* Name, appellation, designation, title, qualifying word *or* term, descriptive term, predicate.
**Epitome,** *n.* Abridgment, abstract, compend, compendium, conspectus, syllabus, brief, breviary, summary, synopsis, digest, sum and substance.
**Epitomist,** *n.* Abridger, epitomizer, summarizer, writer of an epitome.
**Epitomize,** *v. a.* Abridge, abstract, summarize, abbreviate, shorten, condense, reduce, contract, make an abstract of.
**Epitomizer,** *n.* See EPITOMIST.
**Epoch,** *n.* Period, date, era, age, point *or* period of time (*remarkable for some event*).
**Eponym,** *n.* I. Surname, cognomen.
2. Mythical name.
**Epopee,** } *n.* Epic poem, epic story, epos.
**Epopœia,** }
**Epos,** *n.* Epic poem *or* story, epopee.
**Epsom-salts,** *n. pl.* Sulphate of magnesia.
**Equability,** *n.* Evenness, uniformity, equableness, serenity, unruffled character, calmness.
**Equable,** *a.* Even, uniform, equal, steady, regular, even-tempered, always the same.
**Equableness,** *n.* Evenness, equability, serenity, unruffled character.
**Equal,** *a.* I. Like, alike, tantamount, equivalent; of the same extent, measure, degree, *or* value, identical in quantity *or* value.
2. Of the same rank.
3. Uniform, even, regular, equable.
4. Impartial, unbiassed, equitable, fair, just, even-handed.
5. Proportionate, commensurate.
6. Adequate, competent, fit, sufficient, of sufficient strength *or* ability.
**Equal,** *n.* Peer, compeer, fellow.
**Equal,** *v. a.* I. Equalize, make equal, make alike.
2. Rival, rise to the same level with.
3. Be adequate to, be sufficient for, be equal to, be commensurate with.
**Equality,** *n.* I. Likeness, identity in quantity, identical value.

2. Uniformity, evenness.
3. Sameness of rank, co-equality.

**Equalize,** *v. a.* Equal, make equal, make alike.

**Equanimity,** *n.* Evenness of mind *or* temper, steadiness of disposition, calmness, serenity, self-possession, peace, unruffled temper, undisturbed feeling.

**Equate,** *v. a.* 1. Make equal, set equal to (each other).
2. Average, reduce to an average.

**Equator,** *n.* 1. Equinoctial, equinoctial line, celestial equator.
2. Terrestrial equator, the Line.

**Equestrian,** *n.* 1. Horseman, rider.
2. Knight, cavalier, chevalier, horse-soldier, *chasseur*.

**Equestrianism,** *n.* Horsemanship.

**Equilibrate,** *v. a.* Keep in balance, maintain in equipoise.

**Equilibrist,** *n.* Rope-walker, balancer. See ACROBAT.

**Equilibrium,** *n.* Equipoise, even balance, equality of weight, equality of pressure, neutralization of forces.

**Equinoctial,** *n.* Celestial equator, equinoctial line.

**Equinoctial,** *a.* 1. Of the equinoctial.
2. At the time of the equinoxes.

**Equinox,** *n.* Equinoctial point, intersection of the equator and the ecliptic.

**Equip,** *v. a.* 1. Furnish, provide, arm, fit out, supply with outfits *or* apparatus.
2. Dress, accoutre, array, dress out.

**Equipage,** *n.* 1. Apparatus, equipment, furniture, baggage, effects, bag and baggage.
2. Carriage, vehicle, turnout.
3. Train, retinue, attendance, procession, suite.

**Equipment,** *n.* Accoutrement, furniture, apparatus, rigging, gear, outfit.

**Equipoise,** *n.* Equilibrium, even balance, equality of weight.

**Equipollent,** *a.* (*Rare.*) Equivalent, of equal force, of the same meaning.

**Equitable,** *a.* 1. Upright, just, impartial, unbiassed, unprejudiced, evenhanded.
2. Reasonable, fair, impartial, just, right, proper.

**Equity,** *n.* 1. Justice, right.
2. Justice, rectitude, uprightness, righteousness, impartiality, fairness, reasonableness, fair play.
3. (*Law.*) Theoretical *or* ideal justice, justice (*as distinguished from conformity to mere enactments* or *statutes*), spirit of law (*as against its mere letter*).
4. (*Law.*) Equitable claim.

**Equivalence,** } *n.* Essential *or* substantial equal-
**Equivalency,** } ity, parity, parity of value, equality in result, amounting to the same thing.

**Equivalent,** *a.* 1. Equal, commensurate, tantamount, equipollent.
2. Synonymous, interchangeable, equipollent, of the same meaning *or* import.

**Equivocal,** *a.* 1. Ambiguous, of doubtful meaning, to be taken in a double sense.
2. Uncertain, doubtful, dubious, indeterminate.

**Equivocate,** *v. n.* Quibble, shuffle, dodge, fence, palter, evade the truth, use equivocal expressions (*for the sake of deception*). See PREVARICATE.

**Equivocation,** *n.* 1. Quibbling, prevarication, evasion, shuffling, paltering, ambiguity of speech.
2. Quibble, equivoque, double meaning.

**Equivoque,** } *n.* Ambiguous expression, quib-
**Equivoke,** } ble, equivocation, equivocal expression, double meaning, *double-entendre* (*in good sense*).

**Era,** *n.* 1. Series *or* succession of years (*marked by any administration* or *dispensation*).
2. Epoch, period, date, age, period of time.
3. Point of time (*from which dates are reckoned*), origin of dates, chronological starting-point.

**Eradicate,** *v. a.* 1. Extirpate, uproot, root out, pull up by the roots.
2. Destroy, exterminate, annihilate.

**Eradication,** *n.* 1. Extirpation, uprooting, rooting out.
2. Extermination, destruction, annihilation, excision.

**Erase,** *v. a.* Efface, obliterate, expunge, cancel, blot, scratch out, scrape out, rub out, blot out, rase (*obsolescent*).

**Erasure,** *n.* Obliteration, effacing, expunging, cancellation, cancelling, scratching out, rasure (*obsolescent*).

**Ere,** *ad.* (*Poetical.*) Before, sooner than.

**Ere,** *prep.* (*Poetical.*) Before, prior to.

**Erebus,** *n.* [L.] (*Myth.*) Hell, Tartarus, Hades, Avernus, the under-world, the world of the dead, the grave, the abyss, the lower world, the infernal regions, shades below, region of darkness, Pluto's realms, the Plutonian shore.

**Erect,** *v. a.* 1. Set up, place upright, set upright.
2. Raise, build, construct.
3. Exalt, elevate, magnify.
4. Institute, found, form, plant, establish.
5. (*Poetical.*) Cheer, animate, inspirit, enliven, encourage.

**Erect,** *a.* 1. Upright, standing.
2. Elevated, turned upward.
3. Bold, undaunted, undismayed, unterrified, firm, unshaken.

**Erection,** *n.* 1. Erecting, setting upright.
2. Raising, building, constructing.
3. Building, structure, edifice.

**Erelong,** *ad.* Soon, before long.

**Eremite,** *n.* (*Poetical.*) Hermit, anchoret, anchorite, solitary, *solitaire*, recluse.

**Ergo,** *ad.* [L.] Therefore, consequently.

**Ergot,** *n.* Spurred rye.

**Erin,** *n.* Ireland.

**Eristic,** } *a.* (*Not used of persons.*) 1. Con-
**Eristical,** } troversial, polemic(al), controversive, disputative.
2. Entangling, catching, entrapping, posing, perplexing, embarrassing.
3. Cavilling, captious, disputatious.

**Ermine,** *n.* 1. Stoat (*Mustela erminea*).
2. Fur of the stoat.
3. Office *or* dignity of a judge.
4. (*Her.*) Argent, spots sable (*white ground spotted with black*).

**Ermines,** *n.* (*Her.*) Sable, spots argent (*ermine reversed*).

**Erode,** *v. a.* Consume, destroy, canker, corrode, eat away.

**Erosion,** *n.* Corrosion, eating away.

**Erosive,** *a.* Corrosive, corroding, caustic, acrid, virulent, eating, catheretic.

**Erotic,** } *a.* Amatory, amorous, Anacreontic.
**Erotical,** }

**Erotic,** *n.* Amatory poem, Anacreontic, Anacreontique.

**Err,** *v. n.* 1. Deviate (*from the right way*), wander, ramble, rove.
2. Mistake, blunder, misjudge, make a mistake, be at fault, labor under a mistake.
3. Sin, lapse, fall, trip, trespass, offend, go astray, do amiss, commit a fault.

**Errand,** *n.* Message, mandate, mission, commission.

**Errant,** *a.* Wandering, roving, rambling.

**Errata,** *n. pl.* [L.] Errors (*in printing*), mistakes, misprints.

**Erratic,** *a.* I. Wandering, roving, rambling, nomadic.
2. Moving, planetary.
3. Irregular, eccentric, abnormal.
**Erratum,** *n.* [L.] I. Corrigendum, correction.
2. Misprint, error, mistake.
**Errhine,** *n.* Sternutatory.
**Erring,** *a.* Sinful, fallible, peccable, liable to err.
**Erroneous,** *a.* False, incorrect, inexact, inaccurate, wrong, untrue, mistaken.
**Error,** *n.* I. Mistake, blunder, misapprehension, oversight, inaccuracy.
2. Sin, fault, offence, trespass, transgression, delinquency, iniquity, misdoing, misdeed, shortcoming, wrong-doing.
**Errors,** *n. pl.* (*In printing.*) Errata, corrigenda, misprints.
**Erse,** *n.* Gaelic language, Gaelic.
**Erubescent,** *a.* Reddish, blushing, rubicund.
**Eruct,** *v. a.* and *v n.* See ERUCTATE.
**Eructate,** *v. a.* Belch, belch forth, eject (*as wind from the stomach*).
**Eructate,** *v. n.* (*Rare.*) Belch, eject wind from the stomach.
**Eructation,** *n.* Belching.
**Erudite,** *a.* Learned, lettered, well-read, deeply read.
**Erudition,** *n.* Knowledge (*gained by reading and study*), learning, lore, scholarship, literary learning, historical and archæological lore.
**Erupt,** *v. n.* Burst forth, give vent to eruptions, be in eruption.
**Erupt,** *v. a.* Hurl forth, eject, cast forth violently.
**Eruption,** *n.* I. Explosion, outburst, outbreak.
2. Sally, sudden excursion.
3. (*Med.*) Rash, exanthem, exanthema.
**Eruptive,** *a.* I. Erupting, bursting forth.
2. Produced by eruption, resulting from eruption.
3. (*Med.*) Exanthematous, efflorescent, attended with eruptions.
**Erysipelas,** *n.* Saint Anthony's fire, rose.
**Escalade,** *v. a.* Scale.
**Escalade,** *n.* Assault with ladders.
**Escapade,** *n.* I. Vagary, prank, frolic, freak, mad prank.
2. Impropriety, indiscretion, act of folly.
**Escape,** *v. a.* I. Avoid, shun, evade, elude, flee from, get out of the way of.
2. Pass unobserved.
**Escape,** *v. n.* I. Get away, make *or* effect one's escape, get free, get into safety, get away safely, get off *or* through without harm.
2. Flee, fly, abscond, decamp, make off, steal away, hasten away, slink away, run away, break loose, break away, gain one's freedom, whip off, take one's self off, beat a retreat, take to one's heels, cut and run, take French leave, be among the missing.
3. Slip, pass, go by, slip through the fingers, be passed over, be omitted.
4. Pass out, off, *or* away, be emitted.
**Escape,** *n.* I. Flight.
2. Release (*from threatened danger*).
3. Passing, passage, running *or* passing out *or* off.
**Escarp,** *n.* Scarp.
**Eschar,** *n.* (*Med.*) Crust (*made by caustics*), scab, slough.
**Escharotic,** *a.* Caustic, searing, cauterizing, catheretic.
**Escharotic,** *n.* (*Med.*) Caustic, caustic application.
**Escheat,** *v. n.* (*Law.*) Be forfeited back, revert.
**Eschew,** *v. a.* Avoid, shun, flee from, keep away from, keep clear of, steer clear of, keep out of the way of, be shy of, have nothing to do with.
**Escort,** *n.* I. Convoy, guard, conduct.
2. Protection, safeguard, safe-conduct.
3. Attendance, company.
**Escort,** *v. a.* I. Convoy (*by land*), guard, protect.
2. Attend (*as a guard of honor*), conduct.
3. Attend (*in courtesy*), accompany, wait upon.
**Escritoire,** *n.* [Fr.] Writing-desk, secretary.
**Esculent,** *a.* Eatable, edible.
**Esculent,** *n.* Edible substance, eatable, edible, article of food.
**Escutcheon,** *n.* Shield, scutcheon, ensign armorial.
**Esophagus,** *n.* [Written also and usually *Œsophagus.*] Gullet.
**Esoteric,** *a.* Private, secret, acroamatic, acroatic, inner, inmost, known to the initiated.
**Especial,** *a.* Particular, special, distinguished, peculiar, unusual, marked.
**Espial,** *n.* Notice, observation, discovery.
**Espousal,** *n.* I. Espousing, betrothing, affiancing, plighting.
2. Adoption, defence, support, maintenance.
**Espousals,** *n. pl.* Betrothment, betrothal, betrothing, plighting, affiancing, pledging in marriage.
**Espouse,** *v. a.* I. Betroth, promise in marriage, plight.
2. [*Said of a father* or *sponsor.*] Give in marriage, marry, wed, give as spouse.
3. [*Said of a bridegroom.*] Marry, wed.
4. Adopt, defend, embrace, maintain, support, take up.
**Esprit de corps.** [Fr.] Class feeling, mutual interest in one another (*as between members of the same society* or *of the same profession*), sense of union.
**Espy,** *v. a.* Discern, descry, perceive, spy, discover, catch a glimpse of, catch sight of.
**Espy,** *v. n.* Watch, observe, spy, look narrowly, look about, take notice.
**Esquire,** *n.* Squire.
**Essay,** *v. a.* Attempt, try, endeavor.
**Essay,** *n.* I. Attempt, trial, endeavor, effort, struggle, aim.
2. Dissertation, disquisition, brief discourse, article, paper.
**Essayist,** *n.* Essay-writer.
**Essay-writer,** *n.* Essayist.
**Essence,** *n.* I. Nature, substance, quintessence, essential part, central nature, inmost nature *or* substance, vital element *or* part.
2. Extract, volatile part, rectified portion.
3. Odor, perfume, scent.
4. Being, existence, entity, nature.
**Essence,** *v. a.* Perfume, scent.
**Essential,** *a.* I. Vital, necessary, requisite, indispensable, highly important.
2. Volatile, diffusible, pure, highly rectified.
3. (*Med.*) Idiopathic.
**Essential,** *n.* [*Usually in pl.*] I. Indispensable element, vital part, absolute requisite.
2. Rudiment, first principle, first step, outline.
**Establish,** *v. a.* I. Fix, settle, make stable *or* steadfast.
2. Enact, decree, ordain.
3. Institute, originate, plant, found, constitute, organize, form.
4. Place, secure, plant, set up.
5. Confirm, ratify, sanction, approve.
6. Prove, substantiate, verify, make good.
7. Fulfil, carry out, make good.
8. Unite with the State, make authoritative, publicly endow.
**Establishment,** *n.* I. Establishing. See the verb, in all its senses.
2. Institution, organization for work (*of any kind*) *or* business.
3. Domestic arrangements, household *ménage.*

4. Allowance, stipend, income, subsistence, salary.

**Estate,** *n.* I. State, condition.

2. Rank, position (*in life* or *society*), social standing.

3. Property, effects, possessions, fortune.

4. Class (*of those who constitute the State* or *the government of a State*), order, division.

5. (*Law.*) Interest (*in any species of permanent property*).

**Esteem,** *v. a.* I. Estimate, appreciate, value, rate, reckon, set a value on.

2. Admire, like, prize, value, appreciate (highly), honor, revere, respect, think well of, think highly of, set a high value on.

3. Regard, consider, deem, think, account, believe, hold, suppose, imagine, fancy, look upon as.

**Esteem,** *n.* I. Estimation, estimate, appreciation, valuation, reckoning, account, opinion, judgment.

2. Respect, reverence, honor, credit, high regard, favorable opinion.

**Esthetics,** *n.* [Written also and usually *Æsthetics.*] Philosophy of the fine arts, theory *or* philosophy of taste, science of the beautiful.

**Estimable,** *a.* I. Appreciable, calculable, computable, capable of being estimated.

2. Worthy, good, excellent, meritorious, deserving, worthy of regard, deserving of respect *or* esteem.

**Estimate,** *v. a.* I. Value, appraise, rate, prize, esteem, appreciate, set a value on, set a price on.

2. Compute, reckon, count, calculate.

**Estimate,** *n.* I. Valuation, estimation.

2. Calculation, computation.

**Estimation,** *n.* I. Valuation, appraisement, appreciation, estimate.

2. Judgment, opinion, estimate, esteem.

3. Respect, honor, regard, esteem, reverence, favorable opinion.

**Estop,** *v. a.* (*Law.*) Bar, stop, impede, preclude, stop the progress of.

**Estoppel,** *n.* Bar, impediment.

**Estrange,** *v. a.* I. Withdraw, withhold, keep away.

2. Divert, alienate, apply to a foreign purpose.

3. Disaffect, alienate, make unfriendly, make disaffected, destroy one's affections, turn away.

**Estrangement,** *n.* I. Withdrawal.

2. Disaffection, alienation.

**Estuary,** *n.* Frith, firth, fiord, inlet, creek, arm of the sea.

**Étagère,** *n.* [Fr.] What-not, shelved cabinet.

**Etat-major,** *n.* [Fr.] Staff, commissioned officers, staff-officers.

**Et cætera.** [L.] And others, and the rest, and so forth, and so on.

**Etch,** *n.* I. Reaped ground, cropped land, harvested land.

2. Eddish. See AFTERMATH.

**Etch,** *v. a.* I. Engrave (*by corrosion of an acid*).

2. Delineate for etching, draw with the etching-needle.

**Etch,** *v. n.* I. Practise etching.

2. Draw with the etching-needle, use the etching-needle.

**Eternal,** *a.* I. Self-existent, self-originated, absolute, necessary, self-executing, self-operative, inevitable, self-active, without beginning *or* end, superior to time *or* cause.

2. Endless, everlasting, never-ending, unending, interminable, ever-during, perpetual, ceaseless, unceasing, perennial, abiding, abiding forever.

3. Imperishable, undying, indestructible, incorruptible, deathless, never-dying, immortal.

4. Immutable, unchangeable.

5. Incessant, unbroken, uninterrupted, ceaseless, perpetual, persistent, continual, continuous.

**Eternalize,** *v. a.* See ETERNIZE.

**Eternally,** *ad.* I. In eternal wise. See the adjective under 1, 3, 4, 5.

2. Endlessly, interminably, perpetually, ceaselessly, continually, everlastingly, always, ever, aye, evermore, for everlasting, forever, for aye, forever and ever, world without end, time without end, to the end of time, till doomsday.

**Eternity,** *n.* I. Eternal quality. See ETERNAL, in its various senses.

2. The eternal world, supramundane being, the supersensible order.

3. Endless duration, infinite duration.

**Eternize,** *v. a.* I. Make eternal (*in the several senses*), confer eternity upon, carry to eternity.

2. Perpetuate, make perpetual.

3. Immortalize, make forever famous, make immortal.

**Ethereal,** *a.* I. Airy, aerial, empyreal.

2. Light, volatile, subtile, tenuous, attenuated, sublimated.

3. Subtilized, subtile, light, airy, aerial, refined, delicate, spirit-like, fairy.

4. Celestial, heavenly.

**Ethereality,** *n.* See ETHEREALNESS.

**Etherealize,** *v. a.* Subtilize, make ethereal.

**Etherealness,** *n.* Airiness, rarity, subtilty, subtileness, delicacy, tenuity, attenuation, fairy-like delicacy, ethereality.

**Ethical,** *a.* Moral.

**Ethics,** *n.* Morals, moral philosophy, science of duty, ethical science, deontology, ethology.

**Ethiops-mineral,** *n.* Black sulphuret of mercury.

**Ethnic,** } **Ethnical,** } *a.* I. Heathen (*as distinguished from Jewish and Christian*), pagan, gentile.

2. Ethnological.

**Ethnography,** *n.* Description of races (*especially as regards manners and customs* or *external peculiarities*).

**Ethnologic,** } **Ethnological,** } *a.* Ethnic, ethnical.

**Ethnology,** *n.* Science of races (*treating of the mental as well as of the physical differences of the races of mankind*).

**Ethology,** *n.* I. Science of ethics, ethics, morals, moral philosophy, science of duty, deontology.

2. Science of character, science of the formation of character.

**Etiolate,** *v. a.* Bleach, blanch, whiten, make *or* render white.

**Etiolate,** *v. n.* Become white, be whitened, be blanched, be bleached.

**Etiolated,** *a.* Whitened (*by exclusion from light*), blanched, bleached.

**Etiquette,** *n.* Prescribed form (*of behavior, as that set down on a card* or *ticket on the occasion of ceremonies at court*), fashionable ceremony, ceremonial code, forms of good-breeding, conventional decorum.

**Etymology,** *n.* I. Science of etymons, science of primitive (linguistic) roots.

2. Derivation.

3. (*Gram.*) Inflection (*of the parts of speech*), accidence.

**Etymon,** *n.* Root, radical, radix, primitive word.

**Eucharist,** *n.* Communion, sacrament, Lord's Supper, Christian sacrament.

**Eudæmonism,** } **Eudemonism,** } *n.* Hedonism, utilitarianism, hedonistic *or* utilitarian philosophy, Epicureanism, Benthamism.

**Eulogist,** *n.* Encomiast, panegyrist, lauder, praiser, extoller.

**Eulogistic,** } **Eulogistical,** } *a.* Encomiastic, panegyrical, commendatory, laudatory.

**Eulogium,** *n.* Praise. See EULOGY.
**Eulogize,** *v. a.* Extol, laud, applaud. See PRAISE, *v.*
**Eulogy,** *n.* I. Eulogistic speech *or* discourse, eulogium, panegyric, *éloge*.
2. Praise, laudation, encomium, panegyric, applause, commendation.
**Eupepsia,** } *n.* Good digestion.
**Eupepsy,** }
**Euphemism,** *n.* I. Softened expression (*to avoid offending by harshness*, or *by indelicacy*).
2. Over-delicacy of speech, affected refinement of language, euphuism.
**Euphonic,** } *a.* See EUPHONIOUS.
**Euphonical,** }
**Euphonious,** *a.* Euphonic, mellifluous, clear, silvery, musical, sweet-toned, sweetly flowing, free from harshness, mellow, melodious, harmonious.
**Euphony,** *n.* Agreeable sound (*in language*), smoothness, ease of utterance.
**Euphrasy,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Eye-bright, euphrasia (*Euphrasia officinalis*).
**Euphuism,** *n.* I. Purism, finical style, fastidious delicacy (*in the use of language*), affected elegance.
2. High-flown diction, pompous style, extravagantly ornate diction.
**Euthanasia,** } *n.* I. Easy death, peaceful death,
**Euthanasy,** } ease in death *or* in dying.
2. Painless execution.
3. Means of painless death.
**Eutrophy,** *n.* Healthy nutrition.
**Euxine,** *n.* Black Sea, Pontic Sea, the Pontic, the Pontus.
**Evacuant,** *a.* (*Med.*) Purgative, cathartic, abstergent, cleansing.
**Evacuant,** *n.* Cathartic, purgative, purgative medicine.
**Evacuate,** *v. a.* I. Empty, make empty.
2. Eject, expel, excrete, void, discharge, throw out, clear out, clean out.
3. Quit (*as a house* or *a country*), leave, relinquish, forsake, desert, abandon, withdraw from.
**Evacuation,** *n.* I. Emptying.
2. Discharge, ejection, excretion.
3. Quitting, withdrawal, retirement, retreat.
**Evade,** *v. a.* I. Elude, escape, escape from, steal away from, get away from (*by artifice*).
2. Avoid, shun, decline.
3. Surpass (*one's powers*), baffle, foil, elude.
**Evade,** *v. n.* Equivocate, shuffle, fence, quibble, dodge, prevaricate, palter.
**Evanesce,** *v. n.* Vanish, disappear, be dissipated, be seen no more.
**Evanescence,** *n.* I. Evanishing, vanishing, evanishment, disappearance, being dissipated, gradual disappearance.
2. Transitoriness, transientness, speedy passage, short continuance, fleeting nature.
**Evanescent,** *a.* Vanishing, fleeting, transitory, transient, passing, flitting, fugitive, flying, ephemeral, short-lived.
**Evangel,** *n.* (*Poetical.*) I. Gospel, glad tidings.
2. The gospel, Christian revelation, plan of salvation.
3. [*pl.*] The Gospels, New Testament.
**Evangelic,** } *a.* I. According to the gospel,
**Evangelical,** } consonant with the Gospels, founded on the New Testament.
2. Contained in the Gospels *or* the New Testament.
3. Earnest for the teachings of the Gospels, sound in the gospel, adhering to the letter of the gospel.
4. Devout, fervent, deeply pious, edifying.
5. German Protestant, national Protestant (*in Germany*).
6. Pietist, Protestant who emphasizes sin, atonement, and regeneration.
**Evangelist,** *n.* I. Writer of one of the Gospels.
2. Missionary.
**Evangelize,** *v. a.* Preach the gospel to, instruct in the gospel.
**Evaporate,** *v. n.* I. Fly off in vapor, turn to vapor.
2. Disappear, be dissipated, vanish, evanesce.
**Evaporate,** *v. a.* I. Vaporize, convert into vapor, disperse in vapor.
2. Exhale, emit in vapor.
**Evaporating dish.** Capsule.
**Evaporation,** *n.* I. Vaporization.
2. Exhalation.
**Evasion,** *n.* I. Evading. See EVADE.
2. Shuffling (*in the abstract*), prevarication, equivocation, quibbling, subterfuge, disingenuousness, sophistry, tergiversation.
3. Shift, subterfuge, equivocation, prevarication, quibble, tergiversation, shuffling, sophistical excuse, disingenuous escape.
**Evasive,** *a.* Equivocating, shuffling, sophistical, elusive, elusory, shifty.
**Eve,** *n.* I. Edge, brink, border.
2. Day *or* night before *or* preceding.
**Eve,** } *n.* (*Poetical*) See EVENING.
**Even,** }
**Even,** *a.* I. Smooth, level, plane, flat.
2. Uniform, equable, equal, calm, steady, unruffled.
3. On a level, on the same level.
4. Fair, just, equitable.
5. Divisible by two
**Even,** *ad.* I. Exactly, verily, just.
2. At the very time.
3. Likewise, in like manner, not only so, but also.
4. Strange to say.
5. So much as.
**Even-handed,** *a.* Impartial, fair, equitable, just.
**Evening,** *n.* Eve, even, eventide, nightfall, dusk, twilight, close of the day, fall of day, decline of day, going down of the sun.
**Evening star.** Vesper, Hesper, Hesperus, Venus.
**Event,** *n.* I. Occurrence, incident, fact, circumstance.
2. Adventure, affair, marked occurrence.
3. Result, issue, consequence, end, conclusion, termination.
**Eventful,** *a.* Full of incidents, stirring, memorable, signal, momentous, important, critical, remarkable.
**Eventual,** *a.* I. Final, ultimate.
2. Contingent, conditional, possible.
**Eventuate,** *v. n.* I. Issue, terminate, close, end, result.
2. Result, come about, come to pass, happen, occur, take place, fall out.
**Ever,** *ad.* I. At any time.
2. Always, evermore, perpetually, continually, eternally, aye, for aye, forever, at all times, to the end of time, through all ages, till doomsday.
**Ever and anon.** Often, every now and then, at short intervals.
**Ever-during,** *a.* Enduring forever. See EVERLASTING.
**Everlasting,** *a.* I. Endless, unending, ever-during, perpetual, incessant, ceaseless, continual, uninterrupted, interminable, unceasing, never-ceasing, never-ending, eternal.
2. Imperishable, undying, never-dying, ever-living, deathless, immortal.
3. (*Colloq.*) Continual, ceaseless, unintermit-

ting, perpetual, constant, never remitted, uninterrupted.

**Everlasting,** *n.* I. Eternity.
2. Cudweed, goldylocks, immortelle.

**Ever-living,** *a.* Eternal, immortal, undying, deathless, never-dying, everlasting.

**Evermore,** *ad.* I. Always, forever, ever, perpetually, continually, aye, for aye, at all times, to the end of time, through all ages, eternally, world without end.
2. At all times, continually, always.

**Every,** *a.* Each (*of several*).

**Every-day,** *a.* Common, customary, usual, wonted, accustomed, habitual, commonplace.

**Every now and then.** Often, at short intervals, ever and anon, from time to time.

**Everywhere,** *ad.* In every place, in all places, right and left, far and near, far and wide, throughout the world, all the world over, in every quarter, in all quarters, in all lands; here, there, and everywhere; from pole to pole, from China to Peru.

**Evict,** *v. a.* (*Law.*) Dispossess.

**Eviction,** *n.* (*Law.*) Dispossession, deprivation.

**Evidence,** *n.* Testimony, proof, ground of belief.

**Evidence,** *v. a.* Prove, show, manifest, evince, make manifest, make clear.

**Evident,** *a.* Plain, clear, manifest, apparent, obvious, palpable, patent, unmistakable.

**Evidential,** *a.* Indicative, evidentiary, evincive, demonstrative.

**Evidentiary,** *a.* See EVIDENTIAL.

**Evil,** *a.* I. Bad, ill.
2. Wicked, sinful, vicious, corrupt, perverse, wrong, base, vile, nefarious, malicious, malign, bad.
3. Mischievous, hurtful, harmful, injurious, pernicious, destructive, baneful, noxious, deleterious, bad.
4. Unhappy, unfortunate, adverse, unpropitious, disastrous, calamitous, woful, bad.

**Evil,** *n.* I. Calamity, ill, woe, misery, pain, suffering, sorrow, misfortune, disaster, reverse.
2. Wickedness, sin, depravity, malignity, wicked disposition, corruption, wrong, viciousness, baseness, badness.
3. Wrong, injury, mischief, harm.

**Evil-doer,** *n.* Sinner, criminal, malefactor, culprit, offender, delinquent, wrong-doer.

**Evil one.** Devil, Satan, Lucifer, Belial, Apollyon, Arch-fiend, the Tempter, the Man of Sin, the Wicked One, the Old Serpent, the Prince of Darkness, the Foul Fiend, the Enemy. See APOLLYON.

**Evince,** *v. a.* I. Prove, show, evidence, manifest, establish, make evident, make clear.
2. Exhibit, indicate, manifest, show, display, bring to view.

**Evincive,** *a.* Demonstrative, indicative, evidential, evidentiary.

**Eviscerate,** *v. a.* Disembowel, embowel, paunch, gut, take out the bowels of.

**Evoke,** *v. a.* I. Summon, call forth, call up, summon forth.
2. Excite, arouse, elicit, call out, rouse, provoke.

**Evolution,** *n.* I. Evolving, unfolding, expansion, evolvement, development.
2. Descent by continuous differentiation, development, doctrine of development, ascent from simplicity to complexity.
3. (*Mil.*) Movement, marching.
4. (*Math.*) Extraction of roots.
5. (*Geom.*) Unfolding, unrolling (*of a curve*).

**Evolve,** *v. a.* Unroll, unfold, expand, open, develop.

**Evolvement,** *n.* See EVOLUTION, I.

**Exacerbate,** *v. a.* I. Irritate, exasperate, provoke, embitter, inflame, excite, infuriate, enrage.
2. Aggravate, heighten, increase.

**Exacerbation,** *n.* I. Exasperation, provocation, irritation.
2. Aggravation, increase, heightening.

**Exact,** *a.* I. Strict, rigid, rigorous, severe, scrupulous.
2. Precise, without the least error.
3. Accurate, correct, close, literal, faithful.
4. Accurate, critical, nice.
5. Methodical, regular, precise, careful, punctilious, punctual, orderly.

**Exact,** *v. a.* I. Extort, require authoritatively.
2. Claim, demand.

**Exaction,** *n.* I. Extortion.
2. Contribution (*demanded*), tribute.

**Exactitude,** *n.* See EXACTNESS.

**Exactness,** *n.* I. Accuracy, correctness, faultlessness, precision, nicety, faithfulness, fidelity, rigor, exactitude.
2. Strictness, regularity, method, scrupulosity, rigidness, precision, scrupulousness, carefulness.

**Exaggerate,** *v. a.* Overstate, overcharge, strain, stretch, overstrain, overcolor, depict extravagantly, color too highly.

**Exaggeration,** *n.* Hyperbole, overstatement, stretching, extravagant statement, high coloring.

**Exalt,** *v. a.* I. Raise, elevate, erect, lift up, raise high *or* on high *or* aloft, make lofty.
2. Ennoble, dignify, aggrandize, elevate.
3. Praise (*highly*), extol, magnify, glorify, bless.

**Exaltation,** *n.* Elevation, dignity, loftiness, nobility, dignity, grandeur.

**Examination,** *n.* I. Inspection, observation.
2. Inquiry, search, research, scrutiny, investigation, inquisition.
3. Trial by questions (*in order to elicit truth* or *to test qualifications*), test.

**Examine,** *v. a.* I. Inspect, observe.
2. Scrutinize, investigate, study, consider, canvass, test, inquire into, search into, look into, inquire about.
3. Interrogate (*in order to elicit truth* or *to test qualifications*), catechise, put questions to.

**Examiner,** *n.* I. Inspector.
2. Inquirer, investigator.
3. Conductor of examinations, questioner, catechiser.

**Example,** *n.* I. Pattern, copy, model, archetype, prototype.
2. Precedent.
3. Instance, illustration, exemplification, case in point.

**Exanimate,** *a.* I. Lifeless, dead, defunct, inanimate.
2. Inanimate, torpid, inert, sluggish, spiritless.

**Exanthem,** *n.* (*Med.*) Rash, eruption, efflorescence, breaking out, exanthema.

**Exanthema,** *n.* [Gr. *pl. Exanthemata.*] See EXANTHEM.

**Exasperate,** *v. a.* I. Irritate, provoke, chafe, vex, nettle, incense, anger, affront, offend, enrage, make angry, aggravate.
2. Exacerbate, aggravate, inflame, render more violent.

**Exasperation,** *n.* I. Irritation, provocation, exacerbation.
2. Wrath, anger, rage, ire, fury, violent passion.
3. Aggravation, exacerbation, increase, heightening, worsening.

**Ex cathedra,** *a.* [L.] I. Authoritative, formal, official, from the bench, from high authority.
2. Dogmatic, magisterial, dictatorial.

**Ex cathedra,** *ad.* [L.] I. Authoritatively, formally, officially, from the bench.
2. Dogmatically, magisterially, dictatorially.
**Excavate,** *v. a.* Hollow, hollow out, scoop out, dig out, cut out.
**Excavation,** *n.* I. Excavating. See the verb.
2. Cutting, cavity, hollow, cut.
**Exceed,** *v. a.* I. Transcend, surpass, cap, go beyond.
2. Excel, outdo, outstrip, outvie, surpass, be superior to.
**Exceed,** *v. n.* I. Go too far, overstep the proper limit.
2. Be the greater, bear the greater proportion, predominate, preponderate.
**Exceedingly,** *ad.* Very, highly, greatly, extremely, vastly, beyond measure, to a great *or* unusual degree.
**Excel,** *v. a.* I. Surpass, outdo, outvie, outrival, outstrip, beat, be superior to, cast in the shade, throw into the shade, eclipse.
2. Exceed, transcend, cap, go beyond, surpass.
**Excel,** *v. n.* Win eminence, gain *or* have excellence, surpass others, attain superiority, win *or* acquire distinction, be superior, be eminent, bear the palm, bear the bell, take precedence.
**Excellence,** *n.* I. Superiority, eminence, distinction, pre-eminence, transcendence.
2. Good quality, superior quality, superior goodness, superiority.
3. Valuable point *or* property *or* characteristic, advantage, good point, good quality, valuable feature *or* trait.
4. Worth, goodness, uprightness, probity, purity.
**Excellent,** *a.* I. Superior, eminent, first-rate, prime, admirable, choice, crack, of the best, of the first water, of the first grade, of the best quality, of the highest order. extremely good.
2. Virtuous, worthy, estimable, admirable, thoroughly good, highly deserving, worthy of great praise.
**Except,** *v. a.* Exclude, reject, omit, leave out, do not include.
**Except,** *v. n.* Object, make objection, take exception.
**Except,** *prep.* Excepting, excluding, save, leaving out, with the exception of.
**Except,** *conj.* Unless, unless it be that, if it be not that.
**Exception,** *n.* I. Exclusion, omission, leaving out, non-inclusion.
2. Objection.
3. Irritated objection, affront, offence.
4. Instance to be excepted, unusual case, anomalous case, anomaly, deviation from the rule.
**Exceptionable,** *a.* Objectionable, open to objection.
**Exceptional,** *a.* Irregular, unusual, rare, uncommon, unnatural, peculiar, anomalous, abnormal, aberrant, exceptive.
**Exceptive,** *a.* See EXCEPTIONAL.
**Excerpt,** *n.* Extract, quotation, citation, selected passage.
**Excerpt,** *v. a.* Extract, select, cite, quote, take.
**Excess,** *n.* I. Superfluity, redundance, redundancy, superabundance, disproportion, undue amount.
2. Surplus, overplus, remainder.
3. Intemperance, immoderation, over-indulgence, dissoluteness, dissolute behavior *or* living, dissipation, debauchery.
4. Extravagance, immoderation, overdoing.
**Excesses,** *n. pl.* I. Debauchery, orgies, revels, saturnalia.
2. Rages, furies, cruelties, brutalities, enormities.
**Excessive,** *a.* I. Superabundant, disproportionate, undue, too great, superfluous, exuberant.
2. Extravagant, inordinate, enormous, outrageous, unreasonable, very great.
3. Immoderate, intemperate, extreme.
4. Vehement, violent.
**Exchange,** *v. a.* I. Barter, commute, trade (*off* or *away*), swap, truck, change.
2. Interchange, bandy, give and take reciprocally.
**Exchange,** *n.* I. Barter, traffic, trade, commutation.
2. Interchange, reciprocity.
3. Bourse.
**Excise,** *n.* Inland duty, tax upon home products, internal tax *or* impost *or* revenue.
**Excision,** *n.* Extirpation, eradication, destruction, extermination, cutting out *or* off *or* up.
**Excitability,** *n.* I. Sensibility, sensitiveness.
2. Irritability, irascibility, passionateness, hot temper.
**Excitable,** *a.* I. Sensitive, susceptible, impressible.
2. Irascible, irritable, passionate, choleric, hasty, hot-tempered, quick-tempered.
**Excite,** *v. a.* I. Arouse, rouse, awaken, evoke, provoke, call forth, stimulate, incite, animate, kindle, inflame, brew, stir up.
2. Raise, create, evoke, elicit, give rise to, put in motion.
3. Disturb, agitate, discompose, irritate, provoke.
**Excitement,** *n.* I. Excitation, exciting. See the verb, under 1 and 2.
2. Incitement, motive, stimulus.
3. Agitation, perturbation, commotion, sensation.
4. Irritation, warmth, heat, violence, choler, passion.
**Exclaim,** *v. n.* Vociferate, shout, call, cry out, call aloud.
**Exclamation,** *n.* I. Vociferation, outcry, ejaculation, clamor.
2. (*Rhet.*) *Ecphonesis*, interjection.
**Exclude,** *v. a.* I. Bar, debar, preclude, reject, shut out.
2. Prohibit, restrain, hinder, withhold.
3. Except, omit, not include.
4. Expel, eject, extrude, thrust out.
**Exclusion,** *n.* I. Preclusion, rejection.
2. Prohibition.
3. Exception, omission, non-inclusion.
4. Expulsion, ejection.
**Exclusive,** *a.* I. Excluding, debarring.
2. Illiberal, selfish, narrow, uncharitable, narrow-minded.
3. Fastidious (*in social relations*), invidiously choice, cliquish, snobbish, aristocratic.
4. Sole, only, special.
**Exclusive of.** Over and above, in addition to, not to mention, not to take into account, excepting, not including, to the exclusion of, without including.
**Excogitate,** *v. a.* Think out, make up, invent, contrive, imagine, create.
**Excommunicate,** *v. a.* Dismiss *or* expel (*from the Church*), denounce, proscribe, anathematize, expel from fellowship, exscind.
**Excommunication,** *n.* Dismission *or* expulsion (*from the Church*), denunciation, proscription, anathema, ban.
**Excoriate,** *v. a.* Flay, skin, gall, scar. scarify, score. gouge out, abrade, strip the skin from.
**Excoriation,** *n.* Flaying, skinning, scarification, abrasion.

**Excrement,** *n.* 1. Excretion, excreted matter.
2. Dung, fæces, ordure, dejections, alvine discharges
**Excremental,** *a.* Excrementitious, excrementitial.
**Excrementitial,** *a.* Excremental, excrementitious.
**Excrementitious,** *a.* Excremental, excrementitial.
**Excrescence,** *n.* 1. Wart, tumor, morbid protuberance *or* growth.
2. Superfluity, useless outgrowth, deforming attachment *or* appendage.
**Excrescent,** *a.* Fungous.
**Excrete,** *v. a.* Separate, discharge, eject, throw off.
**Excretion,** *n.* 1. Separation, discharge.
2. Excrement, excreted matter.
**Excretive,** *a.* Excretory.
**Excretory,** *a.* Excretive.
**Excruciate,** *v. a.* Torture, torment, rack, agonize.
**Excruciating,** *a.* Torturing, tormenting, agonizing, very painful.
**Excruciation,** *n.* Torture, torment, agony, anguish.
**Exculpate,** *v. a.* Absolve, exonerate, acquit, clear, vindicate, set right.
**Exculpation,** *n.* Exoneration, vindication, clearing.
**Exculpatory,** *a.* Excusatory, vindicative, vindicatory, exonerative.
**Excursion,** *n.* 1. Journey, tour, trip, expedition, ramble, jaunt.
2. Digression, episode.
**Excursive,** *a.* Rambling, wandering, roving, roaming, devious, erratic.
**Excursus,** *n.* [L.] Dissertation, disquisition, discussion (*entered by way of appendix*).
**Excusable,** *a.* Pardonable, venial.
**Excusatory,** *a.* 1. Apologetical.
2. Vindicative, vindicatory, exculpatory, exonerative.
**Excuse,** *v. a.* 1. Pardon, forgive, acquit, absolve, exculpate, exonerate.
2. Extenuate, justify, form *or* constitute an apology *or* excuse for.
3. Exempt, release, free, let off.
4. Overlook, regard indulgently, treat as venial.
5. [With *self.*] Clear, vindicate, exculpate, exonerate, make defence *or* apology for, set right.
**Excuse,** *n.* 1. Apology, plea, justification, absolution.
2. Pretext, pretence, color, guise, disguise, semblance, makeshift, subterfuge, evasion, false show.
**Execrable,** *a.* 1. Detestable, hateful, odious, abhorrent, damnable, cursed, accursed, abominable, villanous.
2. Offensive, disgusting, obnoxious, nauseous, nauseating, sickening, repulsive, revolting, loathsome, vile.
**Execrate,** *v. a.* 1. Curse, imprecate ill upon, call down curses on.
2. Abominate, detest, hate, abhor.
**Execration,** *n.* 1. Curse, malediction, ban, anathema, imprecation of evil.
2. Detestation, abhorrence, abomination, horror, loathing.
3. Thing detested, abominated, *or* abhorred, curse, horror.
**Execute,** *v. a.* 1. Accomplish, effect, effectuate, perform, do, consummate, finish, complete, achieve, carry out, carry through, carry into effect, work out.
2. Put to death (*in pursuance of a judicial sentence*).
3. (*Law.*) Sign, seal, and deliver (*as a deed*).
**Execution,** *n.* 1. Performance, operation, accomplishment, achievement, completion, consummation.
2. Effect, something done.
3. Mode of performance.
4. Writ *or* warrant (*for carrying out a judgment* or *sentence*).
5. Capital punishment, punishment of death.
6. Destruction, damage, destructive effect.
**Executive,** *a.* Executory, charged with execution *or* carrying into effect.
**Executive,** *n.* 1. Chief magistrate, administrative head, head of government, head of affairs, head of the nation.
2. Administration, administrative body, body charged with administration *or* the execution of the laws.
**Executory,** *a.* 1. Executive.
2. (*Law.*) To be executed.
**Exegesis,** *n.* 1. Exegetics, hermeneutics, science of interpretation.
2. Interpretation, exposition, explanation.
**Exegetic,** / **Exegetical,** *a.* Explanatory, expository, hermeneutical, explicative, explicatory, interpretative.
**Exegetics,** *n.* Exegesis, science of interpretation, hermeneutics.
**Exemplar,** *n.* Pattern, model, copy, example, prototype, archetype.
**Exemplary,** *a.* 1. Worthy of imitation, fit for a pattern.
2. Pattern-like, closely adherent to the pattern, faithful, close, exact, assiduous, scrupulous, punctual, punctilious, rigid, rigorous.
3. Remarkably good, excellent, highly virtuous, correct, estimable, worthy, deserving of approval.
4. Monitory, warning, admonitory, condign.
**Exemplification,** *n.* 1. Illustration.
2. (*Law.*) Certified copy *or* transcript.
**Exemplify,** *v. a.* 1. Illustrate, show by example.
2. (*Law.*) Make a certified copy of.
**Exempt,** *v. a.* Relieve, release, free, let off, grant immunity to, excuse, except, exonerate (*of an obligation* or *burden*).
**Exempt,** *a.* Exempted, free, liberated, released, not liable, possessed of immunity.
**Exemption,** *n.* Immunity, privilege, release, exception, freedom from liability.
**Exequies,** *n. pl.* Obsequies, funeral rites, funeral procession, ceremonies of burial.
**Exercise,** *n.* 1. Practice, use, appliance, application, performance, operation, employment.
2. Exertion, labor, work, toil, effort, action, activity.
3. Training, schooling, discipline, drill, drilling.
4. Lesson, task, test-lesson, examples for practice, praxis.
**Exercise,** *v. a.* 1. Exert (*constantly*), employ, busy, apply, use, put in action, set to work.
2. Exert, wield, effect, produce, carry into effect.
3. Discipline, train, drill, break in, habituate to practice.
4. Practise, pursue, carry on.
5. Task, try, test, put to the test.
6. Try, afflict, burden, annoy, trouble, pain, make anxious, render uneasy.
**Exercise,** *v. n.* Labor, work, make exertion, take exercise.
**Exert,** *v. a.* Use, put forth, put in action, bring into operation, set to work. See EXERCISE, 1 and 2.
**Exertion,** *n.* 1. Exerting, exercise, use. See the verb.
2. Effort, endeavor, struggle, attempt, trial, strain, stretch.
**Exert one's self.** Labor, toil, strive, try, endeavor, work, take pains, bestir one's self, fall to work, work with a will, leave no stone unturned,

do one's best, make effort, make great efforts.

**Exfoliate,** *v. n.* Scale off, shell off, peel off, fall off in scales.

**Exfoliation,** *n.* I. (*Min.*) Separation in scales *or* laminæ.
2. (*Med.*) Desquamation.

**Exhalation,** *n.* I. Evaporation, emission of vapor.
2. Vapor, fume, effluvium, steam, reek, smoke, fog.

**Exhale,** *v. a.* Emit, evaporate, breathe, emit in vapor, throw off in effluvia.

**Exhale,** *v. n.* Fly off, pass off, be evaporated, be exhaled.

**Exhaust,** *v. a.* I. Drain, empty.
2. Expend, spend, waste, squander, consume, destroy, lavish, dissipate, fritter away, run through (with).
3. Prostrate, cripple, weaken, enervate, debilitate, disable, deprive of strength, wear out.

**Exhaustless,** *a.* Inexhaustible.

**Exhibit,** *v. a.* I. Show, display, present to view, offer for inspection.
2. Manifest, express, indicate, disclose, evince, make known, bring to notice, bring into view, point out, set forth.
3. (*Law.*) Offer, present, propose.
4. (*Med.*) Administer (*medicine*).

**Exhibition,** *n.* I. Display, show, manifestation.
2. Exposition, laying open to public view.
3. (*Eng. Universities.*) Allowance, pension, benefaction.
4. (*Med.*) Administration (*of medicine*).

**Exhilarate,** *v. a.* Cheer, enliven, inspirit, inspire, animate, stimulate, elate, gladden, make merry, make glad *or* joyous.

**Exhilarating-gas,** *n.* Nitrous oxide, protoxide of nitrogen, laughing-gas.

**Exhilaration,** *n.* I. Cheering, enlivening, animating, etc. See the verb.
2. Animation, gayety, hilarity, glee, cheer, gladness, joyousness, cheerfulness, good-humor, good spirits, high spirits.

**Exhort,** *v. a.* Urge, incite, stimulate, persuade, encourage (*to do well*).

**Exhort,** *v. n.* Give exhortation, offer advice.

**Exhortation,** *n.* I. Advice, counsel.
2. Persuasive discourse.

**Exhortative,** *a.* Exhortatory, hortatory.

**Exhortatory,** *a.* Exhortative, hortatory.

**Exhumation,** *n.* Disinterment, disentombment.

**Exhume,** *v. a.* Disinter, unbury, disentomb, disinhume.

**Exigence,** } *n.* I. Demand, urgency, necessity,
**Exigency,** } need, want, requirement.
2. Emergency, crisis, strait, juncture, conjuncture, quandary, pass, pinch, nonplus, critical situation, pressing necessity.

**Exigent,** *a.* Urgent, pressing.

**Exiguity,** *n.* Smallness, slenderness, fineness, exility, attenuation, exiguousness.

**Exiguous,** *a.* Small, diminutive, tiny, slender, slim, attenuated, fine.

**Exiguousness,** *n.* See EXIGUITY.

**Exile,** *n.* I. Banishment, ostracism, proscription, expulsion (*from one's country*), expatriation.
2. Banished person.
3. Separation (*voluntary* or *by circumstances*) from country, sunderment from home and kindred, isolation from fatherland and friends.
4. Isolated person.

**Exile,** *v. a.* Banish, expatriate, ostracize, proscribe, expel (*from one's country*).

**Exility,** *n.* Slenderness, fineness, smallness, slimness, diminutiveness, attenuation, exiguousness, exiguity.

**Exist,** *v. n.* I. Be, subsist, have being.
2. Live, breathe, have life, be alive.
3. Continue, remain, endure, last, abide.

**Existence,** *n.* I. Being, existing, subsisting, subsistence.
2. Entity, being, essence, creature, thing.
3. Life, animation.
4. Continuance, duration.

**Exit,** *n.* I. Departure, withdrawal, going off *or* away (*especially from the stage*).
2. Decease, death, demise, end, departure, departure from life.
3. Egress, passage out, way out.

**Exodus,** *n.* I. Departure (*from a country*), great emigration.
2. [With *The.*] Israelitish migration from Egypt.
3. Second book of Moses, Second Book of the Pentateuch.

**Exonerate,** *v. a.* I. Exculpate, absolve, acquit, clear, justify, vindicate.
2. Release, absolve, discharge, exempt, except, free, let off.

**Exoneration,** *n.* I. Exculpation, acquittal, clearance, justification, vindication.
2. Release, absolution, discharge, exemption, exception, liberation, letting off.

**Exorable,** *a.* To be moved by entreaty, yielding to prayer, gracious, merciful.

**Exorbitance,** } *n.* Extravagance, enormity, ex-
**Exorbitancy,** } cess.

**Exorbitant,** *a.* Extravagant, inordinate, excessive, enormous, unreasonable.

**Exorcise,** *v. a.* I. Drive away (*by conjurations*), cast out.
2. Deliver from malignant spirits, purify from evil influence.

**Exorcism,** *n.* I. Exorcising. See the verb.
2. Spell, charm, incantation, exorcising formula.

**Exordium,** *n.* [L. *pl. Exordia; Eng. pl. Exordiums.*] Introduction, opening, preamble, preface, proem, prelude, prologue.

**Exosmose,** } *n.* Transudation outward, outward
**Exosmosis,** } osmose.

**Exoteric,** } *a.* Public, open, external, superfi-
**Exoterical,** } cial, addressed to the public, for the multitude, *ad populum.*

**Exotic,** } *a.* Foreign, extraneous, not indige-
**Exotical,** } nous, not native, derived from abroad.

**Expand,** *v. a.* I. Spread, open, unfold, evolve, lay open, spread out.
2. Dilate, distend, swell, fill out, blow up.
3. Extend, stretch, enlarge, increase, diffuse.

**Expand,** *v. n.* I. Open, be unfolded, be spread out.
2. Dilate, enlarge, be distended, increase in bulk.

**Expanse,** *n.* I. Extent, expansion, stretch, expanded surface.
2. [With *The.*] Firmament, sky, welkin, vault, canopy, arch of heaven, arch of the sky.

**Expansion,** *n.* I. Expanding, spreading, opening.
2. Dilatation, distension, swelling.
3. Enlargement, increase, diffusion.
4. Extent, expanse, stretch.

**Expansive,** *a.* I. Expanding, dilating, tending to expand *or* be expanded, to dilate *or* be dilated.
2. Diffusive, pervasive.
3. Wide-reaching, comprehensive, wide-embracing, far-reaching, wide-extending.

**Ex parte.** [L.] One-sided, partisan, one-sidedly, with partisan bias.

**Expatiate,** *v. n.* I. Rove at large, range at will, take a wide survey.

2. Dilate, enlarge, descant, be copious, launch out.

**Expatriate,** *v. a.* Banish, exile, ostracize, proscribe, expel (*from one's country*).

**Expatriate one's self.** Break the ties of country, renounce one's country, renounce one's native allegiance, become a citizen of another country.

**Expatriation,** *n.* Exile, banishment, proscription, expulsion (*from one's country*).

**Expect,** *v. a.* 1. Await, wait for.

2. Anticipate, look for, look forward to, count upon, reckon upon, calculate upon, rely upon.

**Expectance,** *n.* Expectation, expectancy.

**Expectancy,** *n.* 1. Expectation, expectance.

2. (*Law.*) Abeyance, prospect.

**Expectant,** *a.* Waiting, looking for, looking forward to.

**Expectation,** *n.* 1. Anticipation, prospect, expectance, expectancy.

2. Reliance, confidence, assurance, presumption.

**Expectorate,** *v. a.* Hawk up, cough up, eject from the trachea, spit out *or* up.

**Expedience,** } *n.* 1. Fitness, propriety, suitable-
**Expediency,** } ness, advisability, desirableness, (*to* or *for a given end*).

2. Advantage, profit, utility.

3. Advantageousness, profitableness, usefulness, utility, judiciousness.

**Expedient,** *a.* 1. Fit, proper, suitable, advisable, desirable (*in view of an end proposed*).

2. Advantageous, profitable, useful, for one's advantage, for one's interest.

**Expedient,** *n.* Shift, resource, resort, contrivance, means.

**Expedite,** *v. a.* Hasten, accelerate, despatch, speed, hurry, quicken, precipitate, forward, advance, press forward, urge forward, press on, urge on.

**Expedition,** *n.* 1. Haste, speed, despatch, celerity, quickness, promptness, alacrity, alertness.

2. Enterprise, undertaking.

3. March *or* voyage, hostile undertaking.

**Expeditious,** *a.* 1. Speedy, quick, swift, rapid.

2. Prompt, swift, punctual, diligent, nimble, alert.

**Expel,** *v. a.* 1. Eject, dislodge, drive out, force away, thrust out *or* forth.

2. Eject, void, evacuate, discharge.

3. Remove (*by penalty*), exclude permanently, exscind.

4. Banish, exile, expatriate, ostracize, proscribe.

**Expend,** *v. a.* 1. Disburse, spend, lay out.

2. Use, employ, exert, consume.

3. Exhaust, consume, waste, scatter, dissipate.

**Expenditure,** *n.* 1. Disbursement, spending, outlay, outlaying, laying out.

2. Expense, cost, charge, outlay.

**Expense,** *n.* Cost, charge, expenditure, outlay.

**Expensive,** *a.* 1. Dear, costly, high-priced, of great price, requiring great outlay.

2. Lavish, extravagant, wasteful.

**Experience,** *n.* 1. Actual observation, actual trial, actual feeling, actual presentation.

2. Continued *or* repeated observation, long practice, thorough acquaintance with facts, knowledge gained from observation, experimental knowledge, practical wisdom.

**Experience,** *v. a.* 1. Feel, be the subject of, have in one's own perceptions *or* sensations *or* feelings, actually observe, have before one's own senses, prove by trial, have practical acquaintance with.

2. Undergo, be the subject of.

3. Endure, suffer, be subjected to.

**Experienced,** *a.* Practised, instructed, accomplished, thoroughbred, versed, qualified, able.

**Experiment,** *n.* 1. Trial, test, examination, assay, proof, touchstone, ordeal.

2. Organized observation, prearranged investigation, exact trial, use of experiments, experimentation.

**Experiment,** *v. n.* Make experiment, make trial.

**Experimental,** *a.* 1. Empiric, empirical, experiential, from experience, tried, tested, verified, ascertained, founded on fact, supported by experiment *or* observation.

2. Inwardly felt, actually undergone, really had *or* experienced.

3. Tentative, in the way of experiment, that feels its way, empirical, awaiting verification.

**Expert,** *a.* Adroit, dexterous, ready, prompt, quick, apt, clever, able, skilful.

**Expert,** *n.* Experienced person, person specially versed (*in a given subject*), skilled hand, *connoisseur*, master, master-hand.

**Expiate,** *v. a.* Atone for, do penance for, make satisfaction or reparation for.

**Expiation,** *n.* 1. Atonement, satisfaction, reparation.

2. Expiatory offering, penitential act.

**Expiration,** *n.* 1. Emission of breath.

2. Death, decease, demise, exit, departure.

3. Termination, cessation, close, end, conclusion.

**Expire,** *v. a.* Breathe out, emit from the lungs.

**Expire,** *v. n.* 1. Decease, draw the last breath. See DIE.

2. End, terminate, cease, conclude, stop, come to an end.

**Explain,** *v. a.* 1. Interpret, elucidate, expound, illustrate, unfold, clear up, make plain, throw light upon, eclaircize (*recent*).

2. Account for, give the reasons for, make intelligible, solve, warrant, justify, reduce to law *or* to ascertained principles, trace to causes.

**Explain,** *v. n.* Make an explanation.

**Explainable,** *a.* Explicable, that may be explained.

**Explanation,** *n.* 1. Interpretation, elucidation, illustration, exposition, description, explication.

2. Solution, account, warrant, justification, deduction, key, *clavis*.

3. Mutual understanding.

**Explanatory,** *a.* 1. Illustrative, elucidative, expository, serving to explain.

2. Accounting, justifying, justificative, justificatory, warranting, giving reasons, vindicative, vindicatory, tracing to causes *or* principles.

**Expletive,** *a.* Superfluous, redundant.

**Expletive,** *n.* Expletive word *or* syllable.

**Explicable,** *a.* Explainable, to be accounted for *or* made intelligible.

**Explication,** *n.* Interpretation, explanation, exposition, illustration.

**Explicit,** *a.* Express, clear, plain, positive, definite, determinate, categorical, unambiguous, unreserved.

**Explode,** *v. a.* 1. Discharge, burst, displode, detonate.

2. Discard, repudiate, scout, scorn, contemn, cry down, treat with contempt, bring into disrepute.

**Explode,** *v. n.* Burst, displode, detonate, be discharged.

**Exploit,** *n.* Act (*especially an heroic act*), deed, feat, achievement.

**Exploit,** *v. a.* [*Recent.*] Utilize, put to use *or* service, work up.

**Exploitation,** *n.* [*Recent.*] Exploiting. See the verb.

**Exploration,** *n.* Examination, scrutiny, inquiry, research, inquisition.

**Explore,** *v. a.* 1. Examine, scrutinize, investigate, search into, inquire into, pry into.

2. Examine (*countries*) geographically, travel through observingly.

**Explosion,** *n.* Burst, bursting, detonation, blast, clap, pop, crack, sudden discharge.

**Exponent,** *n.* Index, indication, representative, type, example, specimen, illustration.

**Export,** *v. a.* Send out (*merchandise from one country to another*), carry out, send abroad.

**Export,** *n.* Commodity exported.

**Expose,** *v. a.* 1. Uncover, bare, make bare.

2. Disclose, detect, descry, lay open, show up, bring to light.

3. Unmask, denounce, show up, strip of disguises *or* concealments, show in one's real light.

4. Subject, make liable.

5. Endanger, jeopardize, put in danger, put in peril.

6. [*Said of infants.*] Leave out, abandon, leave in a solitary place, abandon to the perils of solitude.

7. Exhibit, set in view, put in a conspicuous place.

**Exposé,** *n.* [Fr.] 1. Exposition, formal statement, exhibit, manifesto.

2. Exposure, divulgement, revelation, deprecated publication.

**Exposition,** *n.* 1. Exposure, disclosing, laying open.

2. Explanation, interpretation, elucidation, explication.

3. Exhibition, show, display.

**Expositor,** *n.* Expounder, explainer, interpreter.

**Expository,** *a.* Explanatory, illustrative, exegetical, elucidative.

**Expostulate,** *v. n.* [Followed by *with*] Remonstrate, reason earnestly and dissuasively.

**Expostulation,** *n.* Remonstrance, protest.

**Exposure,** *n.* 1. Exposing. See EXPOSE, in all senses.

2. Position (*with reference to the points of the compass*), aspect, prospect, outlook, frontage, front.

**Expound,** *v. a.* 1. Give an account of, rehearse, reproduce, present, unfold, develop.

2. Explain, interpret, elucidate, clear up, lay open, make plain.

**Expounder,** *n.* 1. Expositor, rehearser, reproducer.

2. Interpreter, commentator, elucidator, expositor.

**Express,** *v. a.* 1. Squeeze out, press out.

2. Utter, speak, declare, assert, set forth, give vent to, give utterance to.

3. Represent, indicate, show, signify, exhibit, denote, intimate.

4. Send by express, send express.

**Express,** *a.* 1. Explicit, clear, plain, definite, positive, determinate, categorical, unambiguous, clearly stated.

2. Exact, accurate, close, faithful, true, precise.

3. Special, particular.

4. Swift, rapid, fast.

**Express,** *n.* 1. Special messenger *or* courier.

2. Message, despatch.

3. Speedy conveyance, rapid transmission.

**Expressage,** *n.* Charges (*for anything sent by express*), express-charges.

**Expression,** *n.* 1. Squeezing out, pressing out.

2. Utterance, declaration, assertion, statement.

3. Phrase, term, form of words, mode of speech.

4. Look, cast of countenance, play of features.

5. General tone, pervading effect, pervasive feeling.

6. Lively representation, effective exhibition.

7. Modulation, suitable feeling and execution.

**Expressive,** *a.* 1. [With *of.*] Significant, indicative.

2. Emphatic, strong, forcible, energetic, lively, vivid.

3. Appropriate, sympathetic, well-modulated.

**Express one's self.** 1. Speak *or* write, deliver one's self, make known one's opinions, sentiments, *or* feelings.

2. Speak one's mind, say one's say.

3. Say, state, declare.

**Expulsion,** *n.* 1. Expelling, driving out.

2. Ejection, extrusion, banishment.

3. Permanent exclusion, separation from membership, excision.

**Expunge,** *v. a.* Erase, efface, obliterate, cancel, delete, blot out, strike out, rub out, wipe out.

**Expurgate,** *v. a.* Purify, purge, cleanse, free from objectionable matter.

**Expurgation,** *n.* Purification, cleansing, freeing from objectionable matter.

**Exquisite,** *a.* 1. Nice, exact, accurate, discriminating, delicate, refined.

2. Select, choice, excellent, rare, valuable, precious.

3. Consummate, complete, perfect, matchless.

4. Acute, intense, poignant, keen.

**Exquisite,** *n.* Dandy, fop, coxcomb, beau, popinjay, jackanapes, jack-a-dandy, man milliner, man of dress, vain fellow.

**Exsiccate,** *v. a.* Dry, desiccate, make dry, dry up.

**Extant,** *a.* Existing, undestroyed, in being, in existence, not lost.

**Extemporaneous,** *a.* Unpremeditated, off-hand, extemporary, extempore, improvised.

**Extemporary,** *a.* Unpremeditated, off-hand, extemporaneous, extempore, improvised.

**Extempore,** *ad.* [L.] Suddenly, without premeditation, without preparation, off-hand, on the spur of the moment.

**Extempore,** *a.* [L.] Extemporary, extemporaneous, improvised.

**Extemporize,** *v. n.* Speak extempore, improvise, speak without notes, speak without premeditation, make an off-hand speech *or* address.

**Extend,** *v. a.* 1. Stretch out, reach out, reach forth.

2. Prolong, continue, lengthen out, protract.

3. Expand, dilate, enlarge, widen, augment, increase, fill out.

4. Diffuse, spread abroad.

5. Offer, yield, give, impart.

**Extend,** *v. n.* Stretch, reach, spread.

**Extendible,** *a.* Extensible, extensile.

**Extensible,** *a.* Extendible, extensile.

**Extensile,** *a.* Extensible, extendible.

**Extension,** *n.* 1. Extendedness.

2. Expansion, dilatation, dilation, enlargement, increase, augmentation.

**Extensive,** *a.* Wide, large, broad, comprehensive, capacious, extended, expanded.

**Extent,** *n.* 1. Expansion, expanse, amplitude.

2. Bulk, size, magnitude, volume.

3. Length, reach, stretch, compass.

**Extenuate,** *v. a.* 1. Lessen, diminish, reduce in size *or* bulk.

2. Palliate, mitigate, qualify, excuse, apologize for.

**Extenuation,** *n.* 1. Diminution, abatement, mitigation.

2. Palliation, excuse, apology.

**Exterior,** *a.* 1. Outward, external, outer, outside, superficial.

2. Extrinsic, foreign, from without.

**Exterior,** *n.* I. Outside, outer part, outer surface.
2. (Outward) appearance.

**Exterminate,** *v. a.* I. Extirpate, eradicate, uproot, annihilate, destroy, abolish, root out, put an end to.
2. (*Math.*) Eliminate.

**Extermination,** *n.* I. Extirpation, eradication, annihilation, destruction, extinction, abolition, excision.
2. (*Math.*) Elimination.

**Extern,** *n.* I. Day-scholar.
2. (*Rare.*) Exterior, outward part.

**External,** *a.* I. Outward, outer, exterior, outside, superficial.
2. Extrinsic, foreign, from without.
3. Visible, apparent.

**Externals,** *n. pl.* Outside, outward parts, things as seen, visible forms.

**Extinct,** *a.* I. Extinguished, quenched, put out.
2. Ended, terminated, closed, vanished, brought to an end, no longer existing.

**Extinction,** *n.* I. Extinguishment.
2. Destruction, annihilation, extirpation, extermination, excision, abolition, abolishment.

**Extinguish,** *v. a.* I. Quench. put out.
2. Destroy, suppress, put down.

**Extinguishment,** *n.* I. Quenching, extinction.
2. Destruction, suppression, abolition, abolishment. See EXTINCTION, 2.

**Extirpate,** *v. a.* Eradicate, uproot, exterminate, annihilate, destroy, abolish, root out.

**Extirpation,** *n.* Eradication, uprooting, extermination, annihilation, destruction, extinction, excision, abolition, rooting out *or* up.

**Extol,** *v. a.* I. Praise, laud, magnify, exalt, celebrate, glorify.
2. Eulogize, panegyrize, applaud, be laudatory of, glorify, commend highly.

**Extoller,** *n.* Praiser, panegyrist, encomiast, eulogist.

**Extort,** *v. a.* Exact, wrest, wring, wrench, force, wring from by intimidation *or* terrorism.

**Extortion,** *n.* I. Exaction, illegal compulsion.
2. (*Colloq.*) Exorbitance, exorbitant charge.

**Extortionate,** *a.* I. Oppressive, exacting, severe, hard, harsh.
2. (*Colloq.*) Exorbitant.

**Extra,** *a.* I. Additional, supplementary, supplemental.
2. Unusual, extraordinary, extreme.

**Extract,** *v. a.* I. Draw out, pull out, take out.
2. Derive (*by chemical process*).
3. Select (*from a literary work*), cite, quote.
4. (*Math.*) Determine *or* find (*a root*).

**Extract,** *n.* I. Quotation, citation, selection, excerpt, passage quoted.
2. (*Chem.*) Inspissated infusion *or* decoction.

**Extraction,** *n.* I. Drawing out, pulling out, pulling.
2. Lineage, descent, birth, origin, genealogy, parentage.
3. (*Math.*) Determination (*of a root*).

**Extradite,** *v. a.* Deliver, surrender, send to a foreign nation (*on demand for trial*).

**Extradition,** *n.* Delivery *or* surrender (*of fugitives from justice by one nation to another*).

**Extraneous,** *a.* I. Foreign, extrinsic.
2. Non-pertinent, not germane, unessential, superfluous.

**Extraordinary,** *a.* Remarkable, unusual, uncommon, singular, signal, egregious, rare, extra, out of the way, unheard of, more than common.

**Extravagance,** *n.* I. Excess, exorbitance, enormity, unreasonableness, preposterousness.
2. Irregularity, wildness, folly, excess, absurdity.
3. Prodigality, profusion, waste, lavish expenditure.

**Extravagant,** *a.* I. Excessive, inordinate, exorbitant, unreasonable, preposterous.
2. Irregular, wild, foolish, absurd.
3. Wasteful, lavish, profuse, prodigal, spendthrift.

**Extravasated,** *a.* Effused, forced out, thrown out (*of ducts* or *vessels*).

**Extravasation,** *n.* Effusion (*from ducts* or *vessels*), ejection, evacuation.

**Extreme,** *a.* I. Outermost, utmost, farthest, uttermost, most distant, most remote.
2. Greatest, highest, of the highest degree, of the rarest kind.
3. Last, final, ultimate.
4. Extravagant, immoderate, excessive, unreasonable.

**Extreme,** *n.* I. End, extremity.
2. Highest degree, acme, climax.

**Extremes,** *n. pl.* I. Extremities, terminal points.
2. (*Log.*) Subject and predicate.
3. (*Math.*) First and last terms (*of a proportion*).

**Extremity,** *n.* I. End, termination, verge, edge, border, extreme.
2. Utmost point, highest degree.
3. Utmost distress, greatest difficulty.

**Extricate,** *v. a.* Disengage, disentangle, clear, disembarrass, relieve, liberate, deliver, free, set free.

**Extrication,** *n.* Disentanglement, liberation, release, relief, deliverance.

**Extrinsic,** } *a.* External, outward, extraneous,
**Extrinsical,** } foreign.

**Extrude,** *v. a.* Expel, eject, push out, force out, thrust out.

**Extrusion,** *n.* Expulsion, ejection.

**Exuberance,** *n.* I. Luxuriance, copiousness, abundance, plenitude, flood.
2. Superabundance, superfluity, redundance, redundancy, excess, overgrowth, rankness, overluxuriance, over-abundance, wantonness, overflow, lavishness, profusion.

**Exuberant,** *a.* I. Luxuriant, copious, abundant, abounding, prolific, rich, fertile, flowing.
2. Over-abundant, superabundant, superabounding, redundant, excessive, rank, overluxuriant, profuse, lavish, overflowing, wanton.

**Exudation,** *n.* Excretion, secretion, sweating, oozing.

**Exude,** *v. a.* Excrete, secrete, discharge (*by pores*), throw out.

**Exude,** *v. n.* Ooze, be excreted, be secreted, come out through the pores, come out in drops *or* beads.

**Exult,** *v. n.* Triumph, rejoice (*for success* or *victory*), leap for joy, be in transport, rejoice excessively, rejoice tauntingly.

**Exultant,** *a.* Exulting, triumphing, joyous, jubilant, transported, elated.

**Exultation,** *n.* Joy (*for success* or *victory*), transport, elation, delight, triumph.

**Exuvie,** *n. pl.* Remains (*of animals, as skins, shells, etc.*), sheddings, cast coverings, refuse parts.

**Eye,** *n.* I. Organ of sight, organ of vision.
2. Sight, view, estimate, judgment.
3. Watch, notice, vigilance, observation, inspection.
4. Perforation, aperture, eyelet, eyelet-hole.
5. Bud, shoot.

**Eye,** *v. a.* Watch, observe, view, look on, fix the eye on, keep in view, have an eye on.

**Eyebright,** *n.* Euphrasy, euphrasia (*Euphrasia officinalis*).
**Eyelet,** *n.* Perforation, aperture, eye, eyelet-hole.
**Eyelet-hole,** *n.* Eyelet.
**Eyesight,** *n.* 1. Vision, sense of seeing.
2. View, observation, inspection.
**Eye-tooth,** *n.* Canine tooth, cuspidate tooth.
**Eye-water,** *n.* Collyrium, wash *or* lotion for the eyes.
**Eyry,** *n.* Nest (*of a bird of prey*).

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**Fabian,** *a.* Dilatory, inactive, procrastinating, delaying.
**Fable,** *n.* 1. Story (*fictitious*), tale, parable, apologue, allegory, myth, legend.
2. Plot, action, series of events.
3. Fiction, falsehood, lie, untruth, forgery, invention, fabrication, figment, coinage of the brain.
**Fable,** *v. n.* Tell fables, make fables, fabricate tales, write fiction.
**Fable,** *v. a.* Feign, invent, fabricate.
**Fabler,** *n.* Fabulist, writer of fables.
**Fabric,** *n.* 1. Building, structure, edifice, pile.
2. Texture, conformation, make, workmanship.
3. Manufactured cloth, textile product, woven stuff.
**Fabricate,** *v. a.* 1. Frame, construct, build.
2. Manufacture, make.
3. Invent, feign, forge, coin.
**Fabrication,** *n.* 1. Construction.
2. Manufacture.
3. Invention, fiction, forgery, falsehood, figment, coinage of the brain, fable.
**Fabulist,** *n.* Fabler, writer of fables.
**Fabulous,** *a.* Invented, feigned, fictitious, unreal, fabricated, coined.
**Façade,** *n.* [Fr.] Front (*of a building*), face, elevation, front view.
**Face,** *n.* 1. Surface, external part.
2. Front, front part.
3. Visage, countenance.
4. Look, appearance, semblance, external aspect.
5. Confidence, assurance, boldness, impudence, audacity, effrontery, brass.
**Face,** *v. a.* 1. Confront, meet in front, meet face to face.
2. Front, stand opposite to, stand over against.
3. Put a face *or* surface on, polish, dress, smooth, level.
4. Cover, put a facing on, incrust, veneer.
5. Put face upward.
**Face,** *v. n.* Front, turn the face.
**Face-guard,** *n.* Mask, beaver.
**Facet,** *n.* Small face *or* surface.
**Facetiæ,** *n. pl.* [L.] Witticisms, jokes, pleasantry, witty sayings, sallies of wit, bits of humor.
**Facetious,** *a.* 1. Witty, jocular, jocose, humorous, waggish, funny, comical, pleasant, droll.
2. Gay, merry, sportive, sprightly, lively, entertaining.
**Face to face.** 1. Confronting one another.
2. Close, side by side, cheek by jowl, in close proximity, *tête à tête*.
3. Immediately, without anything interposing.
**Facile,** *a.* 1. Easy.
2. Mild, courteous, affable, complaisant, approachable, conversible.
3. Pliant, pliable, flexible, ductile, yielding, tractable, manageable, compliant, easily persuaded.
4. Dexterous, ready.
**Facilitate,** *v. a.* Make easy, render less difficult.
**Facility,** *n.* 1. Easiness (*in doing anything*), ease.
2. Readiness, dexterity, expertness, quickness, knack, ability.
3. Affability, condescension, complaisance, urbanity, civility, politeness.
4. Pliancy, ductility, flexibility.
5. Means, resource, appliance, convenience, advantage.
**Fac-simile,** *n.* Exact copy, reproduction.
**Fact,** *n.* 1. Incident, event, occurrence, circumstance, act, deed, performance, thing done.
2. Reality, actuality, certainty, real existence, truth.
**Faction,** *n.* 1. Combination (*against a government*), cabal, junto, clique, party.
2. Tumult, turbulence, turbulency, disorder, sedition, seditiousness, refractoriness, recalcitration, discord, dissension, disagreement.
**Factious,** *a.* 1. Turbulent, seditious, refractory, recalcitrant, rebellious, given to faction.
2. Full of faction, proceeding from faction, seditious, rebellious.
**Factitious,** *a.* Artificial, made by art, not natural.
**Factor,** *n.* 1. Agent, substitute, consignee, middleman, go-between, broker, commission merchant.
2. (*Math.*) Divisor, element of a product.
3. Constituent, constitutive element, determining element *or* circumstance *or* influence.
**Factor,** *v. a.* Resolve into factors, find the factors of.
**Factory,** *n.* 1. Residence of factors.
2. Body of factors.
3. Manufactory, mill, manufacturing establishment.
**Factotum,** *n.* Doer of all work, jack-at-all-trades.
**Faculty,** *n.* 1. Power, capability, ability, capacity, endowment, property, quality.
2. Skill, skilfulness, ability, ableness, power, capacity, dexterity, adroitness, expertness, address, ingenuity, competency, cleverness, aptitude, aptness, knack, turn, quickness, readiness, facility, talent, forte.
3. Department, profession, body (*of a learned profession, especially medicine*).
4. Body of professors, officers of instruction (*in a university* or *college*).
5. (*Law.*) Privilege, license, right.
**Fade,** *v. n.* 1. Vanish, disappear, evanesce, pass away, be seen no more.
2. Decline, droop, languish, decay, wither.
3. Lose color, lose lustre, grow dim, blanch, bleach.
**Fadeless,** *a.* Unfading, undeclining, undecaying, unwithering, enduring, changeless.
**Fadge,** *v. n.* 1. Suit, fit, agree, harmonize, be suitable.
2. Agree, maintain concord, harmonize, live in amity.
3. Succeed, hit.
**Fæces,** *n.* 1. Sediment, dregs, lees, settlings.

2. Excrement, dung, ordure, dejections, alvine discharges.

**Fag,** *v. n.* 1. Droop, sink, flag, grow weary, become fatigued, be tired.
2. Drudge, toil, work to weariness.
3. Be a fag, play the fag, do menial service.

**Fag,** *v. a.* 1. Make a fag of, compel to serve *or* drudge.
2. Tire, weary, fatigue, jade, use up, tire out, exhaust.

**Fag,** *n.* [*Especially applied in England to a schoolboy who does menial service for another.*] Drudge, menial, slave.

**Fagged,** *a.* Wearied, tired, fatigued, exhausted, jaded, used up, beat out.

**Fagot,** *n.* [Written also *Faggot.*] Bundle of sticks, fascine (*fort.*).

**Fail,** *v. n.* 1. Fall short, come short, be insufficient, be deficient, be wanting.
2. Decline, sink, decay, wane, fade, break, give out.
3. Cease, disappear, become extinct, be wanting.
4. Miss, miscarry, be unsuccessful, be frustrated, end in smoke, come to nothing, fall stillborn, flash in the pan, miss fire, miss stays, fall to the ground.
5. Omit, neglect.
6. Break, become insolvent, become bankrupt, suspend payment.

**Fail,** *v. a.* Disappoint, be wanting to, not be sufficient for, not answer the expectation of.

**Fail,** *n.* [Used only in the expression *Without fail.*] Omission, neglect, failure, delinquency.

**Failing,** *n.* 1. Decline, decay.
2. Miscarriage, failure.
3. Fault, foible, frailty, shortcoming, imperfection, deficiency, defect, weakness, infirmity, weak side, blind side.
4. Lapse, error, slip.
5. Bankruptcy, insolvency, becoming bankrupt *or* insolvent.

**Failure,** *n.* 1. Deficiency, defectiveness, shortcoming.
2. Omission, neglect, fail, non-performance, non-observance.
3. Miscarriage, botch, abortion, ill success, flash in the pan, labor for one's pains, losing game, wild-goose chase, sleeveless errand.
4. Insolvency, bankruptcy, suspension of payment, failing, becoming bankrupt *or* insolvent.
5. Decay, decline, declension, loss.

**Fain,** *a.* Glad, pleased, rejoiced, well-pleased, eager, inclined, anxious.

**Fain,** *ad.* Gladly, joyfully, with pleasure, with joy, eagerly, willingly.

**Faint,** *v. n.* 1. Swoon, faint away.
2. Languish, fail, fade, grow weak, fail in vigor, lose strength.
3. Be disheartened, be discouraged, be dejected, be depressed, lose courage, be dispirited, be down-hearted, sink into dejection.

**Faint,** *a.* 1. Swooning, fainting away.
2. Weak, feeble, drooping, exhausted, languid.
3. Small, little, slight, inconsiderable.
4. Dim, dull, slight, indistinct, scarce perceptible, almost imperceptible.
5. Fearful, timid, timorous, cowardly, dastardly, faint-hearted.
6. Dejected, depressed, dispirited, disheartened, discouraged.

**Faint away.** Swoon, faint.

**Faint-hearted,** *a.* Timid, timorous, fearful, cowardly, dastardly, faint.

**Fair,** *a.* 1. Spotless, unspotted, untarnished, unblemished, unstained.
2. White, light, blond.
3. Handsome, comely, beautiful.
4. Pleasant, clear, cloudless, unclouded.
5. Favorable, prosperous.
6. Promising, hopeful.
7. Open, distinct, plain, unobstructed, unencumbered.
8. Frank, honest, candid, ingenuous, just, honorable, upright, impartial, unbiassed.
9. Reasonable, proper, equitable, just.
10. Tolerable, passable, pretty good, more than middling, above mediocrity.

**Fair-minded,** *a.* Candid, just, equitable, impartial, unbiassed.

**Fair play.** Justice, equity, fairness, equitable treatment *or* action.

**Fair-spoken,** *a.* 1. Civil, courteous, bland, complaisant, gracious.
2. Plausible, smooth, bland, oily, unctuous.

**Fairy,** *n.* Fay, elf, pigwidgeon.

**Faith,** *n.* 1. Belief (*that prompts to action*), credence, credit, trust, assurance, confidence, dependence, reliance.
2. Creed, persuasion, tenets, dogmas, doctrines, religion, system of religion.
3. Fidelity, faithfulness, truthfulness, truth, constancy, loyalty.
4. Engagement, promise, word of honor.

**Faith,** *interj.* (*Colloq.*) Verily, in truth, by my faith, upon my word.

**Faithful,** *a.* 1. True, loyal, devoted, constant.
2. Trusty, trustworthy, reliable.
3. Truthful, trustworthy, reliable, worthy of credit, worthy of belief, to be relied on, to be depended upon.
4. Exact, strict, conscientious, accurate, close, nice.

**Faithless,** *a.* 1. Unbelieving.
2. Perfidious, treacherous, false, disloyal, untruthful, truthless.

**Faithlessness,** *n.* 1. Unbelief.
2. Perfidy, treachery, disloyalty.

**Falcate,** / **Falcated,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Hooked, sickle-shaped.

**Falchion,** *n.* Cimeter.

**Falcon,** *n.* Hawk.

**Fall,** *v. n.* 1. Drop, descend, sink, drop down.
2. Be prostrated, fall down.
3. Sink, be lowered, be depressed.
4. Decrease, decline, be diminished, become less, die away.
5. Sin, err, transgress, lapse, trip, trespass, commit a fault, do amiss, go astray.
6. Die, perish, come to destruction.
7. Empty, disembogue, flow, be discharged.
8. Happen, befall, come.
9. Become (*sick, asleep, in love, etc.*), get.
10. Pass, come, be transferred.
11. Be dropped, be uttered carelessly, drop.

**Fall,** *n.* 1. Descent, dropping.
2. Tumble, falling.
3. Cataract, cascade, waterfall.
4. Extent of descent, amount of fall.
5. Destruction, death, ruin, overthrow, downfall.
6. Degradation, loss of eminence.
7. Apostasy, loss of innocence, lapse, declension, slip, going astray, failure.
8. Diminution, decrease, decline.
9. Sinking (*of the voice*), cadence, close.
10. Discharge (*of a river*), emptying, disembouguement.
11. Autumn, fall of the leaf.
12. Declivity, slope, inclination.

**Fallacious,** *a.* 1. Deceptive, delusive, deceiving, illusive, illusory, misleading, disappointing, false.

2. Sophistical, worthless, paralogistic.

**Fallacy,** *n.* I. Illusion, deception, deceit, delusion, mistake, error, misconception, misapprehension.

2. Sophism, paralogism, sophistry, deceitful *or* worthless argument.

**Fall among.** Come among, get among, come suddenly *or* unexpectedly among, happen to be among, happen to be in the company of.

**Fall away.** I. Pine, grow lean, be emaciated, lose flesh.

2. Backslide, apostatize, fall off.

3. Defect, revolt, become disloyal *or* disaffected, forsake the cause of.

**Fall back.** I. Recede, retreat, give way, retire, yield.

2. [With *on* or *upon.*] Rally, retreat, retire.

**Fallibility,** *n.* Frailty, imperfection, uncertainty, liability to error.

**Fallible,** *a.* Frail, imperfect, weak, ignorant, uncertain, erring, liable to error *or* mistake.

**Fall in.** I. (*Mil.*) Come into line, form into ranks.

2. Concur, consent, agree, assent, acquiesce, go with the stream, go with the current.

**Falling-sickness,** *n.* Epilepsy.

**Falling-star,** *n.* Shooting-star, meteor.

**Fall in with.** I. Meet, encounter.

2. Comply with, assent to, come into.

**Fall off.** I. Drop, be detached, drop off.

2. Withdraw, separate.

3. Decline, wane, dwindle, decay, fade, fail, wither.

4. Perish, die.

5. Backslide, apostatize, fall away.

6. Revolt, defect, become disaffected *or* disloyal, fall away.

7. (*Naut.*) Go to leeward.

**Fall on.** I. Drop on, descend upon.

2. Attack, assault, assail, rush upon, fall upon.

**Fall out.** I. Disagree, wrangle. See QUARREL.

2. Happen, befall, chance, occur, come about, come to pass, take place.

**Fallow,** *a.* I. Pale red *or* pale yellow.

2. Untilled, unsowed, left uncultivated, neglected.

3. Inert, inactive, dormant.

**Fallow,** *n.* Untilled land.

**Fallow-chat,** *n.* See FALLOW-FINCH.

**Fallow-finch,** *n.* Œnanthe, wheat-ear (*Motacilla œnanthe, Saxicola œnanthe*).

**Fall short.** Fail, be deficient.

**Fall to.** Begin, set about, apply one's self to.

**Fall to loggerheads.** I. Come to blows, go to loggerheads.

2. Fall out, dispute, disagree, wrangle. See QUARREL.

**Fall under.** I. Come under, be subject to, be subjected to.

2. Be classed with, be reckoned with, be included in.

**Fall upon.** See FALL ON.

**False,** *a.* I. Untrue, unveracious, mendacious, lying, contrary to truth.

2. Dishonest, perfidious, treacherous, disloyal, faithless, disingenuous, dishonorable, double-tongued, double-faced, false-hearted.

3. Unveracious, mendacious, lying, untrustworthy, unreliable, truthless, untruthful.

4. Counterfeit, spurious, forged, not genuine, feigned, hypocritical, make-believe, sham.

5. Incorrect, improper, erroneous, wrong, unfounded.

6. Fallacious, deceptive, deceiving, deceitful, delusive, misleading, disappointing.

**False-hearted,** *a.* Perfidious, treacherous, faithless, false, double, double-tongued, double-faced, dishonorable, disloyal.

**Falsehood,** *n.* I. Falsity, want of truth, inconformity to fact *or* truth.

2. Untruth, lie, fabrication, fiction, false assertion, fib.

3. Imposture, counterfeit, cheat.

**Falsetto,** *n.* Head voice.

**Falsify,** *v. a.* I. Belie, misrepresent, counterfeit, misstate, garble, represent falsely.

2. Disprove, prove to be false, show unsound.

3. Violate, break by falsehood.

**Falsify,** *v. n.* Lie, tell lies *or* falsehoods, violate the truth.

**Falsity,** *n.* Falsehood, want of truth, inconformity to fact *or* truth.

**Falter,** *v. n.* I. Hesitate (*in speech*), stammer, stutter.

2. Fail, waver, tremble, totter.

3. Hesitate, waver, give way, show weakness, be undecided

**Fame,** *n.* I. Rumor, report, bruit, hearsay.

2. Reputation, repute, celebrity, glory, renown, honor, credit.

**Familiar,** *a.* I. Conversant, well acquainted, well versed.

2. Intimate, close, near, friendly, amicable, fraternal, cordial, on a friendly footing, on friendly terms.

3. Friendly, social, sociable, accessible, affable, kindly, courteous, civil, companionable, conversible.

4. Unceremonious, unconstrained, free, easy, informal, free and easy.

5. Too free, lacking in proper reserve, deficient in proper respect.

6. Well-known.

**Familiar,** *n.* I. Intimate, intimate friend, bosom friend, boon companion, close acquaintance, near associate.

2. Familiar spirit, demon *or* evil spirit at call.

**Familiarity,** *n.* I. Acquaintance, familiar knowledge, etc.

2. Intimacy, fellowship, friendship, etc.

3. Friendliness, sociability, etc.

4. Informality, freedom, etc.

5. Over-freedom, disrespect, etc.

6. General recognition, etc. See FAMILIAR.

**Familiarize,** *v. a.* Accustom, habituate, inure, use, train.

**Family,** *n.* I. Household, parents and children.

2. Lineage, race, tribe, clan, kindred, house, line of ancestors.

3. Subdivision of an order, group of genera.

**Family way.** Pregnancy.

**Famine,** *n.* Dearth, scarcity of food.

**Famish,** *v. a.* I. Starve, kill *or* destroy with hunger.

2. Distress with hunger, exhaust by hunger.

**Famish,** *v. n.* I. Starve, die of hunger, perish for want of food.

2. Be distressed by hunger, suffer extreme hunger, pine for food.

**Famous,** *a.* Celebrated, renowned, distinguished, illustrious, eminent, remarkable, famed, noted, far-famed.

**Fan,** *v. a.* I. Use a fan upon, cool *or* refresh with a fan.

2. Agitate, move, beat gently.

3. Blow *or* breathe upon, cool, refresh.

4. Excite, stimulate, increase, rouse, fire.

**Fanatic,** *n.* Enthusiast (*especially on religious subjects*), visionary, zealot, wild enthusiast, frenzied zealot, unreasoning visionary.

**Fanatic,** } *a.* Enthusiastic, visionary, wild, mad,
**Fanatical,** } frenzied, rabid.

**Fanaticism,** *n.* Religious frenzy, irrational enthusiasm, rabid zeal.
**Fanciful,** *a.* 1. Visionary, imaginative, whimsical, capricious.
2. Chimerical, imaginary, ideal, fantastical, wild.
**Fan-cricket,** *n.* Fen-cricket, churr-worm, mole-cricket (*Gryllotalpa vulgaris*).
**Fancy,** *n.* 1. Imagination (*properly, as exercised in sportive* or *whimsical moods*), *which see.*
2. Pleasing conceit, happy conception, striking thought, ideal image, bright stroke.
3. Notion, idea, thought, conception, conceit, impression, apprehension, image.
4. Liking, fondness, inclination, *penchant*, taste.
5. Caprice, humor, whim, crotchet, quirk, freak, vagary, whimsey, maggot, fantasy, odd fancy.
**Fancy,** *v. n.* Imagine, think, suppose, apprehend, conjecture, believe, take it.
**Fancy,** *v. a.* 1. Conceive, imagine, form a conception of, figure to one's self.
2. Like, be pleased with, have a fancy for.
**Fancy,** *a.* 1. Imaginative, of the fancy, fancied.
2. Ornamental (*rather than useful*), elegant, fine, nice.
3. Fanciful, extravagant, beyond all real worth.
**Fane,** *n.* (*Poetical.*) Temple, church, shrine, sanctuary.
**Fanfare,** *n.* [Fr.] Flourish of trumpets.
**Fanfaron,** *n.* 1. Bully, hector, blusterer, swaggerer, vaporer, braggadocio.
2. Empty boaster, vain pretender, blatherskite.
**Fanfaronade,** *n.* 1. Bluster, swaggering, boasting, bragging, bullying, hectoring, gasconade, braggadocio.
2. Empty boasting, vain pretence, ostentation, flourish, bombast, rodomontade.
**Fang,** *n.* 1. Tusk, pointed tooth.
2. Claw, talon, nail.
**Fantasia,** *n.* (*Mus.*) Fantastical air, capricious composition, *capriccio.*
**Fantastic,** } *a.* 1. Imaginary, fanciful, chimer-
**Fantastical,** } ical, visionary, unreal, merely ideal.
2. Whimsical, capricious, odd, queer, grotesque, strange, wild, *bizarre.*
**Fantasy,** *n.* See FANCY.
**Far,** *a.* 1. Remote, distant.
2. Farther, remoter, more distant.
3. Estranged, alienated, hostile.
**Far,** *ad.* 1. To a great distance.
2. Almost, well-nigh, in great part.
3. Very much, in a great degree.
**Far and near.** Everywhere, far and wide, from Dan to Beersheba, from China to Peru, from pole to pole, from one end of the earth to the other.
**Farce,** *n.* 1. Burlesque, caricature, travesty, parody, after-piece, low comedy, ludicrous representation.
2. Mere show, ridiculous pageantry, empty parade, utter sham.
**Farcical,** *a.* Droll, ludicrous, ridiculous, absurd.
**Fardel,** *n.* 1. Bundle, pack, burden, load.
2. Trouble, annoyance, ill, burden.
**Fare,** *v. n.* 1. Go, pass, travel, journey.
2. Be situated (*with respect to what may befall one*), be treated, prosper, prove, happen, turn out.
3. Feed, be entertained.
**Fare,** *n.* 1. Charge (*for conveyance of a person*), passage-money, price of a ticket.
2. Passenger *or* passengers.
3. Victuals, commons, provisions. See FOOD.
4. Condition, experience, fortune, luck, outcome.
5. Quantity of fish caught.
**Farewell,** *ad.* or *interj.* Adieu, good-by.
**Farewell,** *n.* 1. Adieu, valediction, leave-taking.
2. Leave, departure, last look, last glance.
**Far-famed,** *a.* Illustrious, celebrated, renowned, eminent, distinguished, famed. See FAMOUS.
**Far-fetched,** *a.* Recondite, abstruse, forced, strained, catachrestic, studiously sought.
**Farina,** *n.* 1. Flour *or* meal (*of grain* or *starchy roots*).
2. (*Chem.*) Starch, fecula.
3. (*Bot.*) Pollen.
**Farinaceous,** *a.* 1. Yielding farina *or* flour.
2. (Consisting) of meal *or* flour, starchy.
3. Mealy, like meal.
**Farm,** *n.* Landed estate.
**Farm,** *v. a.* 1. Let out (*land, revenues, etc.*).
2. Take on lease (*land, revenues, etc.*).
3. Cultivate (*land*), till.
**Farm,** *v. n.* Till the soil, carry on a farm, do farmer's work, practise husbandry.
**Farmer,** *n.* 1. Agriculturist, husbandman, cultivator *or* tiller of the soil.
2. Collector, tax-gatherer; lessee of taxes, customs, etc.
**Farming,** *n.* Agriculture, husbandry.
**Far other.** Very different.
**Farrago,** *n.* Medley, mixture, jumble, hodge-podge, hotch-potch, salmagundi, olio, gallimaufry, olla-podrida.
**Farrier,** *n.* 1. Shoer of horses, horseshoer.
2. Horse-doctor, horse-leech, veterinary surgeon.
**Farriery,** *n.* 1. Art *or* business of shoeing horses.
2. Veterinary art.
**Farrow,** *n.* Litter of pigs.
**Farrow,** *v. a.* and *v. n.* Bring forth, bear (*said only of swine*).
**Farrow,** *a.* Gone without calving (*said only of cows*).
**Far-sighted,** *a.* 1. Long-sighted.
2. Of great foresight, far-seeing, penetrating to remote consequences.
**Farther,** *ad.* 1. Beyond, further, more remotely, to *or* at a greater distance.
2. Moreover, besides, furthermore.
**Farther,** *a.* 1. Further, more remote, remoter, at a greater distance, more distant.
2. Additional.
**Farthest,** *ad.* Furthest, to *or* at the greatest distance.
**Farthest,** *a.* Furthest, remotest, most remote, most distant.
**Farthing,** *n.* Quarter of a penny.
**Farthingale,** *n.* Crinoline, hoop, hoop-skirt.
**Fascinate,** *v. a.* 1. Stupefy, bewitch, transfix, overpower, affect *or* bind with a spell.
2. Charm, enchant, bewitch, enrapture, entrance, captivate, catch, delight, enamour.
**Fascination,** *n.* Enchantment, spell, charm, witchery, witchcraft, magic, sorcery.
**Fascine,** *n.* (*Fort.*) Bundle of sticks *or* twigs.
**Fash,** *v. a.* [*Scotch.*] Vex, tease, plague, harass, torment, perplex, trouble, worry.
**Fash,** *n.* [*Scotch.*] Trouble, care, anxiety, vexation.
**Fashion,** *n.* 1. Form, figure, shape, make, cut, cast, stamp, mould, pattern, model, appearance, conformation, configuration.
2. Way, manner, method, sort.
3. Custom (*particularly as respects dress*), mode, style, usage, conventionality, conventionalism, general practice.
4. Gentility, high life, formal breeding.
5. People of fashion, the *beau monde*, the elegant world, the gay world.

**Fashion,** *v. a.* I. Form, shape, mould, make, give figure to.
2. Adapt, accommodate, fit, suit, adjust.
**Fashionable,** *a.* I. According to (prevailing) fashion, in fashion, *à la mode*, the rage, having a run.
2. Following fashion, addicted to fashion, who set fashion, of fashion, who affect elegance.
3. Customary, usual, prevailing, current, in vogue.
**Fast,** *v. n.* Abstain from food, forbear eating, go without food, go hungry.
**Fast,** *n.* I. Fasting, abstinence from food.
2. Fast-day, day of fasting, banyan day.
3. Time of fasting.
4. Rope (*to fasten a vessel to a wharf*).
**Fast,** *a.* I. Fastened, fixed, close, tight.
2. Immovable, firm.
3. Constant, steadfast, stanch.
4. Fortified, strong, impregnable.
5. Sound, deep, profound.
6. Swift, quick, fleet, rapid.
7. Dissipated, wild, giddy, reckless, thoughtless, thriftless, extravagant.
**Fast,** *ad.* I. Firmly, tightly, immovably.
2. Swiftly, quickly, rapidly.
3. Extravagantly, prodigally, recklessly, wildly.
**Fast and loose.** I. Variable, inconstant, fickle, uncertain.
2. Slippery, unreliable, tricky, shuffling, evasive, fencing, hedging.
**Fast-day,** *n.* Fast, day of fasting, banyan day.
**Fasten,** *v. a.* I. Secure, bind, tie, attach, make fast, belay (*naut.*), bend (*naut.*).
2. Join, connect, unite, hold together.
**Fasten,** *v. n.* Be fixed, fix one's self, cling, cleave, catch hold.
**Fastidious,** *a.* Squeamish, difficult, queasy, critical, dainty, over-nice, over-delicate, hard to please.
**Fasting,** *n.* Fast, abstinence from food.
**Fastness,** *n.* Fort, fortress, stronghold, castle, fortified place.
**Fat,** *a.* I. Oleaginous, unctuous, adipose, oily, greasy, fatty.
2. Plump, fleshy, corpulent, obese, portly, pursy.
3. Coarse, heavy, dull, sluggish, stupid, fat-witted.
4. Rich, profitable, lucrative.
5. Fertile, fruitful, productive, rich.
**Fatal,** *a.* I. Deadly, mortal, lethal.
2. Calamitous, destructive, ruinous, mischievous, baneful, baleful, pernicious, most harmful.
3. Fraught with fate, fateful.
**Fatalism,** *n.* Necessarianism, necessitarianism.
**Fatalist,** *n.* Necessitarian, necessarian.
**Fatality,** *n.* I. Destiny, fate, inevitable necessity.
2. Mortality.
**Fate,** *n.* I. Destiny, destination, fatality, inevitable necessity.
2. Doom, lot, predetermined event.
3. Death, destruction.
4. Final event, ultimate fortune.
**Fated,** *a.* Doomed, destined, appointed, foredoomed, predestined, predestinated, preordained, predetermined.
**Fates,** *n. pl.* (*Mythol.*) Destinies, Parcæ, sister goddesses (*Clotho, Lachesis, Atropos*), fatal sisters, three sisters.
**Fat-headed,** *a.* Dull, thick-witted. See STUPID.
**Fat-hen,** *n.* Wild spinach, goosefoot.
**Father,** *n.* I. Male parent.
2. Ancestor, forefather, progenitor.
3. Creator, maker, originator, author, inventor.
4. Venerable man (*an epithet of honor*).
**Father,** *v. a.* I. Beget, engender.
2. Adopt, become a (*moral*) father to.
3. Endow or supply with a father.
4. Ascribe to as father *or* author.
5. Assume the authorship of, become responsible for.
**Fatherhood,** *n.* Fathership, paternity.
**Fatherland,** *n.* Mother country, native country, land of one's ancestors, native land, one's country.
**Father-long-legs,** *n.* I. Crane-fly, daddy-long-legs.
2. Shepherd spider, harvest-man.
**Fatherly,** *a.* Paternal, tender, kind, benign, protecting.
**Father on** *or* **upon.** Ascribe to, attribute to, impute to, lay to, charge on.
**Fathership,** *n.* Paternity, fatherhood.
**Fathom,** *n.* Six feet, two yards.
**Fathom,** *v. a.* I. Sound, try the depth of, measure by a sounding-line.
2. Divine, penetrate, reach, understand, comprehend.
**Fathomless,** *a.* Bottomless, abysmal, profound.
**Fatigue,** *n.* I. Weariness, lassitude, exhaustion.
2. Labor, toil, hardship.
3. (*Mil.*) Extra duty (*distinct from that of arms*).
**Fatigue,** *v. a.* Tire, weary, exhaust, jade, fag.
**Fatten,** *v. a.* I. Make fat.
2. Fertilize, make fertile.
**Fatten,** *v. n.* Grow fat.
**Fatty,** *a.* Unctuous, oleaginous, oily, fat, adipose, greasy.
**Fatuity,** *n.* I. Foolishness, imbecility, idiocy, feebleness of intellect, want of understanding.
2. Folly, madness, inane absurdity, infatuation.
**Fatuous,** *a.* I. Foolish, witless, drivelling, idiotic.
2. Infatuated, mad, senseless, absurdly foolish.
3. Illusory, deceptive.
**Fat-witted,** *a.* Dull, heavy, fat. See STUPID.
**Faubourg,** *n.* [Fr.] Suburb, environs, former suburb, former environs (*in French cities*).
**Fauces,** *n. pl.* [L.] Posterior part of the mouth.
**Fault,** *n.* I. Defect, blemish, flaw, imperfection, failing, weakness, frailty, moral defect.
2. Misdeed, misdemeanor, offence, trespass, wrong, delinquency, transgression, error, lapse, slip, indiscretion.
3. Mistake (*of judgment*), error, slip.
4. (*Rare.*) Default, lack, want.
5. (*Geol.*) Dislocation, disturbance of strata.
**Fault-finder,** *n.* Censurer, objector, complainer, murmurer, repiner.
**Faultless,** *a.* I. Perfect, without blemish, without fault, free from defect.
2. Innocent, guiltless, blameless, stainless, sinless, immaculate, spotless.
**Faulty,** *a.* I. Bad, defective, imperfect.
2. Blamable, culpable, censurable, reprehensible, blameworthy, worthy of censure.
**Faun,** *n.* Sylvan, woodland deity.
**Fauna,** *n.* Animals (*peculiar to a country* or *to an epoch*).
**Faunist,** *n.* Naturalist.
**Faux pas.** [Fr.] I. Mistake, blunder, indiscretion, false step, false stroke, act of indiscretion.
2. Lapse from virtue, lapse from chastity, false step, lapse, slip, misstep, indiscretion.
**Faveolate,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Alveolate, cellular, favose, favaginous, honeycombed.
**Favillous,** *a.* Ashy, ashen, cinereous, cineritious, like ashes.
**Favor,** *v. a.* I. Countenance, befriend, encourage, patronize.
2. Approve, be in favor of, regard with favor.

3. Facilitate, make easier, be favorable *or* propitious to.
4. Support, aid, help, assist.
5. Humor, indulge, spare, ease, palliate, extenuate, represent favorably *or* in a favorable light.
6. Resemble, look like, be like.

**Favor,** *n.* I. Kindness, friendliness, countenance, grace, kind regard, good-will, propitious aspect.
2. Benefit, kindness, act of grace, good deed, kind act, friendly turn.
3. Patronage, championship, support.
4. Letter, epistle, communication.
5. Gift, present, token of good-will, love-token.
6. Decoration, knot, rosette, bunch of ribbons.
7. Leave, permission, pardon, good-will.
8. Advantage, protection, cover.
9. (*Law.*) Bias, partiality, prejudice.

**Favorable,** *a.* I. Friendly, kind, willing, well disposed, propitious, auspicious.
2. Conducive, contributing, propitious.
3. Advantageous, beneficial, auspicious, convenient, suitable, adapted, fit.

**Favorite,** *a.* I. Dear, darling, beloved.
2. Preferred, pet, especially liked.

**Favoritism,** *n.* Partiality.

**Favose,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Alveolate, cellular, faveolate, favaginous, honeycombed.

**Fawn,** *n.* Young deer.

**Fawn,** *v. n.* Crouch, cringe, bow, stoop, kneel, creep, dangle, fall on one's knees, curry favor, play the sycophant.

**Fawning,** *n.* Sycophancy, servility, cringing, mean flattery.

**Fawn upon.** I. Cringe to, crouch to, truckle to.
2. Flatter, wheedle, cajole, blandish, pay court to.

**Fay,** *n.* Fairy, elf.

**Fay,** *v. a.* Fit, joint, join closely.

**Fay,** *v. n.* Fit, lie close, make a good joint.

**Fealty,** *n.* I. Allegiance, homage, loyalty (*to a feudal lord*).
2. Fidelity, loyalty, faithfulness, honor, good faith, devotion.

**Fear,** *n.* I. Alarm, trepidation, dread, apprehension, fright, affright, terror, horror, dismay, consternation, panic.
2. Anxiety, solicitude, concern, apprehension.
3. Veneration, reverence, awe, reverential regard.

**Fear,** *v. a.* I. Dread, apprehend, be afraid of.
2. Apprehend, be solicitous, anxious, *or* concerned about.
3. Reverence, revere, venerate, stand in awe of, have a reverential regard for.

**Fear,** *v. n.* Be afraid, alarmed, *or* frightened, have apprehensions, live in terror, stand aghast.

**Fearful,** *a.* I. Afraid, apprehensive, haunted with fear.
2. Timid, timorous, nervous, faint-hearted, chicken-hearted, white-livered, cowardly, pusillanimous, showing the white feather, easily frightened.
3. Terrible, dreadful, frightful, dire, direful.
4. Awful, to be reverenced *or* revered.

**Fearless,** *a.* Dauntless, unterrified, courageous, bold, intrepid, brave, valorous, valiant, gallant.

**Feasibility,** *n.* Practicability, feasibleness.

**Feasible,** *a.* Practicable.

**Feasibleness,** *n.* Practicability, feasibility.

**Feast,** *n.* I. Banquet, treat, entertainment, carousal, regale, sumptuous repast.
2. Festival, holiday, *fête*, day of feasting, festive celebration, joyful anniversary, day of rejoicing, festal day.
3. Enjoyment, delight.

**Feast,** *v. n.* Eat (*plentifully*), be entertained, fare sumptuously.

**Feast,** *v. a.* I. Entertain sumptuously, feed luxuriously.
2. Delight, gratify, rejoice, gladden.

**Feat,** *n.* I. Act, deed, exploit, achievement.
2. Trick, act of dexterity.

**Feather,** *n.* I. Plume.
2. Kind, nature, species.

**Feather-boarding,** *n.* Weather-boarding.

**Feather in the cap.** Honor, distinction, mark of distinction.

**Feather one's nest.** Get rich (*from what passes through one's hands*), make a handsome profit, look out for number one, provide for one's self.

**Feathers,** *n. pl.* Plumage.

**Featly,** *a.* Nimbly, dexterously, adroitly, skilfully.

**Feature,** *n.* I. Lineament.
2. Cast of the face, turn of expression.
3. Fashion, make, conformation, aspect, appearance.
4. Outline, prominent part.
5. Characteristic, trait, point, item, mark.

**Feaze,** *v. a.* Untwist (*as the end of a rope*), ravel, ravel out, unravel.

**Febrifugal,** *a.* Antifebrile.

**Febrifuge,** *n.* Antifebrile medicine.

**Fecula,** *n.* I. Starch, farina.
2. Chlorophyll, green coloring matter of plants.

**Feculence,** / **Feculency,** *n.* I. Muddiness, turbidness, turbid condition, foulness.
2. Lees, sediment, dregs, fæces, settlings.

**Feculent,** *a.* Turbid, muddy, thick, foul, dreggy.

**Fecundate,** *v. a.* I. Make prolific, make fruitful, enrich.
2. Impregnate, cause to germinate, cover with pollen *or* germinal fluid, fertilize.

**Fecundation,** *n.* I. Enriching, rendering fertile *or* prolific.
2. Impregnation, fertilization.

**Fecundity,** *n.* Fruitfulness, fertility, productiveness, prolific character *or* quality.

**Federal,** *a.* I. Treaty, founded on *or* relating to treaty, pertaining to alliance.
2. Confederate, federated.

**Federation,** *n.* I. Uniting, federating, federation, confederation, leaguing, union, allying, alliance, forming *or* formation into a confederacy.
2. League, alliance, coalition, union, confederation, confederacy, federacy, combination, copartnership, federal union, federal compact.

**Fee,** *n.* I. Pay (*for professional service*), compensation, remuneration.
2. Feud, fief, fee-simple, absolute title *or* possession, unconditional tenure.

**Fee,** *v. a.* Pay, reward, recompense, give a fee to.

**Feeble,** *a.* I. Weak, not strong.
2. Debilitated, enervated, sickly, infirm, languishing, languid, declining, drooping, frail.
3. Faint, imperfect, dim, without vigor, lacking intensity *or* vividness *or* force.

**Feed,** *v. a.* I. Give food to, furnish with provisions, supply with nourishment.
2. Supply, contribute to, provide for.
3. Nourish, cherish, sustain.
4. Supply with material.

**Feed,** *v. n.* I. Eat, take food, take nourishment.
2. Subsist, sustain life.

**Feed,** *n.* I. Food (*for beasts*), provender, fodder.
2. Allowance (*of fodder*).
3. Feeding mechanism, feeder.

**Feel,** *v. n.* I. Perceive (*by the touch*), have feeling.
2. Be perceived (*by the touch*).
3. Be moved (*in the affections*), be excited, be

stirred, be warmed, be wrought up, be impressed.
4. Have the consciousness of being, be conscious of being (*sorry, grieved, hurt*, or *the like*).
**Feel,** *v. a.* 1. Touch, handle, feel of.
2. Experience, suffer, *or* enjoy, have the sense of.
3. Be affected by, be moved by.
4. Sound, try, prove, put to the test.
**Feel after.** 1. Search for (*by the touch*), try to find (*as in the dark*).
2. Search diligently for, inquire after with longing.
**Feelers,** *n. pl.* (*Zoöl.*) 1. Palpi.
2. Antennæ, horns.
3. Tentacula.
**Feeling,** *a.* 1. Affecting, moving, touching, melting, pathetic.
2. Sensitive, tender, sympathetic.
**Feeling,** *n.* 1. Sense of touch.
2. Sensation, perception by touch.
3. Sensibility, emotion, sentiment, passion, affection, impression.
4. Tenderness, susceptibility, sensibility, sentiment, fine feeling, delicate sentiment.
**Fee-simple,** *n.* (*Law.*) Absolute fee, unconditional tenure.
**Feign,** *v. a.* 1. Invent, imagine, devise, fabricate, forge.
2. Counterfeit, simulate, affect, assume, pretend to, put on, make a show of.
**Feint,** *n.* 1. Pretence, blind, make-believe, false appearance.
2. (*Mil.*) Mock attack, pretended movement.
**Felicitate,** *v. a.* 1. Congratulate, wish joy to, rejoice with.
2. (*Rarer.*) Delight, bless, beatify, happify (*rare*), fill with happiness.
**Felicitation,** *n.* Congratulation.
**Felicitous,** *a.* 1. Fit, appropriate, apt, pertinent, opportune, seasonable, well-timed, happy, skilful, ingenious.
2. Prosperous, successful, fortunate, lucky, auspicious, propitious.
**Felicity,** *n.* 1. Bliss, blissfulness, blessedness, happiness.
2. Aptness, aptitude, propriety, fitness, suitableness, appropriateness, felicitousness.
3. Success, (good) luck, (good) fortune.
**Fell,** *a.* Cruel, inhuman, barbarous, ruthless, relentless, unrelenting, implacable, pitiless, malignant, malign, malicious, savage, ferocious, sanguinary, bloody, blood-thirsty, Vandalic.
**Fell,** *v. a.* 1. Prostrate, level, hurl down, knock down, lay prostrate, bring to the ground.
2. Cut down, hew down, lay low.
3. Hem (*the lap of a seam*)
**Fellow,** *n.* 1. Companion, associate, comrade.
2. Equal, peer, compeer.
3. Mate, counterpart, match.
4. [*Eng.*] Member (*of a college, participating in its instruction and sharing its revenues*).
**Fellow-countryman,** *n.* Compatriot.
**Fellow-feeling,** *n.* Sympathy, commiseration, compassion, pity.
**Fellowship,** *n.* 1. Brotherhood, companionship, familiarity, intimacy, close acquaintance.
2. Partnership, participation, joint interest.
3. Converse, intercourse, communion.
4. [With *good.*] Sociability, sociableness, affability, kindliness, good company, jolly companionship.
**Felo de se.** [L.] Suicide, self-murderer.
**Felon,** *n.* 1. Culprit, criminal, malefactor, convict, outlaw.
2. Whitlow.
**Felon,** *a.* (*Poetical.*) See FELONIOUS.
**Felonious,** *a.* 1. Malignant, malign, malicious, villanous, nefarious, infamous, heinous, atrocious, cruel, felon.
2. Perfidious, traitorous, base, disloyal.
3. (*Law.*) Deliberately criminal, criminal, with malice prepense.
**Felony,** *n.* Crime (*punishable by death* or *by imprisonment*), high crime, heinous crime, gross offence.
**Female,** *a.* 1. Breeding, bearing, conceiving, offspring-bearing, child-bearing.
2. Pistillate, pistil-bearing, fertile.
3. Of females, belonging to *or* characterizing females.
4. Feminine, delicate, soft, weak, gentle.
**Females,** *n. pl.* Women, woman, female sex, the fair, the fair sex.
**Feme-covert,** / **Femme-covert,** } *n.* [Fr.] Married women.
**Feme-sole,** / **Femme-sole,** } *n.* [Fr.] (*Law.*) Single woman, unmarried woman.
**Feminality,** *n.* Womanhood, femineity, female nature, femininess, feminacy.
**Femineity,** *n.* See FEMINALITY.
**Feminine,** *a.* 1. Soft, tender, delicate, female. See WOMANLY.
2. Effeminate, unmanly, weak.
**Feminity,** / **Femininity,** } *n.* 1. Female quality, femininess.
2. Effeminacy, effeminateness, unmanliness, want of masculine force.
**Femur,** *n.* (*Anat.*) Thigh-bone.
**Fen,** *n.* Marsh, swamp, bog, moor, morass, quagmire.
**Fence,** *n.* 1. Protecting enclosure, — wall, hedge, post-and-rail framing, wire-guard, palings, etc. (*as the case may be*).
2. Shield, guard, security, protection, defence.
3. Fencing, art of self-defence, swordsmanship, sword-play.
4. Defensive argument, skill in refutation.
**Fence,** *v. a.* 1. Enclose with a fence.
2. Guard, fortify, defend.
**Fence,** *v. n.* 1. Practise fencing, use the sword.
2. Shuffle, evade, equivocate, prevaricate, hedge.
**Fencing,** *n.* Manual defence (*with small swords* or *foils*), art of self-defence, swordsmanship, fence.
**Fen-cricket,** *n.* Churr-worm, mole-cricket, fan-cricket (*Gryllotalpa vulgaris*).
**Fend off.** (*Naut.*) Keep off, ward off, keep from collision.
**Fennish,** *a.* See FENNY.
**Fenny,** *a.* Marshy, swampy, boggy, fennish.
**Ferine,** *a.* Wild (*as lions, tigers, etc.*), untamed, ferocious, savage, fierce, ravenous, rapacious.
**Ferment,** *n.* 1. Yeast, leaven, barm.
2. Fermentation, fungic transformation.
3. Agitation, commotion, tumult, heat, glow, fever, state of excitement.
**Ferment,** *v. a.* 1. Set in fermentation, set fermenting, produce fermentation in, transform by means of a ferment.
2. Excite, agitate, heat.
**Ferment,** *v. n.* 1. Work, be in a ferment, undergo fermentation, be fermented.
2. Be excited, be agitated, be on fire.
**Ferocious,** *a.* 1. Untamed (*like a wild beast*), savage, fierce, wild, ravenous, rapacious, ferine.
2. Barbarous, cruel, inhuman, brutal, fell, ruthless, relentless, merciless, pitiless, sanguinary, bloody, Vandalic.
**Ferocity,** *n.* 1. Savageness, fierceness, ferociousness, wildness, rapacity.
2. Barbarity, cruelty, inhumanity.

**Ferret out.** Search out.
**Ferrocyanate,** *n.* (*Chem.*) Ferroprussiate, ferrocyanide.
**Ferrocyanic,** *a.* (*Chem.*) Ferroprussic.
**Ferrocyanide,** *n.* (*Chem.*) Ferroprussiate, ferrocyanate.
**Ferroprussiate,** *n.* (*Chem.*) Ferrocyanate, ferrocyanide.
**Ferroprussic,** *a.* (*Chem.*) Ferrocyanic.
**Fertile,** *a.* 1. Prolific, fecund, breeding, bearing.
2. Fruitful, productive, rich, plenteous, luxuriant, exuberant, teeming.
3. (*Bot.*) Fruit-bearing, pistillate, female.
**Fertility,** *n.* 1. Fecundity, fertileness.
2. Fruitfulness, productiveness, plenteousness, exuberance, luxuriance, abundance, richness.
**Fertilize,** *v. a.* 1. Enrich, make fertile, make fruitful.
2. Fecundate, impregnate, supply with pollen *or* semen.
**Fervency,** *n.* Ardor, zeal. See FERVOR.
**Fervent,** *a.* 1. Hot, glowing, melting, seething.
2. Ardent, earnest, eager, zealous, warm, glowing, animated, impassioned, fervid.
**Fervid,** *a.* 1. Hot, burning, boiling, seething, fiery, fervent.
2. Ardent, earnest, glowing. See FERVENT, 2.
**Fervor,** *n.* 1. Heat, warmth.
2. Ardor, intensity, zeal, earnestness, eagerness, fervency.
**Festal,** *a.* Convivial. See FESTIVE.
**Fester,** *v. n.* 1. Rankle, corrupt, suppurate, ulcerate.
2. Become malignant, grow virulent *or* violent, rankle.
**Fester,** *n.* 1. Pustule, sore, abscess, imposthume, gathering.
2. Festering, rankling.
**Festival,** *n.* Feast, holiday, festive celebration, (joyful) anniversary, day of rejoicing, *fête.*
**Festive,** *a.* Convivial, jovial, joyous, gay, merry, mirthful, festal.
**Festivity,** *n.* Conviviality, gayety, joyousness, joyfulness, merry-making, social joy.
**Festoon,** *n.* Hanging garland, looped garland.
**Festoon,** *v. a.* 1. Loop, loop up, form into festoons.
2. Decorate with festoons, hang with looped garlands.
**Fetch,** *v. a.* 1. Bring (*when one goes for the purpose of bringing*), go and bring.
2. Perform, make, effect.
3. Sell for.
4. (*Naut.*) Reach, attain, arrive at, come to, get to.
**Fetch,** *n.* Trick, artifice, ruse, stratagem, dodge, sharp practice.
**Fetch a compass.** Make a circuit.
**Fête,** *n.* [Fr.] See FESTIVAL.
**Fête,** *v. a.* Feast, honor with an entertainment.
**Fête champêtre.** [Fr.] Rural festival, open-air entertainment, out-door party, picnic.
**Fetich,** *n.* 1. Object of superstition *or* superstitious awe.
2. Object of unreasoning devotion.
**Fetichism,** *n.* 1. Fetich-worship.
2. Superstitious regard, unreasoning devotion.
**Feticide,** *n.* [Written also *Fœticide.*] Criminal abortion.
**Fetid,** *a.* Stinking, offensive, noisome, mephitic, rank, rancid, malodorous, strong-smelling, rank-smelling.
**Fetor,** *n.* Stench, stink, foul odor, offensive odor, strong smell.
**Fetter,** *n.* Shackle (*for the feet*), chain, bond, clog, hamper.
**Fetter,** *v. a.* 1. Shackle (*the feet*), clog, trammel, hamper, put fetters on.
2. Chain, bind, tie, confine, restrain, hamper, trammel, encumber.
**Feud,** *n.* 1. Quarrel, broil, contention, clashing, dissension, jarring, rupture, bickering, falling out.
2. Blood-feud, hereditary enmity, clan-quarrel, family-feud.
3. Fee, fief.
**Feudalism,** *n.* Feudal system.
**Feu de joie.** [Fr.] 1. Bonfire.
2. Firing of guns (*for holiday sport*).
**Fever,** *n.* 1. Febrile affection, febrile disease.
2. Heat, flush, agitation, excitement, ferment.
**Fever-root,** *n.* Fever-wort, bastard ipecacuanha.
**Fever-wort,** *n.* 1. Fever-root, bastard ipecacuanha.
2. Thoroughwort, boneset, ague-weed, Indian sage (*Eupatorium perfoliatum*).
**Few,** *a.* Not many, small in number, hardly any, scarcely any.
**Fewness,** *n.* Paucity, small number.
**Fey,** *a.* [*Scotch.*] Doomed (*unconsciously*), death-doomed, death-smitten, impelled to foretoken one's own doom, death, *or* destruction, possessed by fatal propensities.
**Fiasco,** *n.* [It.] Failure, fizzle, abortive attempt, ignominious failure.
**Fiat,** *n.* Decree, order, ordinance, command.
**Fib,** *n.* (*Colloq. and euphemistic.*) Lie, falsehood, intentional untruth.
**Fib,** *v. n.* (*Colloq. and euphemistic.*) Lie, tell a lie.
**Fibre,** *n.* Filament, thread, staple, pile.
**Fibril,** *n.* Small fibre, slender thread.
**Fibrous,** *a.* Filamentous, stringy.
**Fickle,** *a.* Wavering, inconstant, unsteady, unstable, variable, vacillating, volatile, mercurial, changeable, fitful, irresolute, unsettled, capricious, like a weather-cock.
**Fiction,** *n.* 1. Invention, fancy, fantasy, imagination.
2. Novel, romance, work of fiction, feigned story.
3. Fabrication, figment, invention, fable, falsehood, lie.
4. Fictitious literature.
**Fictitious,** *a.* 1. Feigned, invented, imaginary, fanciful, unreal, purely ideal.
2. False, counterfeit, spurious, supposititious.
**Fiddle,** *n.* Violin.
**Fiddle,** *v. n.* 1. Play on a fiddle.
2. Trifle, dawdle, lose time, waste time, idle away time, fritter away time, fool away time.
**Fiddle-de-dee,** *interj.* Nonsense, stuff, fudge, moonshine.
**Fiddle-faddle,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Nonsense, trifling, frivolity, stuff, twaddle, twattle, prate, gabble, gibberish, gibble-gabble.
**Fiddle-faddle,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Foolish, nonsensical, trifling, frivolous, trivial, idle, fiddling, twattling, prating, gabbling.
**Fiddling,** *a.* Trifling, frivolous, trivial, idle. See FIDDLE-FADDLE, *a.*
**Fidelity,** *n.* 1. Faithfulness, devotedness, devotion, truth, true-heartedness, loyalty, fealty, adherence to duty, observance of good faith.
2. Accuracy, closeness, exactness, faithfulness, precision.
**Fidget,** *v. n.* 1. Move nervously about, twitch, hitch, hitch about.
2. Fret, chafe, worry, be uneasy, be restive, be impatient, worry one's self.
**Fidget,** *n.* Uneasiness, restlessness, impatience, fidgetiness.
**Fidgetiness,** *n.* Uneasiness, restlessness, impatience, fidget.

**Fidgety,** *a.* Uneasy, restless, impatient.
**Fiducial,** *a.* 1. Confident, undoubting, trustful, firm, steadfast, unwavering, fiduciary.
2. Exact, precise, true, accurate, permanently accurate.
**Fiduciary,** *n.* Trustee, depositary.
**Fiduciary,** *a.* 1. Confident, undoubting, trustful, firm, steadfast, unwavering, fiducial.
2. Trusty, trustworthy, reliable.
3. Held in trust, in the nature of a trust.
**Fief,** *n.* Fee, feud.
**Field,** *n.* 1. Tract of land (*for tillage* or *for pasture*).
2. Battle-field, field of battle.
3. Scene of military operations, theatre of war.
4. Surface, expanse, range, scope.
5. Province, department, domain, region, realm.
6. Opportunity, room.
**Fieldfare,** *n.* Gray thrush (*Turdus pilaris*).
**Field-sports,** *n. pl.* Diversions of the field (*hunting, shooting, etc.*).
**Fiend,** *n.* 1. Demon, devil, infernal spirit, malignant supernatural being.
2. Supremely malignant person, demon, devil, monster, utterly malicious being, atrocious being, monster of cruelty *or* malice.
**Fiendish,** *a.* Diabolical, devilish, demoniac, hellish, infernal, malignant, malign, malicious, malevolent, implacable, atrocious, cruel, delighting in cruelty.
**Fierce,** *a.* 1. Savage, ferocious, ravenous, furious, infuriate, barbarous, fell.
2. Violent, vehement, impetuous, turbulent, tearing, uncurbed, untamed, fiery, passionate.
**Fiery,** *a.* 1. Igneous, of fire.
2. Hot, heated, fervid, fervent, glowing, flaming.
3. Ardent, impetuous, vehement, fierce, passionate, impassioned, fervent, fervid, glowing, flaming.
**Fig-eater,** *n.* (*Ornith.*) Becafico, fig-pecker, garden warbler, greater pettychaps (*Sylvia hortensis*).
**Fight,** *v. n.* 1. Combat, war, battle, contend (*in arms*), draw the sword, unsheathe the sword, measure swords, take arms, take up arms, go to war, let slip the dogs of war, try the fortune of arms *or* battle.
2. Do battle, ply one's weapons, contend, struggle, strive.
3. Contend, join battle, give battle, struggle, strive, struggle for victory, engage each other.
4. Come to blows, engage in fisticuffs, fall to blows *or* loggerheads.
5. Contend, contest, struggle, strive, dispute, oppose, wrestle, make resistance, act in opposition.
**Fight,** *v. a.* 1. War against, combat against, contend against, join battle with, break a lance with, come to close quarters with.
2. Carry through (*by fighting*), win, gain, sustain, maintain.
3. Wage, carry on, conduct.
4. Manœuvre, manage (*in battle*), handle, carry through the fight.
**Fight,** *n.* 1. Combat, battle, conflict, contest, struggle, engagement, encounter, action, affair, brush, fray, affray, *mêlée*.
2. Affray, fray, personal encounter, turn at fisticuffs.
3. Broil, riot, *mêlée*, affray, row (*colloq.*).
4. Fighting temper, spirit, resistance, disposition to struggle.
**Fighter,** *n.* Combatant, warrior. See CHAMPION.
**Fighting,** *n.* Contention, strife, quarrel, warfare, warring.
**Figment,** *n.* Invention, fiction, fabrication, fable.
**Fig-pecker,** *n.* (*Ornith.*) See FIG-EATER.
**Figurative,** *a.* 1. Typical, representative, emblematical.
2. Tropical, metaphorical.
3. Flowery, florid, ornate.
**Figure,** *n.* 1. Form, shape, conformation, configuration, outline, *tournure*.
2. Image, likeness, effigy, representation.
3. Appearance (*as respects action* or *conduct*).
4. Distinguished appearance.
5. Design (*on cloth, paper, etc.*), pattern.
6. (*Geom.*) Diagram, drawing.
7. (*Rhet.*) Metaphor, trope, image, metaphorical term *or* expression.
8. (*Com.*) Price.
9. (*Theol.*) Type, emblem, symbol.
10. (*Arith.*) Digit, number, numeral, character.
**Figure,** *v. a.* 1. Adorn (*with figures*), diversify, variegate.
2. Represent, symbolize, signify, typify, be typical of, shadow forth.
3. Imagine, image, conceive, picture, represent, have an idea of.
4. Make a drawing of, make a representation of.
5. Calculate, compute, cipher.
**Figure,** *v. n.* 1. Appear, act, perform, take *or* sustain the part of.
2. Make a figure, make a distinguished appearance, be distinguished, be conspicuous.
3. Show off, cut a dash, make a great show, cut a figure.
**Figure up.** (*Colloq.*) 1. Add, sum up, find the amount of.
2. Calculate, reckon, compute.
**Figwort,** *n.* Scrophularia.
**Filago,** *n.* Cudweed.
**Filament,** *n.* 1. Fibre, thread.
2. (*Bot.*) Tendril, cirrus, fibril.
**Filamentous,** *a.* 1. Filiform, thread-shaped, fibrillous.
2. Consisting of filaments, fibrous.
**Filch,** *v. a.* Pilfer, purloin, steal, crib.
**File,** *n.* 1. Toothed *or* threaded tool, rasp.
2. (*Mil.*) Row (*of soldiers ranged one behind another*).
3. Bundle of papers.
**File,** *v. a.* 1. Rasp, rub down with a file, smooth *or* finish with a file.
2. Place on file.
3. Smooth, polish.
**File,** *v. n.* March in a file.
**File-leader,** *n.* Fugleman, flugelman, leader, director, coryphæus.
**Filibuster,** *n.* 1. Pirate, freebooter, buccaneer, sea-robber, sea-rover.
2. [*Recent.*] Lawless adventurer.
**Filiciform,** *a.* Fern-shaped.
**Filicoid,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Fern-like.
**Filiform,** *a.* Filamentous, thread-shaped, long and slender.
**Fill,** *v. a.* 1. Make full, fill up.
2. Pervade, occupy, occupy completely.
3. Dilate, expand, stretch, distend.
4. Store, supply, furnish, replenish, stock.
5. Satisfy, content, sate, glut, satiate, cloy, pall.
6. Supply with an incumbent.
7. Occupy (*as a place of trust*), hold, fulfil, perform the duties of, officiate in.
**Fill,** *v. n.* 1. Fill a glass *or* cup.
2. Become full, be filled, fill up.
**Fill,** *n.* Full supply.
**Fillet,** *n.* Band, bandage.
**Fillibeg,** *n.* [Written also *Phillibeg*.] Kilt.

**Fill out.** Extend *or* enlarge (*to the full size* or *limit*).
**Fill up.** (*Active.*) I. Fill, make full.
2. Occupy, employ, use.
**Fill up.** (*Neuter.*) Become full, be filled, be filled up.
**Filly,** *n.* I. Female colt, mare foal.
2. Young mare.
3. Wanton girl, wayward piece.
**Film,** *n.* I. Pellicle, thin skin *or* coating.
2. Thread, fine thread, cobweb thread.
**Filter,** *v. a.* Strain, pass through a strainer *or* filter.
**Filter,** *v. n.* Percolate, transude, exude, strain, ooze.
**Filter,** *n.* Strainer.
**Filth,** *n.* I. Dirt, nastiness, foul matter.
2. Grossness, foulness, corruption, pollution, impurity, nastiness, defilement, uncleanness.
**Filthy,** *a.* I. Dirty, nasty, foul, defiled, unclean, squalid.
2. Impure, gross, corrupt, unclean, foul.
**Filtration,** *n.* Filtering, straining.
**Fimbriate,** / **Fimbriated,** } *a.* Fringed.
**Final,** *a.* I. Last, latest, ultimate, eventual.
2. Decisive, conclusive, definitive.
**Final cause.** End, aim, object, purpose, design, intent, intention.
**Finale,** *n.* [It.] End, termination, conclusion, closing part (*primarily and strictly, of an opera* or *a concert*).
**Finality,** *n.* I. Completeness, conclusiveness, definitiveness, final character.
2. Final settlement, final arrangement.
3. (*Philos.*) Teleology, doctrine of purpose, theory of final causes.
**Finally,** *ad.* I. Lastly, in conclusion.
2. Ultimately, eventually, in the end, at last, in the long run.
3. For good, for good and all, once for all, as the final move.
**Finance,** *n.* I. Monetary theory, science *or* art of monetary relations, theory of revenue *or* fiscal relations.
2. Revenue, money, money matters.
**Finances,** *n. pl.* I. Revenues, public funds, public resources, treasury, fiscal resources.
2. (*Colloq.*) Income, money matters, resources, property, affairs (*of a private person*).
**Financial,** *a.* Monetary, pecuniary, fiscal.
**Financialist,** *n.* See FINANCIER.
**Financier,** *n.* Financialist, adept in matters of finance, manager of revenue.
**Find,** *v. a.* I. Discover, fall upon, light upon, meet with, fall in with.
2. Obtain, get, procure, gain, arrive at, attain to.
3. Observe, remark, notice, perceive, discover.
4. Detect, catch.
5. Supply, furnish, contribute, provide.
6. Supply with food.
7. (*Law.*) Determine judicially, declare by verdict.
**Find,** *v. n.* (*Law.*) Declare a verdict, determine an issue, decide.
**Find,** *n.* Discovery.
**Find fault.** Complain, grumble.
**Find fault with.** Blame, censure, criticise, reprove.
**Find in.** Provide with, supply with.
**Finding,** *n.* I. Discovery.
2. (*Law.*) Verdict.
**Findings,** *n. pl.* Tools and materials (*especially of shoemakers*).
**Finding-store,** *n.* [*U. S.*] Grindery-warehouse.
**Find one's self.** Be, do, fare (*as to health*).
**Find out.** I. Discover, detect, bring to light.
2. Ascertain, decipher, solve, unriddle, make out, get at.
**Fine,** *a.* I. Minute, small, little, comminuted.
2. Slender, delicate, capillary.
3. Light, of delicate material, of fine texture.
4. Keen, sharp.
5. Thin, subtile, tenuous, attenuated.
6. Exquisite, nice, refined.
7. Excellent, superior, very good.
8. Brilliant, accomplished.
9. Beautiful, handsome, splendid, elegant.
10. Clear, pure, unadulterated.
11. [*As a term of slight contempt.*] Showy, garish, gay, flashy, airy, sparkish, stilted.
**Fine,** *n.* Mulct, amercement, forfeit, forfeiture, pecuniary penalty.
**Fine,** *v. a.* I. Defecate, purify, refine.
2. Amerce, mulct, impose a fine upon, punish by a fine.
**Finery,** *n.* Gewgaws, trinkets, ornaments, decorations, trimmings, fine things, showy dress, tinsel trappings.
**Finesse,** *n.* Artifice, strategy, stratagems, ruses, manœuvring, wiles, cunning, craft.
**Finesse,** *v. n.* Use stratagem, practise tricks, employ artifice, manœuvre.
**Finger,** *v. a.* I. Handle, touch.
2. Play on (*an instrument*).
**Finger,** *v. n.* Use the fingers (*in playing on an instrument*).
**Fingered,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Digitate.
**Finger-post,** *n.* Guide-post.
**Finical,** *a.* Fastidious, squeamish, dainty, over-particular, over-nice, nice over-much, affectedly elegant.
**Finish,** *v. a.* I. Accomplish, complete, execute, perform, achieve, do, get done.
2. Perfect, polish, elaborate, make perfect.
3. End, terminate, close, conclude, bring to an end, put an end to.
**Finish,** *n.* I. Polish, elaboration.
2. Polishing, last *or* final touch *or* touches.
3. End, close, termination, wind-up.
**Finished,** *a.* I. Completed, complete, perfect.
2. Polished, perfected, elegant, highly wrought.
3. Experienced, practised, qualified, accomplished, thorough-bred, able, proficient.
**Finite,** *a.* Bounded, limited, contracted, terminable, conditioned.
**Finlander,** *n.* Finn.
**Finn,** *n.* Finlander.
**Fire,** *n.* I. Combustion, intense heat.
2. Burning fuel, burning of fuel, heap of burning fuel.
3. Conflagration.
4. Firing, discharge of fire-arms, discharges.
5. Heat, ardor, fervor, impetuosity, violence, force, passion, fervency, intensity, animation, spirit, vigor, enthusiasm.
6. (*Poetical.*) Light, lustre, radiance, splendor.
7. Vivacity, inspiration, imagination, imaginativeness, force of sentiment.
8. Torture *or* death by fire, the stake.
9. Torture, trouble, affliction, persecution, bitter trial.
**Fire,** *v. a.* I. Kindle, set on fire.
2. Animate, excite, inspirit, invigorate, kindle, rouse, inflame, stir up.
3. Discharge, fire off.
**Fire,** *v. n.* I. Take fire, be kindled.
2. Fire up, be angered *or* irritated, show irritation.
3. Be roused, excited, kindled, inflamed (*with passion*).

4. Discharge a gun, discharge fire-arms.
**Fire-arm,** *n.* Gun, pistol, musket, rifle, etc.
**Firebrand,** *n.* 1. Brand.
2. Incendiary, agitator.
**Fire-cracker,** *n.* Cracker.
**Fire-damp,** *n.* Carburetted hydrogen (*in coal-mines*).
**Fire-dog,** *n.* Andiron, dog.
**Fire-eater,** *n.* 1. Duellist, fighting character, quarrelsome brawler.
2. Blusterer, swaggerer, vaporer, Hector, Hotspur, mock hero.
**Firefly,** *n.* 1. Elater (*of South America*).
2. Glow-worm (*Lampyris noctiluca*).
**Fire-new,** *a.* Bran-new, quite new, spick-and-span new, span-new.
**Fire off.** Discharge, fire.
**Fire-place,** *n.* Hearth.
**Fireproof,** *a.* Incombustible.
**Fireside,** *n.* 1. Hearth, chimney-corner, place near the fire.
2. Home, domestic life.
**Fireside,** *a.* Domestic.
**Fire up.** 1. Kindle the fire.
2. Fire, be angered *or* irritated, show irritation, bridle, bridle up, bristle, bristle up, get angry, fly into a passion. See FLARE UP.
**Fire-worship,** *n.* Mazdeism, Zoroastrianism, Magianism, Parseeism, Dualism.
**Fire-worshipper,** *n.* Mazdean, Dualist, Parsee, Guebre, Zoroastrian, Magian.
**Firing,** *n.* 1. Kindling, setting on fire.
2. Discharge (*of guns*), firing off.
3. Fuel, something to burn.
4. Cautery.
**Firm,** *a.* 1. Compact, compressed, solid, dense, hard, not soft, not fluid.
2. Fixed, fast, rooted, established, settled, confirmed, stable, secure, immovable.
3. Steady, steadfast, unshaken, resolute, stanch, constant.
4. Strong, robust, sinewy, sturdy.
**Firm,** *n.* Concern, house, company, partnership.
**Firmament,** *n.* Sky, the heavens, the welkin, canopy of heaven, celestial expanse, the blue vault, the azure.
**Firmness,** *n.* 1. Solidity, compactness, hardness.
2. Stability, strength.
3. Constancy, steadfastness, steadiness.
**First,** *a.* 1. Foremost, leading.
2. Chief, highest, principal, capital.
3. Earliest.
4. Primary, elementary, rudimentary.
5. Primitive, primeval, pristine.
**First,** *ad.* In the first place, at the outset, in the beginning, first and foremost, before anything else.
**First-born,** *a.* Eldest.
**First-born,** *n.* Eldest child.
**First-class,** *a.* (*Colloq. for* FIRST-RATE, *which see.*)
**First cousin.** Cousin-german.
**First or last.** At one time or another, sooner or later, at some time.
**First-rate,** *n.* Ship of the first class, three-decker.
**First-rate,** *a.* Of the first class, of the highest order, of the best sort, of the highest grade, first-class (*colloq.*).
**Fiscal,** *a.* Financial.
**Fish,** *v. n.* 1. Angle, bob, try to catch fish.
2. [With *for.*] Angle, seek by indirection, endeavor to call out, hint after, seek by artifice.
**Fish,** *v. a.* 1. Angle, try to take in.
2. Grapple, catch, draw up.
3. Rake, drag, search by dragging *or* raking.
4. Splice, mend *or* strengthen with a splint.
**Fisher,** *n.* 1. Fisherman, angler.
2. Pecan, wood-shock (*Mustela Canadensis*).
**Fisherman,** *n.* Fisher, angler.
**Fish for.** Angle for, try to get (*by artifice*), hint at indirectly.
**Fish-glue,** *n.* Isinglass, icthyocol, ichthyocolla, carlock (*Russian isinglass*).
**Fish-hawk,** } *n.* Osprey, fishing-eagle, bald
**Fishing-hawk,** } buzzard (*Falco* or *Pandion haliaëtos*).
**Fishing-eagle,** *n.* See FISH-HAWK.
**Fishing-frog,** *n.* Angler, frog-fish, toad-fish, sea-devil (*Lophius piscatorius*).
**Fish in the air.** Beat the air, make vain efforts, try in vain, lash the waves.
**Fish-soup,** *n.* Chowder.
**Fissure,** *n.* Cleft, crevice, chink, crack, cranny, break, breach, gap, interstice, opening, chasm, rift, fracture.
**Fist,** *n.* Clenched hand.
**Fisticuffs,** *n.* Blows, encounter with the fists, personal encounter, fist fight.
**Fistular,** } *a.* Hollow, pipe-like, fistulose.
**Fistulous,** }
**Fit,** *n.* 1. Paroxysm, spasm, sudden *or* violent attack, stroke of disease.
2. Humor, whim, fancy, temporary affection.
3. Interval, turn, period, spell.
**Fit,** *a.* 1. Qualified, competent, fitted.
2. Suitable, appropriate, apt, apposite, meet, seemly, becoming, fitting, befitting, proper, convenient, good.
**Fit,** *v. a.* 1. Suit, adapt, adjust, make suitable.
2. Become, be adapted to, be suitable for, be becoming to.
3. Accommodate, provide, qualify, equip, prepare, get ready.
**Fit,** *v. n.* 1. Be proper, be becoming.
2. Be suited, be adapted.
**Fitchew,** *n.* Fitchet, fitch, fitchee, fitchele fitchuk, pole-cat, foumart (*Mustela putorius*).
**Fitful,** *a.* 1. Variable, irregular, spasmodic, impulsive, unstable, fickle, whimsical, fanciful capricious, fantastic, humorsome, odd.
2. Eventful, checkered, full of vicissitude.
**Fitfully,** *ad.* 1. Irregularly, capriciously, in a fitful manner.
2. At intervals, by fits, by starts, by turns, intermittently, flickeringly.
**Fitness,** *n.* 1. Suitableness, adaptation, aptness, aptitude, appropriateness, pertinence, propriety.
2. Qualification, preparation.
**Fit out.** Equip, furnish, supply with necessaries.
**Fit up.** Prepare, make ready.
**Fix,** *v. a.* 1. Set, place, establish, plant, fasten, make firm *or* stable.
2. Attach, tie, connect, fasten, make fast.
3. Determine, define, limit, appoint, settle.
4. Direct steadily, rivet, fasten.
5. Solidify, consolidate.
**Fix,** *v. n.* 1. Rest, remain, abide, settle, become permanent.
2. Solidify, congeal, stiffen, grow firm, cease to be fluid *or* volatile.
**Fix,** *n.* Predicament, dilemma, plight, pickle (*colloq.*).
**Fixation,** *n.* 1. Fixing.
2. Fixedness, fixity, fixure, firmness, stability.
**Fix on.** } Settle on, determine upon, decide up-
**Fix upon.** } on, select, choose.
**Fizz,** *v. n.* See FIZZLE.
**Fizzle,** *v. n.* 1. Hiss, make a hissing noise, fizz.
2. (*Colloq.*) Fail, make a failure of it, fizzle out.
**Fizzle,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Failure, fiasco, abortive attempt.

**Fizzle out.** Fail. See FIZZLE.
**Flabbergasted,** *a.* (*Colloq. and humorous.*) Confounded, confused, abashed, ashamed, disconcerted, nonplussed, dumfounded (*colloq.*), taken aback, thrown off one's balance.
**Flabby,** *a.* Soft, yielding, inelastic, limp. See FLACCID.
**Flaccid,** *a.* Soft, limber, limp, flabby, yielding, lax, drooping, relaxed, inelastic, hanging loose, pendulous.
**Flaccidity,** } *n.* Limberness, softness, laxity,
**Flaccidness,** } limpness, relaxed condition, flabbiness, looseness.
**Flag,** *v. n.* 1. Hang loose, droop.
2. Languish, droop, faint, decline, pine, sink, succumb, become weak, grow languid, lose vigor, become dejected.
3. Pall, grow stale, become vapid, lose interest.
**Flag,** *n.* 1. Flag-stone, flat paving stone.
2. Banner, streamer, colors, standard, pennon, pennant, ensign, gonfalon.
3. Iris, flower-de-luce, flower-de-lis (*Iris pseudacorus*).
**Flagellate,** *v. a.* Whip, scourge, castigate, flog, thrash, beat, cudgel, drub.
**Flagellation,** *n.* Whipping, scourging, castigation, beating, flogging, thrashing, drubbing.
**Flagitious,** *a.* Atrocious, heinous, villanous, infamous, scandalous, nefarious, flagrant, profligate, corrupt, abandoned, enormously wicked.
**Flagrancy,** *n.* Notoriety, enormity.
**Flagrant,** *a.* 1. Flaming, glowing, burning, raging.
2. Notorious, crying, glaring, enormous, flagitious.
**Flag-stone,** *n.* Flag, flat paving stone.
**Flake,** *n.* Scale, lamina, layer.
**Flake,** *v. n.* Scale, scale off, come off in flakes.
**Flambeau,** *n.* Torch.
**Flame,** *n.* 1. Blaze, burning vapor.
2. Fire.
3. Ardor, fervor, fervency, warmth, enthusiasm.
4. (*Colloq.*) Love, sweetheart.
**Flame,** *v. n.* 1. Blaze.
2. Glow, burn, warm, be fervid *or* fervent, thrill, be enthusiastic.
**Flaming,** *a.* 1. Blazing.
2. Bright red, of a bright color.
3. Violent, vehement, exciting, intense, glowing, burning, bursting.
**Flank,** *n.* Side.
**Flank,** *v. a.* 1. (*Mil.*) Attack on the side, approach on the side, turn the flank of.
2. Secure on the side.
3. Border (upon), stand at the side of, lie along, shut in at the side.
**Flank,** *v. n.* 1. [With *upon.*] Border, touch, lie, have the side.
2. Be posted on the side.
**Flap,** *n.* 1. Hanging fold.
2. Flapping, swinging, pendulous motion.
3. Flapping stroke, slap.
**Flap,** *v. a.* Wave about, shake, beat, vibrate, flutter.
**Flap,** *v. n.* 1. Wave, vibrate, move in folds, flutter noisily.
2. Fall.
**Flap-dragon,** *n.* Snap-dragon (*a game*).
**Flare,** *v. n.* 1. Waver, flicker, flutter, stream broadly sideways, blaze unsteadily.
2. Glare, dazzle, shine forth suddenly, flame, blaze.
3. Widen, widen out, spread outward, flue, splay.
**Flare,** *n.* Glare, unsteady light.
**Flare up.** Fly into a passion, get angry, fire up, lose one's temper, boil over with rage.
**Flash,** *n.* 1. Momentary blaze, sudden burst of light, gleam, glare.
2. Instant, moment, twinkling, twinkling of an eye.
3. Slang (*of thieves and gypsies*), cant language.
**Flash,** *v. n.* 1. Emit a sudden light.
2. Break (forth) suddenly.
**Flashy,** *a.* 1. Showy, ostentatious, flaunting, gawdy, tawdry, pretentious, tinsel, glittering but superficial.
2. Insipid, tasteless, mawkish, flat, vapid, stale.
**Flat,** *a.* 1. Level, horizontal, champaign (*said of an extent of land*).
2. Even, plane, smooth, without prominences.
3. Low, prostrate, level with the ground, laid low.
4. Dull, lifeless, spiritless, unanimated, frigid, tame, prosaic, uninteresting, pointless.
5. Vapid, tasteless, insipid, stale, dead, flashy, mawkish.
6. Peremptory, absolute, positive, downright.
7. (*Mus.*) Below true pitch.
8. (*Mus.*) Lower by a semitone, a semitone lower.
**Flat,** *n.* 1. Shoal, shallow, strand, bar, sandbank.
2. Plain, lowland, level piece of country, champaign.
3. (*Colloq.*) Simpleton, ninny. See DUNCE.
4. Floor, story, apartment.
**Flat-iron,** *n.* Sad-iron, smoothing iron.
**Flatten,** *v. a.* Make flat (*in all the senses of the adjective; which see*).
**Flatten,** *v. n.* Become flat (*in all the senses of the adjective; which see*).
**Flatter,** *v. a.* 1. Compliment, gratify by praise.
2. Cajole, wheedle, blandish, humor, coax, court, coddle, pay court to, fawn upon, curry favor with, try to win by adulation, make much of.
3. Encourage by plausible representations, inspire with false hopes.
**Flatterer,** *n.* Sycophant, fawner, parasite, wheedler, toady, flunky, spaniel, lick-spittle, pick-thank, toad-eater.
**Flattery,** *n.* 1. Pretended compliment, insincere commendation, false praise.
2. Obsequiousness, sycophancy, servility, cajolery, fawning, adulation, blandishment, blarney.
**Flatulence,** } *n.* Windiness (*in the bowels*).
**Flatulency,** }
**Flatulent,** *a.* Windy.
**Flaunt,** *v. n.* Flutter, make a show, make a parade, cut a dash, be ostentatious.
**Flaunt,** *v. a.* 1. Wave ostentatiously, brazenly, insolently, *or* boldly.
2. Display with effrontery, toss, flourish, disport, vaunt, boast.
**Flaunting,** *a.* Ostentatious, showy, flashy, garish, tawdry, gaudy.
**Flavor,** *n.* 1. Taste, savor, relish, zest, smack, gust, gusto.
2. (*Unusual.*) Aroma, perfume, fragrance, odor.
3. Subtle quality, essence, spirit, soul, aroma.
**Flaw,** *n.* 1. Break, crack, breach, cleft, fissure, rift, fracture, rent.
2. Blemish, spot, speck, fleck, fault, defect, imperfection.
3. (*Naut.*) Gust of wind.
**Flawless,** *a.* Perfect, without a flaw, without a break.

**Flawy,** *a.* 1. Faulty, defective, full of flaws *or* cracks.
2. Gusty.
**Flax-comb,** *n.* Hatchel, hackle, heckle.
**Flaxseed,** *n.* Linseed.
**Flay,** *v. a.* Skin, excoriate, strip the skin from.
**Fleck,** *v. a.* Spot, streak, dapple, speckle, variegate.
**Flecked,** *a.* Spotted, streaked, striped, dappled, mottled, variegated, piebald.
**Fledgling,** *n.* Young bird.
**Flee,** *v. n.* Fly, run, decamp, escape, abscond, hasten away, run away, make off, turn tail, cut and run.
**Fleece,** *v. a.* 1. Clip, shear, deprive of fleece.
2. Strip, rob, plunder, despoil, rifle, steal from.
3. Supply with fleece.
4. Cover fleecily, shroud softly, wrap in misty clouds, fold in snow.
**Fleecy,** *a.* 1. Woolly.
2. Fleece-like.
**Fleer,** *n.* and *v. n.* Gibe, scoff, mock, jeer.
**Fleet,** *n.* 1. Flotilla, squadron, navy, armada, company of ships.
2. Arm of the sea, inlet, creek, cove.
**Fleet,** *a.* Swift, rapid, quick, nimble.
**Fleeting,** *a.* Transitory, transient, ephemeral, temporary, passing, evanescent, fugitive, flitting, flying, brief, short-lived, here to-day and gone to-morrow.
**Fleetness,** *n.* Swiftness, quickness, rapidity, celerity, velocity, speed, nimbleness.
**Flesh,** *n.* 1. Muscle and fat (*of animal bodies*).
2. Meat, animal food.
3. Pulp, edible part (*of fruit*).
4. Body (*as opposed to spirit*), flesh and blood, natural man (*as opposed to the spiritual*).
5. Carnality, sensual appetites, bodily desires.
6. Kindred, stock, race.
7. Mankind, man, the world.
**Flesh and blood.** 1. Body, human system, corporeal nature.
2. Kindred, blood-kindred (*especially one's offspring*).
**Flesh-color,** *n.* Carnation.
**Flesh-eating,** *a.* Carnivorous.
**Fleshiness,** *n.* Fatness, plumpness, corpulence, corpulency, *embonpoint*, obesity.
**Fleshly,** *a.* 1. Human, of flesh.
2. Carnal, sensual, lustful, lascivious, lecherous.
**Fleshy,** *a.* Fat, plump, corpulent, obese.
**Fleur-de-lis,** *n.* [Fr.] Yellow flag (*Iris pseudacorus*), flower-de-luce, flower-de-lis, iris.
**Flexibility,** *n.* 1. Pliancy, pliability, flexibleness, limberness, litheness, suppleness.
2. Compliance, yielding disposition, ductility, complaisance, pliancy, affability, tractableness, easy temper.
**Flexible,** *a.* 1. Pliable, pliant, limber, lithe, supple, easily bent, flexile.
2. Tractable, pliant, pliable, yielding, complaisant, compliant, affable, gentle, ductile, docile.
**Flexibleness,** *n.* Pliancy. See FLEXIBILITY.
**Flexile,** *a.* Pliable. See FLEXIBLE.
**Flexuous,** *a.* Winding, bending, tortuous, sinuous, sinuate, crooked, serpentine.
**Flexure,** *n.* 1. Bending, curving, incurvating, incurvation.
2. Bend, crook, turn, fold, winding, incurvation, curvature.
3. Curvature, mode of bending, rate of incurvation.
**Flibbertigibbet,** *n.* Imp, sprite, demon, malignant spirit, little devil.
**Flicker,** *v. n.* 1. Flutter.
2. Fluctuate, waver, float, flutter, flare.
**Flickermouse,** *n.*, Bat, flindermouse, flittermouse.
**Flight,** *n.* 1. Flying, soaring, mounting, volitation.
2. Fleeing, hasty departure, flying.
3. Flock (*of birds*).
4. Volley, shower.
**Flighty,** *a.* Giddy, wild, volatile, mercurial, frivolous, capricious, fickle, whimsical, unbalanced, light-headed, without ballast.
**Flimsy,** *a.* 1. Slight, thin, unsubstantial, of frail texture.
2. Weak, feeble, trivial, frivolous, foolish, trifling, light, puerile, shallow, superficial, trashy.
**Flinch,** *v. n.* Shrink, withdraw, retreat, swerve, wince, draw back, hold back.
**Flindermouse,** *n.* Bat, flittermouse, flickermouse.
**Flinders,** *n. pl.* Splinters, fragments.
**Fling,** *v. a.* 1. Throw, cast, hurl, toss, dart, pitch, flirt, chuck, shy.
2. Prostrate, overthrow, throw to the ground, throw down.
**Fling,** *v. n.* 1. Flounce, wince, fly into violent motions.
2. Start *or* rush angrily, flounce.
3. Jeer, sneer, gibe, flout, upbraid.
**Fling,** *n.* 1. Throw, cast, toss.
2. Jeer, gibe, flout, scoff, sneer, taunt.
**Fling away.** Reject, discard, throw away.
**Fling open.** Throw open, open suddenly.
**Fling up.** Relinquish, abandon.
**Flippancy,** *n.* 1. Volubility, fluency.
2. Pertness, inconsiderate glibness, unscrupulous smartness, superficial assurance.
**Flippant,** *a.* 1. Voluble, fluent, glib, talkative, nimble of speech, of ready utterance.
2. Pert, impertinent, malapert, forward, bold, inconsiderately glib, unscrupulously pert.
**Flirt,** *v. a.* 1. Throw (*with a jerk*), toss, fling, pitch, hurl, chuck, shy.
2. Twirl, flutter, whirl, whisk.
**Flirt,** *v. n.* Coquet, philander, make love, make a show of love, affect to be in love, play at courtship.
**Flirt,** *n.* 1. Coquette, jilt.
2. Jerk, sudden fling.
**Flirtation,** *n.* Coquetry, affectation of love.
**Flit,** *v. n.* Fly rapidly, dart along.
**Flitter,** *n.* Rag, tatter, fritter, shred.
**Flittermouse,** *n.* Bat, flindermouse, flickermouse.
**Flitting,** *a.* Fleeting, evanescent, transient, transitory, passing, fugitive, ephemeral.
**Float,** *v. n.* Swim, waft, be buoyed up.
**Float,** *v. a.* Buoy up, bear up, keep afloat, bear on the surface.
**Float,** *n.* 1. Raft, floating mass.
2. Buoy.
3. Float-board.
**Float-board,** *n.* Float.
**Floccillation,** *n.* (*Med.*) Carphology, tilmus.
**Flock,** *n.* 1. Collection (*of sheep, etc.*), company.
2. Congregation.
3. Lock of wool.
4. Cotton and woollen refuse.
**Flock,** *v. n.* Congregate, herd, gather in crowds.
**Flog,** *v. a.* Beat, lash, whip, thrash, drub, scourge, flagellate, castigate, chastise.
**Flood,** *n.* 1. Inundation, deluge, overflow, freshet.
2. Great flow, rush, downrush, multitude.
**Flood,** *v. a.* Overflow, inundate, deluge, flow.
**Flood-gate,** *n.* Sluice-gate.
**Flood-mark,** *n.* High-water mark.
**Floor,** *v. a.* 1. Cover with a floor, put a floor on.
2. Overthrow, prostrate, bring to the floor, knock down.
3. Prevail over (*in argument*), pose, nonplus, get the better of.

**Flora,** *n.* Plants (*of a country*), vegetation, vegetable life.
**Floret,** *n.* Floweret, little flower.
**Floriculture,** *n.* Cultivation of flowers.
**Floriculturist,** *n.* Florist.
**Florid,** *a.* 1. (*Poetical.*) Flowery.
2. Rubicund, flushed, of a bright red color.
3. Ornate, rhetorical, figurative, highly embellished.
**Florist,** *n.* Floriculturist.
**Flotsam,** } *n.* Floating wreckage.
**Flotson,** }
**Flounce,** *v. n.* 1. Fling, wince, fly into violent motions (*as an animal in a passion*). See FLING, *v. n.*
2. Toss about. See FLOUNDER.
**Flounce,** *n.* 1. Jerk, spring.
2. Frill (*on a gown, etc.*), furbelow.
**Flounder,** *v. n.* Struggle (*as an animal in the mire*), toss, tumble, wallow, flounce, toss about.
**Flounder,** *n.* Flowk, fluke, turbot (*Pleuronectes* or *Platessa flesus*).
**Flour-box,** *n.* Dredging-box, dredge-box, flour-dredge.
**Flour-dredge,** *n.* Dredging-box, flour-box, dredge-box.
**Flourish,** *v. n.* 1. Thrive, grow.
2. Prosper, succeed, be successful, go on well.
3. Boast, brag, vaunt, vapor, gasconade, bluster, make a show, be ostentatious, show off, cut a dash, make a flourish.
4. Attain one's prime, be at the height of one's powers, be in vigor, exercise one's full powers.
**Flourish,** *v. a.* Brandish, wave.
**Flourish,** *n.* 1. Ostentation, parade, show, display, dash.
2. Bombast, grandiloquence, altiloquence, fustian, flowery speech, high-sounding words.
3. Fanciful strokes (*of a pen, etc.*).
**Flout,** *v. a.* Insult, mock, jeer, gibe, fleer, deride, taunt, chaff, scoff at, sneer at, treat with contempt.
**Flout,** *v. n.* Sneer, jeer, gibe, scoff, fleer, fling, be contemptuous.
**Flout,** *n.* Insult, mocking, mockery, mock, sneer, jeer, gibe, fling, scoffing, scoff, taunt.
**Flow,** *v. n.* 1. Stream, run, pour, roll on, sweep along.
2. Melt, liquefy, be molten, deliquesce.
3. Issue, emanate, proceed, come, grow, arise, follow, spring, result, be derived.
4. Glide, move along easily *or* smoothly.
5. Wave, float, undulate, waver, hang loosely.
6. Abound, be full, be copious.
**Flow,** *v. a.* 1. Flood, inundate, deluge, overflow, cover with water.
2. Cause to flow (*as varnish* or *paint*).
**Flow,** *n.* 1. Stream, current, flux, flood.
2. Abundance, copiousness.
**Flower,** *n.* 1. Blossom, bloom.
2. Best part, finest part.
3. Prime, early vigor.
4. Figure, figure of speech, ornamental expression.
**Flower,** *v. n.* Blossom, bloom, be in flower, put forth flowers.
**Flower-cup,** *n.* Calyx.
**Flower-de-luce,** *n.* Fleur-de-lis, flower-de-lis, yellow flag (*Iris pseudacorus*), iris.
**Floweret,** *n.* Floret, little flower.
**Flowers of sulphur.** Sublimed sulphur.
**Flowery,** *a.* 1. Bloomy, full of flowers (*poetical*), florid.
2. Ornate, figurative, florid.
**Flowing,** *a.* 1. Running.
2. Fluent, copious, smooth.
**Flowk,** *n.* Fluke, flounder, turbot (*Platessa flesus* or *maximus*).
**Fluctuate,** *v. n.* 1. Oscillate, undulate, wave, be unsteady, rise and fall, roll hither and thither, move to and fro, move up and down.
2. Vary, change, rise and fall.
3. Waver, vacillate, be irresolute *or* inconstant *or* unsettled.
**Fluctuation,** *n.* 1. Oscillation, undulation, rolling, unsteadiness, rising and falling.
2. Variation, change, shifting, rise and fall.
3. Wavering, inconstancy, vacillation, hesitation.
**Flue,** *n.* 1. Smoke-vent.
2. Heat-pipe, heating-tube (*in a boiler*).
3. Flew, fluff, nap, soft down, downy fur, flossy hair.
**Flue,** *v. n.* Flare, splay, spread outward, expand.
**Fluency,** *n.* 1. Smoothness, flowing quality, liquidness.
2. Copiousness, affluence, readiness of speech, ready utterance, command of language, facility of expression, gift of the gab (*colloq.*).
**Fluent,** *a.* 1. Flowing, gliding, liquid, current.
2. Smooth.
3. Copious, affluent, ready (*in speech*).
**Fluff,** *n.* Nap, down, flue, flew, downy fur, flossy hair.
**Fluffy,** *a.* Nappy, downy, flossy.
**Flugelman,** *n.* File-leader, leader, director, fugleman.
**Fluid,** *a.* Liquid and gaseous, liquid *or* gaseous (*as the case may be*).
**Fluid,** *n.* Liquid, liquor; gas, vapor.
**Fluke,** *n.* 1. Anchor-fluke, grappling-flap.
2. Tail-flap (*of a whale*).
3. Flounder, turbot, flowk (*Platessa flesus* or *maximus*).
4. Lucky stroke, stroke of luck (*primarily, at billiards*).
5. Fluke-worm, liver-worm, gourd-worm (*Distoma hepaticum*).
**Fluke-worm,** *n.* Fluke, gourd-worm, liver-worm (*Distoma hepaticum*).
**Flume,** *n.* Chute, race, mill-race, channel.
**Flummery,** *n.* 1. Sowens, sowins *or* sowans, porridge (*made of the dust of oatmeal*).
2. Trash, frivolity, chaff, moonshine, trifling, froth, frippery, empty nonsense.
3. Flattery, adulation, blandishment, blarney, empty compliment.
**Flunkey,** *n.* [Written also *Flunky.*] 1. Lackey, livery-servant.
2. Mean fellow, mean-spirited person, obsequious person, toady, snob, tuft-hunter.
3. (*Colloq., U. S.*) Dupe (*in buying stocks*).
**Fluor-spar,** *n.* Derbyshire spar, fluoride of calcium.
**Flurry,** *n.* 1. Flaw, squall, gust of wind.
2. Agitation, hurry, bustle, confusion, commotion, perturbation, disturbance, flutter, ruffle, hurry-skurry.
**Flurry,** *v. a.* Excite, agitate, confuse, disconcert, disturb, perturb, fluster, hurry.
**Flush,** *v. n.* 1. Flow *or* rush suddenly, spread suddenly, start forth.
2. Glow, redden.
**Flush,** *v. a.* 1. Redden, color, cause to glow.
2. Animate, elevate, elate, excite, erect, make proud.
3. Drench, flood, cleanse by flooding.
**Flush,** *a.* 1. Glowing, bright, fresh, vigorous.
2. Prolific, exuberant, fecund, fertile, prodigal, lavish.
3. Level, even, plane, flat.
**Flush,** *n.* 1. Redness, ruddiness, rosiness, glow, bloom, blush.
2. Sudden impulse, thrill, shock.
**Fluster,** *v. a.* 1. Excite, heat.

2. Hurry, agitate, perturb, disturb, flurry, ruffle.
3. Confuse, disconcert, discompose, flurry, confound, throw off one's balance.

**Fluster,** *n.* I. Heat, glow.
2. Agitation. See FLURRY.

**Fluted,** *a.* Grooved (*as a column*), channelled.

**Flute-player,** *n.* Flutist.

**Flutist,** *n.* Flute-player.

**Flutter,** *v. n.* I. Hover, flap the wings quickly.
2. Flap, move rapidly, flirt.
3. Tremble, palpitate, beat *or* move tremulously.
4. Flaunt, make a show, make a parade, cut a dash, be ostentatious.
5. Fluctuate, waver, oscillate, vacillate, be fickle, be inconstant, be unsteady, be in doubt *or* uncertainty.

**Flutter,** *n.* I. Agitation, tremor, quick motion.
2. Confusion, hurry, commotion, agitation, excitement, perturbation, flurry, fluster, hurry-skurry.

**Flux,** *n.* I. Flow, flowing.
2. Mutation, change, transition, shifting.
3. Diarrhœa, dysentery, looseness, lax state (*of the bowels*).
4. Fusion, melting.
5. Fusing mixture, fusing agent, solvent, menstruum.

**Fluxion,** *n.* (*Math.*) Differential, infinitely small quantity.

**Fluxions,** *n. pl.* (*Math.*) Differential and integral calculus, infinitesimal calculus, higher calculus, calculus.

**Fly,** *v. n.* I. Soar, mount, hover, take wing.
2. Flutter, flap, float, wave, undulate, vibrate, play.
3. Burst, explode, be scattered, break in pieces, be broken to pieces.
4. Flee, run away, decamp, abscond, make off, pack off, slip away, steal away, slink away.
5. Pass, elapse, slip, glide, flit, roll on, flow on.

**Fly,** *v. a.* I. Flee from, shun, avoid, flee.
2. Let fly, set flying, cause to fly *or* float.

**Fly,** *n.* I. Winged insect, dipteron.
2. House-fly, musca.
3. Fly-wheel.
4. Compass-card.
5. Hackney-coach, cab, light vehicle.
6. Stage gallery, scene-shifting gallery.

**Fly at.** Assail, attack, assault, rush upon, spring upon.

**Fly-bane,** *n.* Catchfly.

**Fly-blow,** *n.* Fly's egg.

**Fly open.** Burst open, open suddenly.

**Fly-wheel,** *n.* Fly.

**Foal,** *n.* Colt.

**Foam,** *n.* Froth, spume, spray.

**Foam,** *v. n.* Froth, spume.

**Foamy,** *a.* Frothy, spumy, spumous.

**Fob,** *n.* Watch-pocket.

**Focus,** *n.* Point of concentration, point of convergence, converging-point.

**Fodder,** *n.* Forage, food (*for cattle*), provender.

**Fodder,** *v. a.* Feed (*cattle*).

**Foe,** *n.* Enemy, adversary, opponent, antagonist, foeman.

**Foeman,** *n.* (*Poetical.*) Enemy, foe.

**Fog,** *n.* Haze, mist.

**Fogy,** *a.* I. Misty, hazy.
2. Confused, dazed, bewildered, muddled, muddy.

**Fogy,** *n.* [Written also *Fogey.*] Conservative (*in an ill sense*), old fogy, fogram *or* fogrum.

**Foible,** *n.* Frailty, weakness, failing, defect, infirmity, imperfection, fault, weak point, weak side, blind side.

**Foil,** *v. a.* Defeat, frustrate, balk, baffle, thwart, check, circumvent, disappoint, checkmate.

**Foil,** *n.* I. Film, flake, lamina (*of metal*).
2. Contrast, background, set-off.
3. Blunted rapier.

**Foist,** *v. a.* Impose, thrust (*surreptitiously* or *wrongfully*).

**Foist in.** Interpolate, thrust in, insert wrongfully, introduce surreptitiously.

**Fold,** *n.* I. Pen (*for sheep*), cot *or* cote, enclosure.
2. Flock (of sheep).
3. Plait, double, doubling, folding, gather, plicature.

**Fold,** *v. a.* I. Double, lay in folds.
2. Wrap, inwrap, envelop, infold.

**Folding,** *n.* Plait, double, fold.

**Foliaceous,** *a.* I. (*Bot.*) Leafy, foliate.
2. (*Min.*) Lamellar, lamellate, lamellated, laminate (d), scaly, flaky, foliated, schistose.

**Foliage,** *n.* Leaves, clusters of leaves, leafage.

**Foliate,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Leafy, foliaceous.

**Foliated,** *a.* (*Min.*) Lamellar, lamellate, lamellated, laminate (d), foliaceous, schistose.

**Folkland,** *n.* Copyhold land.

**Folk-lore,** *n.* Popular superstitions.

**Folks,** *n. pl.* (*Colloq.*) People, persons.

**Follow,** *v. a.* I. Come *or* go after *or* behind, go in the rear *or* in the wake of, tread in the steps of, tread on the heels of.
2. Succeed, come next, tread close upon.
3. Pursue, chase, run after, go after.
4. Attend, accompany, go along with, keep company with.
5. Obey, heed, observe, be guided by, conform to, yield to.
6. Seek, cherish, cultivate, strive for.
7. Practise, pursue, attend to, make the object of pursuit.
8. Imitate, copy, pattern after, copy after, take as an example.

**Follow,** *v. n.* I Come *or* go after.
2. Succeed, come next.
3. Ensue, result, arise, proceed, flow, come, spring, issue, be inferred *or* inferrible, be deduced *or* deducible.

**Follower,** *n.* I. Pursuer.
2. Attendant, retainer, supporter, dependant, companion, associate.
3. Adherent, disciple, pupil, partisan.
4. Imitator, copier.

**Follow up.** I. Examine, scrutinize, investigate, sift, inquire into, look into.
2. [With *by* or *with.*] Accompany, cause to be followed by.
3. Persist in, pursue persistently, keep at.

**Folly,** *n.* I. Foolishness, imbecility, fatuity, stupidity, shallowness, dulness, doltishness.
2. Absurdity, foolishness, extravagance, unwisdom, imprudence, nonsense, fatuity, indiscretion.
3. Act of folly, foolish act, indiscretion, blunder, *faux pas.*
4. Decline from chastity, slip, lapse, false step, misstep, *faux pas*, indiscretion.

**Foment,** *v. a.* I. Stupe, bathe with warm lotions, apply warm lotions to.
2. Excite, instigate, stimulate, brew, stir up, encourage, abet, promote.

**Fomentation,** *n.* I. Stupe *or* stupa, local bathing (*with warm lotions*).
2. Instigation, excitement, brewing, stirring up, abetting, promoting, encouragement.

**Fond,** *a.* I. Foolish, silly, weak, empty, vain, absurd, senseless, baseless.
2. Doting, over-affectionate, foolishly loving, excessively tender.

**Fondle,** *v. a.* 1. Caress, coddle, cosset, blandish, pet.
2. Pet, treat with fondness, indulge, spoil, make much of, make a pet of.
**Fondness,** *n.* 1. Folly, silliness, delusion, weakness, absurdity.
2. Foolish love, childish affection, excessive tenderness, doting.
3. Liking, partiality, predilection, preference, warm love, strong affection.
4. Relish, liking, appetite.
**Fond of.** 1. [With *be.*] Have appetite *or* relish for, relish, like, like very much.
2. Taken with, attached to, much pleased with, delighted with.
**Font,** *n.* 1. Baptismal vessel.
2. Fount, assortment of types.
**Fontanel,** *n.* (*Med.*) Issue (*artificially caused*).
**Food,** *n.* 1. Aliment, nutriment, nutrition, sustenance, bread, nourishment, meat, provisions, victuals, viands, diet, regimen, fare, cheer, commons, pabulum, subsistence, rations.
2. [*For cattle, etc.*] Feed, fodder, forage, provender.
**Fool,** *n.* 1. Idiot, natural.
2. Dolt, witling, driveller, idiot, simpleton, ninny, nincompoop, blockhead. See DUNCE.
3. Buffoon, harlequin, droll, punch, antic, jester, zany, clown, merry-andrew, scaramouch, jack-pudding, pickle-herring.
**Fool,** *v. n.* Trifle, toy, play, jest, play the fool, play the monkey, act like a fool.
**Fool,** *v. a.* Deceive, cheat, trick, dupe, gull, delude, circumvent, cozen, overreach, beguile, hoodwink, chouse, cully, impose upon.
**Foolery,** *n.* 1. Absurdity, nonsense, folly, foolishness.
2. Buffoonery, tomfoolery, mummery, foolish conduct.
**Foolhardy,** *a.* Rash, venturous, adventurous, venturesome, reckless, desperate, hot-headed, hot-brained, hair-brained, headlong, precipitate, madly rash.
**Foolish,** *a.* 1. Senseless, idiotic, silly, weak, daft, simple, irrational, insensate, shallow, brainless, witless, thick-skulled, buffle-headed, shallow-brained.
2. Unwise, unreasonable, absurd, ridiculous, nonsensical, ill-judged, preposterous, indiscreet, imprudent.
3. Idle, trivial, trifling, vain, childish, puerile, contemptible.
**Foolishness,** *n.* 1. Folly, silliness, imbecility, stupidity, fatuity, shallowness, dulness, doltishness.
2. Absurdity, extravagance, nonsense, imprudence, indiscretion.
3. Puerility, childishness, triviality.
**Foot,** *n.* 1. Lower extremity, paw (*in brutes*).
2. Base, bottom, lower part.
3. Twelve inches.
4. (*Mil.*) Infantry, foot-soldiers.
**Foot,** *v. a.* 1. Add a foot to (*a stocking, boot, etc.*), supply with a foot.
2. Add up (*figures*), sum up.
3. Pay, stand, settle, discharge (*a bill of expenses*).
**Footboy,** *n.* Menial, liveried attendant, footman, runner.
**Footfall,** *n.* Footstep, tread, step, sound of one's step.
**Foothold,** *n.* Footing, place to stand on.
**Footing,** *n.* 1. Foothold.
2. Basis, foundation, groundwork.
3. Rank, standing, grade, state, status, condition.
4. Settlement, establishment, stable position.
5. Sum total (*of a column of figures*).
**Foot it.** (*Colloq.*) Walk, go on foot.
**Footman,** *n.* 1. Foot-soldier, infantry soldier, infantryman.
2. Runner, footboy, liveried servant, man in waiting, menial.
**Footmark,** *n.* Footprint, footstep, track, trace.
**Footpad,** *n.* Highwayman, brigand, robber, freebooter, bandit.
**Footpath,** *n.* Footway.
**Footprint,** *n.* Footmark, footstep, footfall, track, trace.
**Foot-soldiers,** *n. pl.* Foot, infantry, footmen.
**Footstalk,** *n.* Petiole, leaf-stalk.
**Footstep,** *n.* 1. Footprint, footmark, track, trace.
2. Footfall, step, tread, sound of one's step.
3. Token, mark, sign, trace, vestige.
**Footsteps,** *n. pl.* Example, footprints, steps, track.
**Foot the bill.** (*Colloq.*) Pay the bill, settle the account, discharge the reckoning.
**Foot-traveller,** *n.* Pedestrian, traveller afoot.
**Footway,** *n.* Footpath.
**Fop,** *n.* Coxcomb, dandy, exquisite, beau, jack-anapes, jack-a-dandy, macaroni, popinjay, swell, man milliner, man of dress, vain fellow.
**Foppery,** *n.* Coxcombry, dandyism, foppishness, vanity in dress.
**Foppish,** *a.* Dandyish, coxcomical, dandified, vain of dress.
**Foppishness,** *n.* Coxcombry, foppery, dandyism, vanity in dress.
**For,** *prep.* 1. Because of, by reason of.
2. On account of, for the sake of.
3. In the place of, instead of.
4. Concerning, with respect to, with regard to.
5. Toward, towards.
6. Conducive to, beneficial to.
7. Against, in opposition to, as antidote to.
8. During, during the term of.
9. According to, as far as concerns.
10. In spite of, notwithstanding, despite.
11. In favor of, on the side of.
12. In quest of, with a view to.
13. As being.
**For,** *conj.* Because, since, on this account that.
**Forage,** *n.* 1. Food (*for horses and cattle*), fodder, provender.
2. Foraging, foraging expedition.
**Forage,** *v. n.* 1. Wander in search of forage, take forage.
2. Ravage, feed on forage, subsist by foraging.
**Forage,** *v. a.* 1. Strip of forage, ravage, waste, plunder.
2. Supply with forage.
**Foramen,** *n.* (*Anat.* and *Bot.*) Hole, orifice, perforation, opening.
**Foraminated,** *a.* Perforated, foraminous, with an opening *or* orifice.
**Forasmuch as.** Since, whereas, inasmuch as, because that, in consideration that, seeing that.
**Foray,** *n.* Inroad, irruption, raid, piratical invasion, hostile incursion, predatory incursion.
**For aye.** (*Poetical.*) Always. See FOREVER.
**Forbear,** *v. n.* 1. Stop, pause, cease, desist, stay, hold, break off, leave off, give over.
2. Abstain, refrain.
3. Be tolerant, endure, be patient.
**Forbear,** *v. a.* 1. Shun, decline, avoid.
2. Omit, withhold, abstain from.
3. Spare, tolerate, endure, put up with, be patient with, treat with indulgence.
**Forbearance,** *n.* 1. Forbearing, shunning, abstinence, avoidance.
2. Patience, lenity, indulgence, long-suffering, command of temper.
**Forbid,** *v. a.* Prohibit, inhibit, interdict.
**Forbidding,** *a.* Repellent, repulsive, unplea-

ant, abhorrent, odious, disagreeable, unpleasant, offensive.

**Force,** *n.* 1. Strength (*regarded as active*), power, might, energy, vigor.
2. Efficacy, efficiency, potency, validity, cogency, virtue, agency.
3. Violence, compulsion, coercion, constraint, enforcement.
4. [*Most frequently in pl.*] Army, troop, legion, host, squadron, phalanx, battalion.

**Force,** *v. a.* 1. Compel, coerce, constrain, necessitate.
2. Impel, drive, urge, press.
3. Ravish, violate, constuprate, commit a rape on.

**Forced,** *a.* 1. Compelled, constrained, enforced.
2. Strained, unnatural, catachrestic, far-fetched, studiously sought.

**Force from.** Extort, wrest from.

**Forcible,** *a.* 1. Powerful, strong, mighty, weighty, potent, impressive, irresistible, cogent, all-powerful.
2. Violent, impetuous.
3. Violent, compulsory, coerced, coercive.
4. Energetic, vigorous, effective, efficacious.

**Forcibly,** *ad.* 1. Powerfully, mightily.
2. Violently, compulsorily, coercively, by force, by compulsion *or* coercion, at the point of the sword, *vi et armis.*
3. Energetically, vigorously, effectively, with might and main.

**Forcing-pit,** *n.* Hot-bed.

**Ford,** *n.* 1. Wading-place, shallow.
2. (*Poetical.*) Stream, current, flood.

**Ford,** *v. a.* Wade through (*a river*), cross on foot, cross by wading.

**Fore,** *a.* 1. Anterior, preceding, prior, antecedent, previous, foregoing, former.
2. Front, anterior, face.
3. Advanced, leading, head, foremost, first, front.

**Forebode,** *v. a.* 1. Foretell, predict, presage, portend, augur, betoken, foreshadow, foreshow, prognosticate, prefigure, be ominous of.
2. Foreknow, be prescient of, have foreknowledge of, have prescience of, have premonition of, have presentiment of, divine.

**Foreboding,** *n.* Prognostication, premonition, presentiment, presage, omen, augury.

**Forecast,** *v. a.* 1. Foresee, anticipate, look forward to, provide against, calculate *or* estimate beforehand.
2. Contrive, plan, project, devise, scheme.

**Forecast,** *n.* 1. Foresight, prevision, forethought, anticipation, provident regard to the future.
2. Contrivance, scheming, planning.

**Foreclose,** *v. a.* 1. Preclude, prevent, stop, debar, hinder, shut out.
2. (*Law.*) Deprive of the power of redeeming (*a mortgage*).

**Foredoom,** *v. a.* Predestine, foreordain, preordain, doom beforehand.

**Forefather,** *n.* Progenitor, ancestor, father, foregoer.

**Forefend,** *v. a.* Avert, prevent, hinder, forbid, ward off, keep off.

**For effect.** To make an impression, for the sake of effect.

**Forego,** *v. a.* Relinquish, resign, renounce, surrender, cede, yield, abandon, give up, part with, let go.

**Foregoer,** *n.* 1. Precursor, forerunner, herald, harbinger, avant-courier.
2. Ancestor, forefather, progenitor, father.

**Foregoing,** *a.* Preceding, previous, antecedent, prior, former, fore, anterior.

**Foregone,** *a.* 1. Predetermined, decided beforehand.
2. Bygone, past, previous, former.

**Forehanded,** *a.* [*U. S.*] Beforehand, in comfortable circumstances (*as respects property*), well off, well to do.

**Forehead,** *n.* 1. Front, brow.
2. Effrontery, face, assurance, impudence, front, audacity, brass.

**Foreign,** *a.* 1. Alien, external, exterior, outward, strange, exotic, from abroad.
2. Extraneous, extrinsic, adventitious, irrelevant.

**Foreigner,** *n.* Alien, stranger.

**Foreknow,** *v. a.* Foresee, know beforehand, be prescient of, have prescience of, have previous knowledge of, have foreknowledge of.

**Foreknowledge,** *n.* Foresight, prescience, previous knowledge.

**Foreland,** *n.* Promontory, cape, headland, point of land.

**Foreman,** *n.* 1. Presiding officer (*of a jury*).
2. Overseer, superintendent, boss, chief workman, master workman.

**Forementioned,** *a.* Aforesaid, above-mentioned, forenamed, above-named.

**Foremost,** *a.* First, most advanced, front, leading.

**Forename,** *n.* Christian name, given name, baptismal name.

**Forenamed,** *a.* Aforesaid, above-mentioned, forementioned, above-named.

**Forensic,** *a.* 1. Juridical, judicial, proper to courts.
2. Disputative, proper *or* belonging to debate *or* discussion.

**Foreordain,** *v. a.* Predestinate, predetermine, preordain, foredoom.

**Forerun,** *v. a.* Precede, go before, come before.

**Forerunner,** *n.* 1. Precursor, harbinger, herald, foregoer, avant-courier.
2. Prelude, prognostic, sign, omen, premonition, precursor.

**Foresee,** *v. a.* Foreknow, forecast, see beforehand, have prescience of, be prescient of.

**Foreshadow,** *v. a.* Prefigure, presage, forebode, prognosticate, presignify, indicate *or* suggest beforehand, foretell dimly.

**Foreshow,** *v. a.* Predict, foretell, forebode, prophesy.

**Foresight,** *n.* 1. Foreknowledge, prescience, prevision.
2. Forecast, forethought, precaution, prudence, anticipation, provident regard to the future.

**Foreskin,** *n.* Prepuce.

**Forest,** *n.* Wood (*of large extent*), woods, woodland, grove.

**Forestall,** *v. a.* 1. Shut off, preclude, prevent, hinder (*by prior influences*).
2. Anticipate, foretaste, antedate, take in advance.
3. Engross, monopolize, regrate, get exclusive possession of (*in order to enhance prices*).

**Foretaste,** *v. a.* Anticipate. See FORESTALL, 2.

**Foretaste,** *n.* Anticipation, antepast, prelibation, forestalling, taste beforehand.

**Foretell,** *v. a.* 1. Predict, prophesy.
2. Prognosticate, foreshow, foreshadow, presignify, betoken, portend, augur, bode, forebode, presage.

**Forethought,** *n.* Foresight, forecast, anticipation, precaution, prudence, provident regard to the future.

**Forever,** *ad.* Always, perpetually, eternally, everlastingly, endlessly, ever, evermore, aye, for aye, at all times, to the end of time, world *or*

time without end, through endless ages, to eternity.

**Forewarn,** *v. a.* Caution *or* admonish *or* advise *or* warn beforehand.

**Forfeit,** *n.* Fine, mulct, amercement, penalty, forfeiture.

**Forfeit,** *v. a.* Lose (*by some offence, by neglect,* or *by breach of condition*), alienate.

**Forfeiture,** *n.* I. Loss (*by some offence, etc.*), amercement, confiscation.
2. Fine, mulct, amercement, penalty, forfeit.

**Forge,** *n.* I. Smithy (*for heavy work*), iron-works.
2. Furnace (*to make iron more malleable*), shingling-mill.

**Forge,** *v. a.* I. Beat (*metal*), hammer out, form (*by heating and hammering*), fabricate, frame.
2. Devise, invent, frame, coin.
3. Falsify, counterfeit, fabricate.

**Forger,** *n.* I. Maker, contriver.
2. Counterfeiter, falsifier.

**Forgery,** *n.* I. Counterfeiting, falsification.
2. Counterfeit.

**Forget,** *v. a.* I. Lose the remembrance of, let slip from the mind.
2. Overlook, think no more of, consign to oblivion.
3. Slight, neglect, cease to care for.

**Forgetful,** *a.* I. Apt to forget.
2. Negligent, inattentive, neglectful, careless, heedless, mindless.

**Forgetfulness,** *n.* I. Aptness to forget, failure of memory.
2. Forgottenness. See OBLIVION.
3. Negligence, inattention, carelessness, heedlessness.

**Forget-me-not,** *n.* Scorpion-grass (*Myosotis palustris*).

**Forget one's self.** Lose self-control, commit an indiscretion.

**Forgive,** *v. a.* Pardon (*especially for a small offence*), absolve, excuse, acquit.

**Forgiveness,** *n.* Pardon, absolution, remission, acquittal.

**For good.** Finally, as the final move, for good and all, forever.

**For good and all.** See FOR GOOD.

**Forgotten,** *a.* I. Gone from one's mind, out of one's recollection.
2. Buried in oblivion, sunk in oblivion.

**Fork,** *n.* Branch, branching, division, divarication.

**Fork,** *v. n.* Branch, divide, divaricate.

**Forked,** *a.* Furcate, furcated, divaricated.

**Forlorn,** *a.* I. Deserted, abandoned, forsaken, friendless, solitary, lost.
2. Wretched, miserable, pitiable, destitute, desolate, helpless, comfortless, disconsolate, woebegone.

**Forlorn hope.** I. Vanguard, skirmishers, advanced body of troops, *enfants perdus.*
2. Desperate case, doubtful enterprise, hazardous adventure.

**Form,** *n.* I. Shape (*with especial reference to structure*), figure, configuration, conformation, mould, fashion, cast, cut, *tournure.*
2. Mode, method, formula, formulary, ritual, established practice.
3. Manner, system, sort, kind, order.
4. Regularity, order, arrangement, shapeliness.
5. Ceremony, formality, ceremonial, ritual, conventionality, etiquette, conventional rule.
6. Empty show, mere appearance.
7. Bench, long seat (*without a back*).
8. Class, rank of students.
9. Type in a chase (*ready for printing*).
10. Mould, pattern, model.
II. (*Met.*) Arrangement, organization, combination, law of combination, principle of arrangement *or* synthesis, *a priori* principle.

**Form,** *v. a.* I. Fashion, shape, mould.
2. Make, create, produce.
3. Contrive, devise, invent, frame.
4. Constitute, compose, make up.
5. Arrange, dispose, combine.

**Formal,** *a.* I. Express, explicit, positive, strict, official, in due form, according to established form.
2. Regular, methodical, set, fixed, rigid, stiff.
3. Ceremonious, precise, punctilious, stiff, starch, starched, prim, affectedly exact.
4. Constitutive, essential.
5. External, as mere form, merely formal.
6. (*Met.*) Organic, formative, primordial, innate, *a priori.*

**Formality,** *n.* I. Custom, established mode, settled method, rule of proceeding.
2. Ceremony, conventionality, etiquette, mere form.

**Formation,** *n.* I. Creation, production.
2. Composition, constitution, making up.
3. Arrangement, combination, disposal, disposition.

**Formative,** *a.* I. Plastic, creative, shaping, determinative.
2. (*Gram.*) Derivative, non-radical, inflectional.

**Former,** *n.* Maker, framer, author, creator, constructer.

**Former,** *a.* I. Previous, prior, anterior, antecedent, preceding, foregoing.
2. Quondam, *ci-devant,* late, old-time.
3. Past, gone by, bygone, foregone, previous.
4. First named, first mentioned.

**Formerly,** *ad.* Heretofore, anciently, aforetime, of old, in times past, in days of yore, long ago, in past ages.

**Formidable,** *a.* Fearful, dreadful, terrible, redoubted, frightful, terrific, horrible, tremendous.

**Formless,** *a.* Shapeless, amorphous, chaotic.

**Formula,** *n.* Form, rule, model, formulary.

**Formulary,** *n.* I. Book of forms.
2. Form, model, rule, formula.
3. Ritual, ceremonial.

**Fornicate,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Arched, vaulted.

**Forray,** *n.* [Written also *Foray.*] Inroad, irruption, raid, descent, partial invasion, hostile incursion.

**Forsake,** *v. a.* I. Leave, quit, desert, abandon, cast off.
2. Abandon, renounce, forswear, forego, relinquish, drop, give up, give over.

**Forsaker,** *n.* Deserter.

**Forsooth,** *ad.* [*Usually ironical.*] Certainly, truly, really, indeed, to be sure, in truth, in fact, of a truth, in good truth.

**Forswear,** *v. a.* I. Renounce (*upon oath*), reject, leave, quit, desert, forsake, abandon, drop.
2. Deny, abjure, recant, retract, renounce.

**Forswear one's self.** Perjure one's self, take a false oath, swear falsely, bear false witness, break one's oath, break one's word, break one's faith, play false.

**Fort,** *n.* Fortification, fortress, stronghold, bulwark, castle, citadel, fastness, fortified place.

**Forte,** *n.* Peculiar talent, special gift, chief excellence, strong point, that in which one excels.

**Forth,** *ad.* I. Onward, forward.
2. Out, abroad, from retirement, from confinement.

**For the best.** To secure the best result.

**For the better.** For improvement, for greater good.

**For the nonce.** For the occasion, for the present time, for the present purpose, for the time being, temporarily.
**For the present.** For the time being, at present, for a while.
**Forthwith,** *ad.* Immediately, directly, instantly, *instanter*, without delay.
**Fortification,** *n.* 1. Military architecture.
2. Fort, stronghold, castle, citadel, bulwark, fortified place. See FORTRESS.
**Fortify,** *v. a.* 1. Protect by fortifications, surround with fortifications.
2. Brace, strengthen, stiffen, reinforce, add strength to.
3. Strengthen, confirm, corroborate.
**Fortiter in re.** [L.] With vigor and firmness in action.
**Fortitude,** *n.* Endurance (*with courage*), firmness, resolution, patience, strength of mind, passive courage.
**Fortnight,** *n.* Two weeks.
**Fortress,** *n.* Fortification, fort, stronghold, castle, citadel, fastness, bulwark, fortified place (*of great magnitude*).
**Fortuitous,** *a.* Accidental, casual, contingent, incidental, chance, happening by chance.
**Fortuity,** *n.* Accidentalness, casualness, chance, contingency.
**Fortunate,** *a.* 1. Successful, prosperous, favored, happy. See LUCKY.
2. Propitious, auspicious, favorable, advantageous, lucky, happy.
**Fortune,** *n.* 1. Chance, accident, luck, hap, fortuity, casualty.
2. Livelihood, means of living.
3. Estate, substance, property, possessions.
4. Wealth, riches, opulence, affluence.
5. Destiny, fate, destination, doom, lot, star, future condition.
6. Event, issue, result.
7. Success, favorable issue.
**Forum,** *n.* Tribunal, court, court of justice.
**Forward,** / **Forwards,** *ad.* Onward, in advance, ahead.
**Forward,** *a.* 1. Onward, progressive, advancing.
2. Front, fore, anterior, head, at the fore part, near the fore part.
3. Ready, prompt, willing, eager, earnest, zealous.
4. Bold, confident, presumptuous, presuming, impertinent, pert, flippant, brazen, assuming, brazen-faced, brassy (*colloq.*).
5. Early, premature.
**Forward,** *v. a.* 1. Advance, promote, further, foster, support, aid, favor, encourage, help on, help forward.
2. Quicken, hasten, accelerate, expedite, speed, despatch, hurry.
3. Transmit, ship, send on, send forward.
**Fosse,** *n.* (*Fort.*) Ditch, moat, graff.
**Fossil,** *n.* Petrifaction.
**Foster,** *v. a.* 1. Nurse, nourish, feed, support, sustain.
2. Rear, breed, bring up, rear up, cherish, encourage, favor, patronize, promote, stimulate, forward, further, advance, help on, help forward.
**Foul,** *a.* 1. Impure, nasty, squalid, dirty, polluted, filthy, unclean, soiled, tarnished, stained, sullied.
2. Disgusting, loathsome, offensive, noisome.
3. Unfair, dishonorable, underhanded, sinister.
4. Base, scandalous, infamous, vile, wicked, dark, abominable, detestable, disgraceful, shameful, scurvy.
5. Obscene, vulgar, coarse, low.
6. Abusive, insulting, scurrilous, foul-mouthed, foul-spoken.
7. Stormy, rainy, cloudy.
8. Turbid, thick, muddy, feculent.
9. Entangled, tangled, in collision.
**Foul play.** 1. Injustice, unfairness, dishonesty, wrong, guile, secret misdoing, perfidy, treachery.
2. Outrage, violence, crime, treacherous violence, perfidious crime.
**Foul-mouthed,** *a.* Abusive, insulting, insolent, blackguard, scurrilous, foul, foul-spoken, obscene, filthy, profane, indecent, blasphemous.
**Foumart,** *n.* Polecat, fitchew, fitchet (*Mustela putorius*).
**Found,** *v. a.* 1. Base, set, fix, place, ground, rest, lay the foundation of.
2. Build, construct, erect, raise.
3. Establish, institute, originate, set up, plant.
4. Cast, mould, form in a mould.
**Foundation,** *n.* 1. Basis, base, groundwork, footing, bottom.
2. Establishment, settlement.
3. Endowment.
**Founder,** *n.* 1. Originator, institutor, establisher, planter.
2. Caster (*of metals*), moulder.
**Founder,** *v. n.* 1. Sink (*as a ship by filling with water*), go to the bottom.
2. Fail, miscarry.
3. Trip, stumble, fall.
**Foundling,** *n.* Abandoned infant.
**Fount,** *n.* 1. (*Poetical.*) Spring. See FOUNTAIN.
2. Font, assortment of types.
**Fountain,** *n.* 1. Spring, well.
2. Jet, *jet d'eau*.
3. Source, original, origin, cause, first principle, fountain-head.
**Fountain-head,** *n.* Source, original, origin, cause, fountain, first principle.
**Fourfold,** *a.* Quadruple.
**Fourfold,** *n.* Four times as many, four times as much.
**Four-handed,** *a.* Quadrumanous.
**Fourierism,** *n.* Socialism, phalansterianism, humanitarianism, Saint-Simonianism.
**Fourscore,** *a.* and *n.* Eighty.
**Foursquare,** *a.* Quadrangular.
**Fowl,** *n.* 1. Bird, winged animal.
2. Poultry, barn-door fowl, domestic fowl.
**Foxglove,** *n.* Digitalis.
**Fox-shark,** *n.* Thrasher, sea-fox, sea-ape, (*Carcharias vulpes*).
**Foxy,** *a.* Artful, wily, cunning, crafty, sly, subtle.
**Fracas,** *n.* Uproar, tumult, disturbance, outbreak, noisy quarrel, row (*colloq.*).
**Fraction,** *n.* 1. Part, portion, fragment, section, piece, bit, scrap.
2. (*Arith.*) Part of a unit.
**Fractional,** *a.* 1. Broken, fragmentary.
2. Pertaining to fractions, of fractions.
**Fractious,** *a.* Cross, captious, petulant, touchy, testy, peevish, fretful, splenetic, pettish, snappish, waspish, irritable.
**Fracture,** *n.* 1. Breaking, rupture.
2. Break, crack, breach, cleft, fissure, rift, flaw, rent, opening.
**Fragile,** *a.* 1. Brittle, frangible, easily broken.
2. Frail, weak, feeble. See INFIRM.
**Fragility,** *n.* 1. Brittleness, frangibleness.
2. Frailty, weakness, feebleness.
**Fragment,** *n.* Remnant, scrap, chip, fraction, detached part, part broken off.
**Fragmentary,** *a.* Fractional, broken, disconnected, scattered.
**Fragrance,** / **Fragrancy,** *n.* Perfume, aroma, redolence, balminess, incense, pleasing scent grateful odor, sweetness of smell.

**Fragrant,** *a.* Aromatic, spicy, redolent, balmy, odoriferous, odorous, perfumed, sweet-smelling, sweet-scented.

**Frail,** *a.* 1. Fragile, frangible, brittle, easily broken (*across*).
2. Weak, feeble, fragile. See INFIRM.
3. Liable to err, easily led astray, of infirm virtue.

**Frailty,** *n.* 1. Weakness, feebleness, infirmity, frailness.
2. Fault, foible, defect, imperfection, failing, weak point, weak side, blind side.
3. Liability to err, proneness to error, want of moral strength (*said especially of women in respect to chastity*).

**Frame,** *v. a.* 1. Construct, build, put together.
2. Form, compose, make, constitute.
3. Invent, devise, plan, contrive.
4. Fabricate, forge.
5. Put into a frame.

**Frame,** *n.* 1. Skeleton, framing, framework, carcass.
2. Form, structure, fabric, system, scheme, constitution.
3. Condition, state, temper, mood, state of mind *or* feeling.

**Framer,** *n.* Former, maker, author, creator, constructer.

**Framework,** *n.* Skeleton, frame, framing, carcass.

**Franchise,** *n.* 1. Right, privilege.
2. Immunity, exemption.

**Frangible,** *a.* Brittle, fragile, easily broken.

**Frank,** *a.* Open, ingenuous, free, sincere, candid, artless, frank-hearted, unreserved, without disguise.

**Frank-hearted,** *a.* Open, ingenuous. See FRANK.

**Frankincense,** *n.* 1. Gallipot, Burgundy pitch.
2. (*Properly.*) Olibanum.

**Frantic,** *a.* Furious, raving, raging, mad, distracted, wild, infuriate, frenzied.

**Fraterral,** *a.* Brotherly.

**Fraternity,** *n.* 1. Association, society, company, circle, brotherhood, sodality, league, clan, united body.
2. Brotherhood, brotherly relation.
3. Brotherliness, brotherhood.

**Fraternize,** *v. n.* Sympathize, harmonize, consort, coalesce, concur, associate (*as brothers*), make common cause.

**Fraud,** *n.* Deceit, deception, duplicity, imposition, imposture, guile, trick, cheat, chouse, artifice, stratagem, wile, humbug, hoax.

**Fraudulent,** *a.* Dishonest, knavish, treacherous, deceitful, deceptive, false, crafty, wily, tricky, trickish.

**Fraught,** *a.* Filled, stored, freighted, laden, charged, abounding, pregnant, big.

**Fray,** *n.* 1. Combat, battle, fight.
2. Broil, quarrel, riot, contention. See AFFRAY.

**Fray,** *v. a.* Rub, wear, fret, chafe.

**Freak,** *n.* 1. Whim, whimsey, caprice, fancy, humor, crotchet, maggot, vagary, quirk.
2. Gambol, antic, caper.

**Freakish,** *a.* Whimsical, capricious, odd, humorsome, erratic, fanciful, full of vagaries.

**Free,** *a.* 1. Independent, unrestrained, at liberty.
2. Released, delivered, emancipated, liberated.
3. Exempt, clear.
4. Allowed, permitted, open.
5. Unobstructed, unimpeded, unrestricted, open.
6. Frank, ingenuous, candid, artless, sincere, unreserved, frank-hearted.
7. Generous, liberal, bountiful, hospitable, charitable, munificent, free-hearted, open-handed, not parsimonious.
8. Prodigal, lavish, immoderate.
9. Ready, eager, prompt, willing.
10. Gratuitous, spontaneous, willing.
11. Loose, lax.
12. Familiar, over-familiar.
13. Unconstrained, easy, informal, familiar.

**Free,** *v. a.* 1. Liberate, emancipate, manumit, release, disinthrall, enfranchise, deliver, set free, set at liberty.
2. Rid, clear, disengage.

**Freebooter,** *n.* 1. Robber, plunderer, pillager, despoiler, highwayman, footpad, brigand, bandit, marauder.
2. Pirate, buccaneer, rover.

**Freedom,** *n.* 1. Independence, exemption from restraint. See LIBERTY.
2. Scope, range, play, swing, free play, full play, full swing.
3. Franchise, immunity, privilege.
4. Familiarity, license, laxity, looseness.

**Free-hearted,** *a.* Liberal, generous, bounteous, bountiful, open-handed.

**Free play.** Freedom, range, scope, full play, swing, full swing.

**Free-spoken,** *a.* Frank, unreserved.

**Free-thinker,** *n.* Sceptic, unbeliever, infidel. See DEIST.

**Free-will,** *n.* 1. Unrestrained will, power of choice.
2. Spontaneity, voluntariness.

**Free-will,** *a.* Voluntary, spontaneous.

**Freeze,** *v. n.* 1. Be congealed, be frozen.
2. Be chilled.

**Freeze,** *v. a.* 1. Congeal, solidify by cold, turn to ice.
2. Chill, benumb.

**Freight,** *v. a.* Load, lade, charge, burden *or* burthen.

**Freight,** *n.* 1. Cargo, lading, load, burden.
2. Freightage, freight money, charge for freight.

**Freightage,** *n.* Freight, freight money.

**French-pie,** *n.* Great spotted woodpecker (*Picus major*).

**Frenzy,** *n.* [Sometimes written *Phrenzy.*] Madness, rage, fury, distraction, raving, insanity, lunacy, derangement, mania, delirium, aberration of mind.

**Frequency,** *n.* 1. Oftenness, frequent occurrence.
2. Commonness, common occurrence.

**Frequent,** *a.* 1. Oft-repeated, of frequent occurrence.
2. Common, usual, every-day, of common occurrence.

**Frequent,** *v. a.* Haunt, visit often, resort to frequently, attend much *or* regularly.

**Frequently,** *ad.* 1. Often, repeatedly, many times, at short intervals, not rarely, not seldom.
2. Commonly, as a common thing *or* matter.

**Fresh,** *a.* 1. New, recent, novel.
2. New, renewed, *de novo*, revived.
3. Blooming, flourishing, unfaded, unwithered, unwilted, well-preserved, in good condition, unimpaired, undecayed.
4. Of recent make, not stale *or* sour, sweet.
5. Rosy, blooming, ruddy, fair, delicate, fresh-colored.
6. Florid, healthy, well, hearty, vigorous, hardy, strong.
7. Vigorous, unwearied, unexhausted, unfatigued, not blown, unworn.
8. Vivid, lively, keen, unabated, undecayed, not dulled, unimpaired.
9. Just received, just arrived.

10. Unsalted, free from salt, lacking in salt *or* saltness.
11. Pure and cool, sweet, refreshing, invigorating, bracing, health-giving.
12. Brisk, strong, stiff.
13. Raw, uncultivated, unpractised, untrained, unskilled, inexperienced.

**Freshen,** *v. a.* 1. Make fresher *or* less salt.
2. Freshen up, reinvigorate, refresh, revive.

**Freshen,** *v. n.* 1. Grow fresh, revive.
2. Grow brisk (*said of the wind*), rise.

**Freshen up.** 1. Revive, refresh, reinvigorate, freshen.
2. Repair, make fresh, make look new, brighten up, make look bright *or* less faded.

**Freshet,** *n.* Sudden flood (*in a river from rains* or *melting snow*).

**Freshman,** *n.* 1. Novice, tyro, beginner, learner.
2. Student of the first year (*in colleges*), student of the lowest class.

**Fret,** *v. a.* 1. Rub, chafe, wear (*by friction*), abrade, fray, gall, wear away.
2. Vex, tease, irritate, gall, ruffle, provoke, nettle, affront, make angry.
3. Annoy, worry, weary, harass, wear.
4. Ripple, ruffle, agitate, roughen.
5. Wear, wear away, gnaw into, corrode, cover with depressions.
6. Variegate, diversify, ornament with raised *or* depressed work.
7. Ornament with frets *or* fretting *or* fretwork.

**Fret,** *v. n.* Chafe, fume, rage, be vexed, be irritated, be chafed, be peevish, be fretful, be angry.

**Fret,** *n.* 1. Agitation, irritation, vexation, fretfulness, fretting, peevishness.
2. Herpes, tetter, ringworm.
3. Fretwork, intertwined linear ornament, square raised ornament, key ornament.
4. Ridge, raised line, whelk, wale.

**Fretful,** *a.* Peevish, petulant, touchy, testy, snappish, waspish, pettish, splenetic, spleeny, captious, irritable, ill-humored, ill-tempered.

**Fretfulness,** *n.* Peevishness, petulance, touchiness, testiness, snappishness, waspishness, pettishness, spleen, captiousness, irritability, ill-humor, ill-temper.

**Friable,** *a.* Crumbling, pulverable, easily crumbled.

**Friar-bird,** *n.* Leather-head (*Tropidorhyncus corniculatus*).

**Friar's-crown,** *n.* Friar's-thistle, woolly-headed thistle (*Carduus eriophorus*).

**Friar's-lantern,** *n.* Ignis fatuus, will o' the wisp, jack-a-lantern.

**Fribble,** *a.* Trifling, frivolous, silly, fribbling, frippery.

**Fribble,** *n.* Trifler, frivolous fellow, fribbler, coxcomb.

**Fribble,** *v. n.* 1. Trifle, cavil feebly, play the fribble (r).
2. Totter.

**Friction,** *n.* 1. Attrition, abrasion, confrication, rubbing.
2. Rubbing *or* rolling resistance, resistance from roughness.

**Friend,** *n.* 1. Confidant, intimate, dear companion, loved *or* loving associate, bosom friend.
2. Ally, associate, *confrère*, member of the same party, adherent of the same cause, fellow-partisan, fellow-adherent.
3. Favorer, encourager, well-wisher, patron, advocate, adherent, defender, supporter, good genius.
4. Quaker.

**Friendly,** *a.* 1. Kind, kindly, amiable, benevolent, well-disposed, kindly disposed, kind-hearted, affectionate, good.
2. Mutually kind, well-affected toward each other, of mutual regard, on good terms, on friendly terms, on a friendly, familiar *or* intimate footing.
3. Amicable, fraternal, neighborly, kind, good.
4. Peaceable, disposed to peace, unhostile, not inimical.
5. Favorable, propitious, salutary, advantageous, favoring, auspicious, Favonian.

**Friendship,** *n.* 1. Attachment, affection, fondness, love, deep regard.
2. Intimacy, intimate relation, close fellowship, close tie.
3. Friendliness, amity, amicableness, fellowship, kindly association, friendly regard, good-fellowship, harmony, mutual regard *or* good feeling.
4. Favor, kindness, aid, help, assistance, good-will.

**Frigeratory,** *n.* Refrigerator.

**Fright,** *v. a.* (*Poetical.*) See FRIGHTEN.

**Fright,** *n.* 1. Alarm, affright, terror, dismay, consternation, panic, sudden fear.
2. Frightful object, thing of terror.
3. Hideous object, guy, scarecrow.

**Frighten,** *v. a.* Alarm, affright, terrify, dismay, intimidate, scare, shock with sudden fear.

**Frightful,** *a.* Terrible, terrific, fearful, alarming, dread, dreadful, direful, dire, horrid, horrible, awful, shocking, hideous, ghastly, grim, grisly, grewsome *or* gruesome.

**Frigid,** *a.* 1. Cold, cool, gelid, of a low temperature.
2. Dull, uninteresting, uninterested, unanimated, lifeless, cold, destitute of enthusiasm, without fervor, spiritless, tame.
3. Forbidding, formal, prim, stiff, rigid, repellent, repelling, repulsive, chilling, freezing.

**Frigidity,** *n.* 1. Coldness, coolness, chilliness, frigidness, gelidity, gelidness, low temperature.
2. Dulness, frigidness, lifelessness, want of animation.
3. Frigidness, formality, primness, stiffness, rigidity, repelling manner, forbidding manner, chilliness, chill.

**Frigidness,** *n.* See FRIGIDITY.

**Frigorific,** *a.* Cold, chilling, causing cold *or* lowering of temperature.

**Frill,** *n.* Ruffle, edging, gathering, frilling.

**Frill,** *v. a.* Put a frill on, edge with a frill, ruffle, decorate with frills *or* gathers.

**Frill,** *v. n.* Shake, shiver, quake, thrill.

**Fringed,** *a.* Fimbriate, fimbriated.

**Frippery,** *n.* 1. Old clothes, cast-off dresses.
2. Trumpery, second-hand finery.
3. Trifling, trifles, stuff, nonsense, fribbling. See FLUMMERY.

**Friseur,** *n.* [Fr.] Hair-dresser.

**Frisk,** *v. n.* Leap, skip, hop, jump, frolic, romp, gambol, dance.

**Frisky,** *a.* Gay, lively, playful, sportive, frolicsome, coltish, full of frolic.

**Frith,** *n.* 1. Strait.
2. Estuary, inlet, firth, fiord, creek, arm of the sea.

**Fritter,** *n.* 1. Pancake, fried cake, batter cake.
2. Fragment, piece, shred, bit, scrap, splinter, flinder (*Scotch*).

**Fritter,** *v. a.* 1. Slice, cut into small pieces.
2. Break into fragments, break to pieces, shiver, shatter.

**Fritter away.** 1. Diminish, pare off, reduce to nothing.
2. Misuse (*time*), waste, dawdle away, idle away, fool away.
3. Waste bit by bit, destroy gradually, waste by dispersion *or* by trifling and petty use.

**Frivolity,** *n.* Levity, puerility, trifling, triviality, frivolousness, folly, fribbling, frippery, flummery.
**Frivolous,** *a.* Trifling, trivial, worthless, light, petty, flimsy, idle, puerile, childish, trashy, foolish.
**Frivolousness,** *n.* See FRIVOLITY.
**Frizzle,** *v. a.* Curl, crisp, frieze, frizz.
**Froghopper,** *n.* Frog-fly, froth-fly, froth-insect, froth-worm (*Aphrophora spumaria*).
**Frolic,** *n.* 1. Gambol, escapade, lark, wild prank, flight of levity, spree (*colloq.*).
2. Fun, pleasantry, drollery.
3. Scene of merriment, merry-making.
**Frolic,** *a.* (*Poetical.*) Frolicsome, merry, sportive, playful, gamesome, gay, lively, frisky, joyous, prankish, coltish, full of frolic.
**Frolic,** *v. n.* Be merry, be frolicsome, play pranks, cut capers.
**Frolicsome,** *a.* Sportive, playful, gamesome, gay, lively, frisky, coltish, full of frolic, frolic.
**From far.** From a great distance, from remote regions, from a far country, from afar.
**From hand to hand.** From one person to another.
**From hand to mouth.** Precariously, as want requires, by a bare subsistence, as chance provides, at haphazard, without any margin, by spending the wages of to-day for to-day's necessities.
**Front,** *n.* 1. Forehead, brow.
2. Effrontery, face, impudence, assurance, brass.
3. Van, fore-rank, front rank, head.
4. Forepart, forward part.
5. Anterior, face.
6. Face, obverse.
7. Face, façade, front elevation.
**Front,** *v. a.* 1. Face, stand over against, stand opposite to.
2. Confront, encounter, oppose, meet face to face.
3. Fit with a front, face, make a front to *or* for.
4. (*Poetical.*) Come before, come into one's presence, appear before, confront.
**Front,** *v. n.* Face, be *or* stand opposite.
**Frontal,** *n.* Frontlet, brow-band, fillet.
**Frontier,** *n.* 1. Confine, border, boundary, marches, limits, coast (*archaic*).
2. [*In pl.*] Back *or* remote districts, backwoods.
**Frontier,** *a.* Conterminous, bordering.
**Frontless,** *a.* Shameless, impudent, brazen, bold.
**Frontlet,** *n.* Frontal, brow-band, fillet.
**Front on.** Face, have its front upon *or* toward.
**Frost,** *n.* 1. Rime, hoar-frost, frozen dew, white-frost.
2. Cold manner, reserve, frigidity, iciness, stiffness, want of cordiality, unsociability.
**Frost,** *v. a.* 1. Ice, cover with frosting.
2. Whiten, sprinkle with white, sprinkle with gray hairs.
3. Frost-bite, injure by frost *or* cold, nip.
4. Sharpen, point (*said of a horse*).
**Frost-bite,** *v. a.* Bite with frost, frost, nip, wither, shrivel, injure by frost *or* cold.
**Frostfish,** *n.* Tom-cod (*Morrhua pruinosa*).
**Frosting,** *n.* Icing, concreted sugar (*for coating cake*).
**Frost-weed,** *n.* See FROSTWORT.
**Frostwork,** *n.* Frost-tracery, tracery of the frost.
**Frostwort,** *n.* Frost-weed, rock-rose (*Helianthemum Canadense*).
**Frosty,** *a.* 1. Cold, icy, wintry, stinging, chilly, chill.
2. Cold, frigid, unloving, unimpassioned, indifferent, cold-hearted, unaffectionate, uncordial.
3. Cold, spiritless, unanimated, lifeless, dull-hearted.
4. White, gray-haired, frosted.
**Froth,** *n.* 1. Spume, foam.
2. Triviality, nonsense, empty show, mere words, balderdash, trash, flummery, bosh (*colloq.*).
**Froth,** *v. a.* 1. Cause to foam, cover with foam *or* spume.
2. Emit as foam, give vent to frothily.
**Froth,** *v. n.* Foam.
**Froth-spit,** *n.* Cuckoo-spittle, frog-spit, frog-spittle.
**Frothworm,** *n.* See FROGHOPPER.
**Frothy,** *a.* 1. Foamy, spumy.
2. Trifling, light, empty, trivial, vain, frivolous, unsubstantial.
**Froward,** *a.* Fractious, perverse, contumacious, refractory, untoward, unyielding, ungovernable, disobedient, wayward, peevish, petulant, cross, captious.
**Frown,** *v. n.* Scowl, look stern.
**Frown,** *n.* Scowl, stern look.
**Frowzy,** *a.* [Written also *Frousy* and *Frowsy.*]
1. Fetid, rank, noisome, stinking, offensive, ill-scented, strong-smelling.
2. Rough and tangled (*as the hair*).
3. Disordered, disorderly, slovenly, slatternly, dowdy.
**Fructify,** *v. a.* Fertilize, make fruitful.
**Fructify,** *v. n.* Be fruitful, bear fruit, bring forth fruit, bear, be productive.
**Frugal,** *a.* Provident, economical, saving, sparing, choice, chary, careful, thrifty, unwasteful.
**Frugality,** *n.* Economy, thrift, thriftiness, good husbandry.
**Fruit,** *n.* 1. Produce (*of the earth for the supply of man and animals*), production, harvest, crop.
2. Product, result, consequence, effect, outcome.
3. Offspring, issue, young.
4. (*Bot.*) Matured ovary.
5. Edible succulent growth *or* product (*of certain plants and agreeable flavor*).
**Fruitful,** *a.* 1. Productive, abounding in fruit.
2. Prolific, fertile, fecund.
3. Plentiful, plenteous, abundant, rich.
**Fruition,** *n.* 1. Enjoyment (*in the possession* or *the use of anything*).
2. Fulfilment.
**Fruitless,** *a* 1. Unfruitful, unproductive, barren, sterile, unprolific, unfertile, infecund, acarpous.
2. Useless, unavailing, bootless, profitless, ineffectual, unprofitable, barren, vain, idle, futile, abortive, without avail.
**Frumpish,** } *a.* Cross, cross-tempered, cross-
**Frumpy,** } grained, snappish, irritable.
**Frush,** *n.* (*Farriery.*) 1. Frog (*of a horse's foot*).
2. Thrush (*disease of the frog*).
**Frustrate,** *v. a.* Defeat, disappoint, balk, foil, baffle, disconcert, circumvent, check, thwart, disappoint, bring to nought.
**Frustrate,** *a.* Vain, useless, ineffectual, frustrated, null, void, of no effect.
**Frustration,** *n.* Disappointment, defeat, balking, foiling, baffling, circumvention, check, thwarting, bringing to nought.
**Fry,** *v. a.* Cook in the frying-pan, cook in boiling fat.
**Fry,** *v. n.* 1. Be frying, be cooking in fat.
2. Simmer, stew, ferment (*with excessive heat*).
**Fry,** *n.* 1. Fried dish.
2. Agitation, (mental) ferment, stew (*colloq.*).
3. Small fishes, swarm of little fishes, small fry.
4. Crowd or swarm (*of insignificant objects*).
**Fuddle,** *v. a.* Intoxicate, inebriate, muddle, make drunk, stupefy with drink.
**Fuddled,** *a.* Drunk, intoxicated, inebriated, muddled, corned, tipsy, crapulous, groggy, boozy,

tight, high, slewed, muzzy, nappy, disguised, mellow, in liquor, half seas over, in one's cups, the worse for liquor, three sheets in the wind, has had a drop too much.

**Fudge,** *interj.* Nonsense, stuff, moonshine, pshaw, fiddle-de-dee, fiddle-faddle.

**Fudge,** *n.* Nonsense, stuff, moonshine, twaddle. See BALDERDASH.

**Fudge,** *v. a.* 1. Stick together, thrust together, fabricate, make up, contrive.
2. Thrust in, foist, interpolate.

**Fuel,** *n.* Firing, combustible matter, combustibles, material for burning, firing material.

**Fugacious,** *a.* Transitory, transient, evanescent, fleeting. See FUGITIVE.

**Fugitive,** *a.* 1. Fleeing, flying, escaping.
2. Transitory, transient, evanescent, fleeting, flying, fugacious, flitting, passing, momentary, short, brief, temporary, temporal, ephemeral, short-lived.

**Fugitive,** *n.* Runaway, deserter.

**Fugleman,** *n.* File-leader, leader, director, flugelman, coryphæus.

**Fulcrum,** *n.* Support (*of a lever*), prop.

**Fulfil,** *v. a.* [Written also *Fulfill.*] 1. Accomplish, effectuate, realize, effect, execute, bring to pass, complete, consummate, bring to completion, perfect, bring to perfection *or* greater perfection, carry out *or* to its intention.
2. Observe, obey, perform, do, discharge, keep, adhere to, comply with, be faithful to.
3. Meet, satisfy, answer, comply with, fill, fill out.

**Fulfilment,** *n.* [Written also *Fulfillment.*] 1. Accomplishment, realization, execution, completion, consummation.
2. Performance, discharge.
3. Satisfaction, answering, meeting, filling.

**Fulgurate,** *v. n.* Flash, lighten.

**Fulguration,** *n.* Flashing, lightening.

**Fulgurite,** *n.* Thunder-tube.

**Fuliginous,** *a.* 1. Sooty, smoky, fumy.
2. Dusky, dark.

**Full,** *a.* 1. Filled, replete.
2. Abounding, replete, well stocked *or* provided.
3. Satiated, sated, glutted, cloyed.
4. Saturated, soaked.
5. Complete, entire, perfect, adequate, mature.
6. Abundant, plentiful, copious, plenteous, sufficient, ample.
7. Loud, deep, strong, clear, distinct.
8. Comprehensive, capacious, broad, large, extensive.

**Full,** *n.* Entire extent, full measure, utmost, farthest *or* extreme limit.

**Full,** *ad.* 1. Quite, to the same degree.
2. Completely, fully.
3. Exactly, precisely, directly.

**Full,** *v. a.* Thicken and cleanse (*cloth*).

**Full-drive,** *ad.* (*Colloq.*) At a furious rate, as fast as possible, at full speed, at the top of one's speed, headlong, full-swing.

**Fuller's-thistle,** } *n.* Teasel (*Dipsacus fullo-*
**Fuller's-weed,** } *num*).

**Full-grown,** *a.* Mature, ripe, adult, complete.

**Fully,** *ad.* Completely, entirely, abundantly, largely, full, to the full.

**Fulminate,** *v. n.* 1. Explode, detonate.
2. Utter denunciations, thunder, pour out threats, hurl denunciations, fulmine.

**Fulminate,** *v. a.* 1. Utter with a menace, proclaim with denunciation, hurl, thunder, fulmine.
2. Explode, burst, rend asunder.

**Fulmination,** *n.* 1. Fulminating, hurling (*of threats, etc*), threatening, denunciation, denouncing.
2. Denunciation, threat, threatening, anathema, ban, curse, malediction.
3. Explosion, detonation.

**Fulness,** *a.* 1. Plenitude, copiousness, abundance, profusion, affluence, plenty.
2. Repletion, satiety, sating, glut.
3. Completeness, completion, perfection, entireness.
4. Strength, loudness, clearness, resonance.
5. Enlargement, swelling, distention, dilatation, dilation.

**Fulsome,** *a.* 1. Gross, excessive, offensively extravagant, offensive, nauseous.
2. Nauseous, nauseating, offensive, disgusting, repulsive.
3. Ribald, coarse, gross, tending to obscenity, questionable.

**Fulvid,** *a.* (*Rare.*) See FULVOUS.

**Fulvous,** *a.* Yellow, tawny, fulvid, yellowish-brown, dull yellow.

**Fumble,** *v. n.* 1. Feel about (*awkwardly* or *childishly*).
2. Grope, grope about, stumble, bungle, make awkward attempts, search to no purpose.
3. Mumble, stammer, stutter, stumble in speech.

**Fumbler,** *n.* Bungler, lubber, lout.

**Fume,** *n.* 1. Smoke, vapor, steam, exhalation, effluvium, reek.
2. Passion, rage, pet, fry, fret, storm, agitation, stew (*colloq.*).

**Fume,** *v. n.* 1. Smoke, reek, emit vapor, throw off vapor, give out exhalations.
2. Rage, rave, fret, bluster, storm, chafe, flare up, be in a passion, be in a rage, fly off at a tangent.

**Fumigate,** *v. a.* Smoke, expose to smoke *or* vapor, cleanse by smoke *or* vapor.

**Fumy,** *a.* Smoky, fuliginous, vaporous, full of smoke *or* vapor.

**Fun,** *n.* Pleasantry, drollery, sport, merriment, frolic, gayety.

**Funambulate,** *v. n.* Walk on a rope.

**Funambulist,** *n.* Rope-dancer, acrobat, lofty tumbler, equilibrist.

**Function,** *n.* 1. Performance, execution, discharge, exercise.
2. Office, duty, business, employment, occupation, part, province.
3. (*Math.*) Dependent, derivative, value derived.
4. (*Math.*) Law of derivation, form of function, form.

**Functionary,** *n.* Office-holder, incumbent of an office.

**Fund,** *n.* 1. Stock, capital.
2. Store, supply.
3. Foundation, permanent fund.
4. [*In pl., with The.*] National debt, national obligations, government bonds, consols, public funds.
5. [*In pl.*] Money, means, resources.

**Fundament,** *n.* 1. Bottom, seat, buttocks, rump (*humorous* or *contemptuous*).
2. Anus, rectal orifice, mouth of the rectum.

**Fundamental,** *a.* Essential, primary, indispensable, radical, constitutional, organic, most important, principal.

**Fundamental,** *n.* Leading principle, essential part, essential principle.

**Funeral,** *n.* Obsequies, exequies, burial, interment, burial rites, funeral solemnities, funeral rites.

**Funereal,** *a.* Mournful, sad, woful, lugubrious, melancholy, sepulchral, dark, sombre, gloomy, dismal, suitable to a funeral.

**Fungosity,** *n.* Excrescence, fungus.

**Fungous,** *a.* I. Excrescent, fungus-like, spongy.
2. Sudden and transient, ephemeral, mushroom, trashy, upstart.
**Fungus,** *n.* I. Spongy excrescence.
2. (*Bot.*) Species of cellular cryptogam *or* acotyledon.
**Funicle,** *n.* I. Fibre, filament, small cord, small ligature.
2. (*Bot.*) Protosperm, filamentous support of the ovule.
**Funk,** *n.* I. Stink, stench, fetor, bad odor, offensive smell.
2. (*Colloq.*) Fear, fright, shrinking panic.
**Funk,** *v. n.* (*Colloq.*) Shrink back, be in fear, be frightened, quail, blench.
**Funnel,** *n.* I. Tunnel.
2. Chimney-flue.
3. Stove-pipe, smoke-pipe, smoke-stack.
**Funny,** *a.* Comical, droll, farcical, ludicrous, sportive, humorous, laughable, diverting, amusing.
**Furbelow,** *n.* Flounce, frill.
**Furbish,** *v. a.* Burnish, polish, rub *or* scour bright.
**Furcate,** } *a.* Forked, fork-shaped, branching,
**Furcated,** } divaricated, furcular.
**Furcation,** *n.* Branching, forking, divarication.
**Furciferous,** *a.* (*Rare.*) Rascally, scoundrelly, villanous, blackguard.
**Furcula,** *n.* Wish-bone, wishing-bone, merry-thought.
**Furcular,** *a.* Forked, fork-like, forking, furcate, furcated, fork-shaped, branching, divaricated.
**Furfur,** *n.* Scurf, dandruff, branny scales.
**Furfuraceous,** *a.* I. Scurfy, branny, scaly, scabby, lentiginous.
2. Made of bran, bran, branny, full of bran, furfurous.
**Furious,** *a.* I. Raging, frantic, infuriated, frenzied, mad, violent, wild, fierce, excessively angry.
2. Vehement, impetuous, fierce, tempestuous, stormy, boisterous, tumultuous, turbulent.
**Furl,** *v. a.* Fold up, wrap up, roll up, fold, take in, haul in.
**Furlong,** *n.* Forty rods, poles, *or* perches; eighth of a mile.
**Furlough,** *n.* Leave of absence.
**Furlough,** *v. a.* Grant a furlough (to), give leave of absence.
**Furnish,** *v. a.* I. Provide, supply.
2. Equip, fit, fit up, fit out, fill *or* supply with furniture.
3. Give, bestow, present, contribute, afford.
**Furniture,** *n.* I. Movables, house-fittings, household goods.
2. Appendages, apparatus, appliances, fittings.
3. Equipage, ornaments, decorations, embellishments.
**Furor,** *n.* [L.] Fury, rage, madness, mania.
**Furore,** *n.* [It.] Rage, fury, excitement, great commotion, rush, enthusiasm.
**Furrow,** *n.* I. Trench (*made by a plough*).
2. Channel, groove, hollow, fluting, chamfer.
3. Wrinkle, seam, line, rugosity.
**Furrow,** *v. a.* I. Make furrows in, plough in furrows.
2. Hollow, cut in furrows, groove, channel, flute, chamfer.
3. Wrinkle, seam, pucker.
**Further,** *a.* I. Farther, more remote, more distant.
2. Farther on, to a greater distance *or* length, more in advance, farther.
3. Additional, farther.
**Further,** *ad.* I. Farther, more remotely, more in advance, to a greater distance (*from the starting point*), farther on.
2. Farther, moreover, besides, furthermore.
**Furtherance,** *n.* Promotion, advancement, helping forward.
**Furthermore,** *ad.* Moreover, besides, and then too.
**Furthest,** *a.* I. Farthest, remotest, most remote, most distant.
2. Longest, greatest, farthest reaching.
**Furthest,** *ad.* Farthest, to *or* at the greatest distance *or* length.
**Furtive,** *a.* Stolen, stealthy, surreptitious, clandestine, secret, sly.
**Furuncle,** *n.* Boil.
**Fury,** *n.* I. Rage, frenzy, madness, furor, storm of anger.
2. Impetuosity, vehemence, fierceness, turbulence, headlong rush.
3. Goddess of Vengeance, avenging deity.
4. Vixen, virago, hag, shrew, termagant, beldam, Xantippe, turbulent woman.
**Furze,** *n.* Gorse, goss, whin (*Ulex europæus*).
**Furze-chat,** *n.* Whin-chat (*Saxicola rubetra*).
**Furzeling,** } *n.* Dartford warbler (*Melizophilus*
**Furze-wren,** } *provincialis*).
**Furzy,** *a.* Gorsy, furzen, overgrown with furze, full of gorse.
**Fuse,** *v. a.* I. Melt, liquefy (*by heat*), smelt.
2. Amalgamate, blend, commingle, intermingle, intermix, make homogeneous.
**Fuse,** *v. n.* I. Melt, be fused.
2. Blend, intermingle, coalesce, amalgamate.
**Fuse,** *n.* Match, igniting tube, firing material.
**Fusel-oil,** *n.* Hydrate of amyl, grain oil, potato-spirit oil, oil of grain, corn-spirit oil.
**Fusiform,** *a.* Spindle-shaped.
**Fusion,** *n.* I. Liquefaction (*by heat*), melting.
2. Amalgamation, blending, commingling, commixture, intermingling, intermixture, making homogeneous.
**Fuss,** *n.* Ado, bustle, fidget, hurry, worry, flurry, stir, excitement, agitation, to-do, pucker (*colloq.*), much ado about trifles *or* about nothing.
**Fuss,** *v. n.* I. Bustle, be in a fidget, make much ado about trifles *or* about nothing, be in a stew *or* pucker (*colloq.*).
2. Fume, fret, worry.
**Fussy,** *a.* Bustling, fidgety, busy about trifles, making needless ado, making a great ado.
**Fust,** *n.* Mustiness, mould, mildew.
**Fust,** *v. n.* Mould, moulder, grow musty, mildew, get fusty.
**Fustian,** *n.* I. Bombast, rant, rhodomontade, inflated style, swelling *or* pompous phraseology.
2. Stuff, nonsense, trash, twaddle, inanity, etc. See BALDERDASH.
**Fusty,** *a.* Musty, mouldy, rank, ill-smelling, malodorous.
**Futile,** *a.* I. Trifling, frivolous, trivial.
2. Worthless, valueless, useless, profitless, fruitless, bootless, vain, idle, unprofitable, unavailing, ineffectual, of no *or* none effect, to no purpose.
**Futility,** *n.* I. Triviality, frivolousness.
2. Uselessness, worthlessness, vanity, bootlessness, fruitlessness.
**Future,** *n.* I. Futurity, time to come, coming time, subsequent time.
2. Coming events, events to come, what is yet to be, what may occur hereafter.
**Future,** *a.* I. Coming, to come, yet to be, that will be, hereafter.
2. (*Gram.*) Denoting futurity.
**Futurity,** *n.* The future. See FUTURE, *n.*

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**Gab,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) I. Mouth.
2. Prate, prattle, gabble, idle talk. See PRATE, *n.*
**Gab,** *v. n.* (*Colloq.*) Chatter, prate. See GABBLE, *v. n.*
**Gabble,** *v. n.* Chatter, prattle, babble, jabber, talk idly, rattle on. See PRATE, *v. n.*
**Gabble,** *n.* Prate, prattle, chatter, clack, cackle, gossip, palaver, gab, idle talk, small talk.
**Gabbler,** *n.* Prater, prattler, babbler, chatterer, tattler, gossip, gadabout, gadder, rattle-head, idle talker.
**Gad,** *v. n.* I. Rove about idly, ramble without definite purpose.
2. Go unrestrainedly, wag, run loose.
3. Gossip, rattle, prate, babble, tattle, talk mischievously.
**Gadder,** } *n.* I. Rover, idler, rambler, vagrant,
**Gadabout,** } loafer.
2. Gossip, tattler, babbler, chatterer, gabbler, prattler, prater, idle talker, talebearer.
**Gadfly,** *n.* Breese, horsefly, botfly.
**Gael,** *n.* Scotch Celt, Scotch Highlander.
**Gaffer,** *n.* I. Goodman.
2. Old rustic, old fellow.
3. Foreman (*of navvies*), overseer.
**Gaffle,** *n.* I. Artificial spur (*for fighting cocks*).
2. Cross-bow lever.
**Gag,** *v. a.* Silence, stifle, muzzle, muffle.
**Gag,** *v. n.* Retch, keck (*rare*).
**Gage,** *n.* I. Pawn, pledge, security.
2. Challenge, gauntlet, glove.
**Gage,** *v. a.* Pawn, impawn, pledge, give as security.
**Gain,** *n.* I. Profits, gainings, increase, excess of earnings over outlay.
2. Emolument, lucre, money-making.
3. Profit, advantage, benefit, good, blessing.
**Gain,** *v. a.* I. Get (*by effort*), acquire, obtain, procure, achieve, secure, carry, win, earn, get possession of.
2. Conciliate, persuade, enlist, get the good-will of, prevail upon, bring over, win over, gain over.
3. Reach, attain, arrive at, win to, win.
4. Get more, get a profit, profit.
**Gainful,** *a.* I. Advantageous, profitable, beneficial.
2. Lucrative, remunerative, productive, paying.
**Gain ground.** Increase, advance, progress, make progress.
**Gain on.** I. Obtain influence with, win the favor of, win upon.
2. Gain ground upon, gain upon, draw toward, be overtaking, get nearer to.
3. Get the advantage of, get the better of, beat, outstrip.
**Gain over.** Gain, enlist, persuade, conciliate, win over, bring over, prevail upon.
**Gainsay,** *v. a.* Contradict, deny, controvert, dispute.
**Gain upon.** See GAIN ON.
**Gairish,** *a.* [Written also *Garish.*] Glaring, staring, flaunting, showy, gaudy, tawdry, flashy.
**Gait,** *n.* I. Carriage, walk, manner of walking.
2. Walk, march, way.
**Gala-day,** *n.* Holiday, day of festivity, day of rejoicing.
**Galaxy,** *n.* I. Milky way.
2. Cosmic system, system of suns.
3. Splendid assemblage, brilliant collection.
**Gale,** *n.* I. (*Poetical.*) Wind, breeze, current of air.
2. Strong wind, violent wind, hard blow, storm, tempest, hurricane.
**Galena,** *n.* Native sulphuret of lead, sulphide of lead.
**Galipot,** *n.* [Written also *Gallipot.*] I. Concrete turpentine, resin (*of the Pinus maritimus*).
2. Burgundy pitch, common frankincense.
**Gall,** *n.* I. (*Anat.*) Bile.
2. Bitterness, rancor, acerbity, spite, malice, maliciousness, malignity.
3. Nutgall, gall-nut.
**Gall,** *v. a.* I. Chafe, fret, excoriate, hurt by rubbing.
2. Provoke, vex, irritate, tease, exasperate, incense, affront, harass, annoy, plague, sting.
**Gallant,** *a.* I. Gay, showy, fine, splendid, magnificent, well-dressed.
2. Courageous, brave, valiant, intrepid, valorous, heroic, chivalrous, fearless, bold, daring, high-spirited.
3. Magnanimous, noble, chivalrous, high-minded, fine, lofty, honorable.
4. Attentive to ladies, polite, courteous.
5. Fond of women, given to courtship.
**Gallant,** *n.* I. Beau, spark, *cicisbeo.*
2. Suitor, wooer, lover.
3. Paramour.
**Gallant,** *v. a.* Wait on (*ladies*), be attentive to.
**Gallantry,** *n.* I. Bravery, courage, courageousness, valor, intrepidity, prowess, heroism, boldness, fearlessness, chivalry, contempt of danger.
2. Courtesy, politeness, polite attention (*to ladies*).
3. Intrigue, illicit relation, base attentions.
**Gallery,** *n.* I. Corridor, passage.
2. Hanging platform, balcony.
3. Art collection, art museum, art gallery.
**Galley,** *n.* I. Oared ship.
2. Cook-room (*of a ship*), caboose.
**Gall-fly,** *n.* Gall-insect, Cynips.
**Gallic,** *a.* Made of galls, obtained *or* derived from galls.
**Gallic,** }
**Gallican,** } *a.* French, Gaulish.
**Gallicism,** *n.* French idiom.
**Gallimaufry,** *n.* I. Olio, ragout, hash.
2. Medley, farrago, jumble, miscellany, salmagundi, olio, hotch-potch, hodge-podge, confused mixture.
**Gall-insect,** *n.* Gall-fly, Cynips.
**Gallinule,** *n.* Water-hen, moor-hen, spotted crake (*Crex porzana*).
**Gallipot,** *n.* I. Druggist's pot, glazed earthen pot.
2. See GALIPOT.
**Gall-nut,** *n.* Nut-gall, gall.
**Gallon,** *n.* Four quarts.
**Gallop,** *v. n.* I. Go at a gallop.
2. Ride at a gallop.
3. Hurry, rush, fly, speed, scamper, run.
**Gallowses,** *n. pl.* Suspenders, braces.
**Gall-stone,** *n.* Bile-stone, biliary calculus.
**Galvanism,** *n.* Voltaic electricity, galvanic electricity, chemico-electricity, dynamic electricity.

**Galvanize,** *v. a.* I. Affect with galvanism, treat with galvanism, charge with voltaic electricity.
2. Electroplate.
3. Stimulate by galvanism, bring to a mock vitality.
**Gambier,** *n.* [Written also *Gambir* and *Gambeer.*] Catechu, cutch, terra japonica, japan earth.
**Gamble,** *v. n.* Game, play for money, practise gaming, play for stakes, practise gambling.
**Gambler,** *n.* I. Gamester, player, player for stakes.
2. Professional gambler, blackleg, cheating gamester, card-sharper.
**Gambling,** *n.* Gaming, playing for money *or* stakes.
**Gambol,** *v. n.* Frisk, frolic, romp, caper, cut capers, leap, hop, *or* skip (*in sport*).
**Gambol,** *n.* Frolic, prank, skip, hop, caper, romp.
**Gambrel-roof,** *n.* Curb-roof, mansard-roof.
**Game,** *n.* I. Sport, play, amusement, pastime.
2. Plan, scheme, stratagem, bit of strategy, enterprise, adventure, undertaking, measure.
3. Animals of the chase.
4. Quarry, prey.
**Game,** *a.* I. Courageous, brave, resolute, unflinching, fearless, valorous, dauntless, intrepid, gallant, heroic.
2. Made of game, of game.
**Game,** *v. n.* Gamble, play for money *or* stakes, practise gaming *or* gambling, be addicted to play.
**Gamesome,** *a.* Gay, sportive, vivacious, sprightly, frolicsome, playful, lively, frisky, full of frolic.
**Gamester,** *n.* See GAMBLER.
**Gamin,** *n.* [Fr.] Idle boy, blackguard boy, street Arab, hoodlum, young rough.
**Gaming,** *n.* Gambling, playing for money.
**Gammer,** *n.* Goody, goodwoman, goodwife.
**Gammon,** *n.* I. Imposition, hoax, humbug. See CHEAT, *n.*
2. Smoked ham, ham of bacon.
**Gammon,** *v. a.* I. Deceive, cheat, humbug, hoax, chouse, trick, dupe, gull, cozen, overreach, outwit, bamboozle, circumvent, delude, beguile, mislead, inveigle, impose upon.
2. Cure and smoke, convert into bacon.
3. (*Naut.*) Lash (*the bowsprit to the stem*).
**Gamut,** *n.* Scale.
**Gamy,** *a.* High, almost tainted, high-flavored.
**Gander,** *n.* Male goose.
**Gang,** *n.* Company, crew, band, horde, party, set, clique, coterie, cabal.
**Gangrene,** *n.* Mortification.
**Gangrene,** *v. a.* Mortify.
**Gangrene,** *v. n.* Mortify, be mortified, lose vitality.
**Gangue,** *n.* Matrix (*of an ore*).
**Gangway,** *n.* Passage-way, passage.
**Gannet,** *n.* Solan-goose, noddy, booby (*Sula bassana*).
**Gaol,** *n.* [Written also and usually *Jail.*] Prison.
**Gap,** *n.* Cleft, crevice, opening, chink, cranny, crack, interstice, breach, rift, break, hiatus, lacuna.
**Gape,** *v. n.* I. Yawn.
2. Open the mouth (*as in staring*).
3. Open, dehisce, yawn, be opened, be separated.
**Garb,** *n.* Dress, clothes, habit, apparel, garments, vesture, raiment, attire, habiliment, costume.
**Garbage,** *n.* Refuse (*of flesh*), offal.
**Garble,** *v. a.* Mutilate (*a quotation*), falsify, pervert, corrupt, misrepresent, misquote.
**Garden-spider,** *n.* Cross-spider, diadem-spider.
**Garden-warbler,** *n.* See BECAFICO.
**Gar-fish,** *n.* Greenbone, horn-fish, sea-needle, gar-pike, sea-pike, long-nose, gore-bill, sword-fish, mackerel-guide, snook (*Esox belone* or *Belone vulgaris*).
**Gargantuan,** *a.* Brobdingnagian, huge beyond belief, incredibly big, prodigious, enormous, tremendous.
**Garget,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Poke, poke-weed, pigeon-berry (*Phytolacca decandra*).
**Gargoyle,** *n.* [Written also *Gargoil* and *Gargyle.*] Spout, projecting conductor.
**Garish,** *a.* [Written also *Gairish.*] Flaunting, staring, glaring, showy, gaudy, tawdry, flashy.
**Garland,** *n.* Wreath, chaplet, crown, coronal, bays.
**Garment,** *n.* Vestment, article of clothing.
**Garments,** *n. pl.* Clothes, dress, habit. See GARB.
**Garner,** *n.* Granary.
**Garner,** *v. a.* Gather (*for preservation*), store, hoard, deposit, save, husband, reserve, collect, garner up, treasure up, lay in, lay up, lay by, set by.
**Garner up.** Same as GARNER.
**Garnish,** *v. a.* Adorn, decorate, embellish, deck, bedeck, beautify, grace, ornament, prank, set off, set out, trick out.
**Garniture,** *n.* Embellishments, decorations, ornaments, adornments, furniture, ornamental appendages, setting off.
**Gar-pike,** *n.* See GAR-FISH.
**Garret,** *n.* Attic, loft, cock-loft, upper story.
**Garrulity,** *n.* Loquacity, loquaciousness, babble, babbling, talkativeness, prattle, prate.
**Garrulous,** *a.* Loquacious, talkative, prating, prattling, babbling.
**Gas,** *n.* Aeriform fluid, elastic fluid.
**Gasconade,** *n.* Boast, brag, vaunt, bravado, vaporing, fanfaronade, bluster, swagger, great cry and little wool.
**Gasconade,** *v. n.* Boast, brag, vaunt, swagger, bluster, vapor.
**Gasconader,** *n.* Boaster, braggart, blusterer, vaporer, fanfaron.
**Gash,** *v. a.* Cut deeply, make a deep incision *or* deep incisions in.
**Gash,** *n.* Deep cut, gaping wound.
**Gas-holder,** *n.* Gasometer.
**Gas-meter,** *n.* Gasometer.
**Gasometer,** *n.* I. Gas-holder.
2. Gas-meter.
**Gasp,** *v. n.* Pant, puff, blow, labor for breath, breathe convulsively.
**Gassy,** *a.* I. Gas-like, gaseous.
2. (*Colloq.*) Inflated, bombastic, pompous.
**Gas-tar,** *n.* Coal-tar.
**Gastric,** *a.* Of the stomach.
**Gastronome,** } *n.* Epicure, high-liver, gour-
**Gastronomer,** } mand, fine-feeder, *gourmet.*
**Gastronomist,** *n.* I. See GASTRONOME.
2. *Connoisseur* in gastronomy, judge of cookery.
**Gastronomy,** *n.* I. Art of cookery.
2. Epicurism, pleasures of the table.
**Gastroscopy,** *n.* (*Med.*) Abdominoscopy.
**Gather,** *v. a.* I. Collect, muster, assemble, congregate, bring together, draw together.
2. Accumulate, amass, hoard, garner, garner up, heap up, gather up.
3. Pluck, crop, pick, cull, reap, glean.
4. Gain, win, acquire, get.
5. Infer, deduce, conclude, draw the inference.
6. Fold, fold up *or* together, draw together.
7. Plait, pucker.
**Gather,** *v. n.* I. Muster, congregate, assemble, collect, come together.
2. Collect, increase, thicken, be condensed.

**Gathering,** *n.* I. Acquisition collecting, procuring, earning, gain.
2. Assemblage, assembly, company, meeting, collection, concourse, congregation, muster.
3. Abscess, sore, ulcer, fester, imposthume, pustule, suppuration, suppurating tumor.
**Gaucherie,** *n.* [Fr.] Uncouthness, awkwardness, blundering, bungling, lack of social polish.
**Gaud,** *n.* [Written also *Gawd.*] Trinket, gewgaw, bawble, trifle, toy, worthless piece of finery.
**Gaudy,** *a.* Flaunting, garish, tawdry, glittering, tinsel, over-decorated, flashy, showy, loud (*colloq.*).
**Gauge,** *v. a.* I. Measure (*a cask, etc.*), find the contents of, ascertain the capacity of.
2. Measure (*as to ability*), estimate.
**Gauge,** *n.* I. Measure, standard, means of estimating.
2. Measure, measuring instrument, carpenter's gauge.
**Gaunt,** *a.* Lean, thin, lank, emaciated, meagre, slender, spare, attenuated.
**Gavel,** *n.* Mallet (*of a presiding officer*).
**Gavial,** *n.* Gangetic crocodile.
**Gawk,** *n.* Clown, boor, booby, awkward simpleton, lout, bumpkin, gawky.
**Gawky,** *a.* Awkward, ungainly, clownish, boorish, rustic, clumsy, raw, green, uncouth, loutish.
**Gawky,** *n.* Clown, boor, booby, lout, bumpkin, gawk, awkward simpleton.
**Gay,** *a.* I. Showy, bright, fine, brilliant, dashing.
2. Gaudy, flaunting, flashy, garish, tawdry, glittering, tinsel, loud (*colloq.*).
3. Merry, lively, cheerful, gleeful, jovial, sprightly, blithe, blithesome, airy, sportive, frolicsome, gladsome, jolly, vivacious, hilarious, light-hearted.
**Gayety,** *n.* [Written also *Gaiety.*] I. Show, showiness, gaudiness, finery, glitter, brilliancy, tinsel, gaudiness, garishness, flashiness.
2. Liveliness, cheerfulness, joyousness, joviality, sprightliness, mirth, blithesomeness, merriment, glee, hilarity, jollity, vivacity, animation, good-humor, high spirits.
**Gaze,** *v. n.* Look intently, look long, look fixedly, keep one's look fixed, look long and earnestly.
**Gaze,** *n.* Intent look, fixed look.
**Gazette,** *n.* I. Newspaper, journal.
2. Official newspaper *or* journal.
**Gazette,** *v. a.* Publish officially, officially announce.
**Gazetteer,** *n.* Geographical dictionary.
**Gear,** *n.* I. Array, dress. See APPAREL.
2. Accoutrements, harness, array, armor, appointments.
3. Appointments, appliances, appurtenances, equipments, accessories, subsidiaries.
4. Harness, trappings, accoutrements, tackle, draught-gear.
5. Mechanism, machinery, mechanical appliances.
6. Gearing, toothed wheels, series of cog-wheels.
7. Rigging, tackle.
**Gearing,** *n.* See GEAR.
**Geld,** *v. a.* Castrate, emasculate, glib, deprive of virility.
**Gelder-rose,** *n.* Snow-ball tree.
**Gelid,** *a.* (*Rare.*) Very cold, chill, chilly.
**Gelidity,** *n.* Extreme cold, chill, chilliness.
**Gem,** *n.* I. Jewel, precious stone.
2. (*Bot.*) Bud, germ.
**Gem,** *v. a.* I. Adorn with gems, begem, jewel, bejewel.
2. Embellish, bespangle, spangle.
**Geminate,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Doubled, twin, in pairs, binate.
**Gemini,** *n. pl.* [L.] (*Astron.*) The twins, Castor and Pollux.
**Gemmation,** *n.* I. (*Zoöl.*) Reproduction by buds.
2. (*Bot.*) Budding, germination, leaving out.
3. Time of budding, budding season.
**Gemmule,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Small bud.
**Gender,** *n.* I. Sex.
2. (*Gram.*) Inflection for sex, form relative to sex.
**Genealogy,** *n.* I. Pedigree, list of ancestors.
2. Descent, derivation.
**General,** *a.* I. Universal, of the whole (*genus, class, etc.*), catholic, not partial, not special, not particular.
2. Ecumenical.
3. Common, usual, ordinary.
4. Vague, indefinite, lax, ill-defined, inexact, inaccurate.
**General,** *n.* I. Whole, total.
2. (*Mil.*) Commander-in-chief, generalissimo, captain-general.
3. (*Mil.*) General officer (*brigadier, major-general, lieutenant-general*).
**Generalissimo,** *n.* Commander-in-chief, general, captain-general.
**Generality,** *n.* I. Universality, generic extent.
2. Bulk, mass, greater part, main body, common run.
**Generally,** *ad.* I. Commonly, usually, in general, in the usual course of things, as the world goes, in most cases.
2. In the main, without particularizing, without details.
**Generate,** *v. a.* I. Beget, procreate, engender, breed, propagate.
2. Produce, form, make, beget, engender, breed, cause, bring about, bring into existence.
**Generation,** *n.* I. Procreation.
2. Production, formation.
3. Progeny, offspring, succession of descendants.
4. Family, stock, race, breed.
5. Body of equals in age, collection of those of nearly the same age, people of the same age.
6. (*Math.*) Formation (*by movement*).
**Generosity,** *n.* I. Nobleness, disinterestedness, magnanimity, high-mindedness.
2. Liberality, bounty, bounteousness, bountifulness, charity, munificence.
**Generous,** *a.* I. Noble, magnanimous, honorable, high-minded.
2. Liberal, bountiful, beneficent, munificent, charitable, open-handed, free-hearted.
**Geneva,** *n.* Gin.
**Genial,** *a.* I. Fostering, cheering, enlivening, inspiriting, encouraging,
2. Cordial, hearty.
3. Cheerful, pleasant, merry, mirthful, jovial.
**Genitals,** *n. pl.* Sexual organs, private parts, organs of generation, pudenda.
**Genitive,** *a.* Possessive.
**Genius,** *n.* I. Bent, turn, aptitude, aptness, capacity, faculty, endowment, talent, gift.
2. Invention, ingenuity, intellect, sagacity, brains, parts, wit, mother-wit, inspiration, creative power, power of invention.
3. Adept, proficient, master, master-hand, man of genius.
4. Nature, character, disposition, peculiar constitution, characteristic quality.
5. Spirit, tutelary deity, guardian spirit, guardian angel.
**Genteel,** *a.* I. Refined, polite, courteous, polished, civil, well-bred, gentlemanly *or* lady-like.
2. Fashionable, stylish, elegant (*in dress, style of living, etc.*).

**Gentile,** *n.* Pagan, heathen, worshipper of false gods.
**Gentility,** *n.* Politeness, courtesy, urbanity, good-breeding, good behavior, refinement of manners.
**Gentle,** *a.* I. Mild, bland, moderate, kind, tender, compassionate, indulgent, meek, soft, humane, clement, lenient, merciful, of a sweet disposition, gentle-hearted, tender-hearted.
2. Tame, docile, peaceable, quiet, tractable, pacific, dove-like.
3. Light, moderate, soft, bland, zephyr-like, mild.
4. High-born, noble, well-born, of good family.
5. Refined, cultivated, well-bred, polished, courteous.
**Gentlefolk,** } *n. pl.* People of good family and
**Gentlefolks,** } good breeding, lords and ladies, ladies and gentlemen.
**Gentleman,** *n.* I. [*Eng.*] Man of good family (*above the rank of yeoman*).
2. Man of good breeding, well-mannered man, refined *or* polished man, man of delicacy and honor.
**Gentlemanly,** } *a.* Polite, courteous, civil, re-
**Gentlemanlike,** } fined, cultivated, honorable, delicate, urbane, genteel, well-bred.
**Gentry,** *n.* [*Eng.*] Middle class, people of good position (*between the nobility and the vulgar*).
**Genuine,** *a.* I. Pure, uncorrupt, unalloyed, unadulterated, true, real, veritable, authentic, what it purports to be.
2. Native, unaffected, sincere.
**Genus,** *n.* I. Group (*subordinate to a class, tribe,* or *order*), assemblage of species.
2. (*Log.*) Relative, universal, kind *or* sort *or* class to which particulars belong.
**Geodesy,** *n.* Land-surveying (*on a large scale, as when the curvature of the earth is taken into account*).
**Geometer,** *n.* Geometrician.
**Geometrician,** *n.* Geometer.
**Geoponic,** } *a.* Agricultural.
**Geoponical,** }
**Geoponics,** *n. pl.* Agriculture, husbandry, culture of the soil, tillage, rural economy.
**Georgium Sidus.** [L.] (*Astron.*) Uranus Herschel.
**Geranium,** *n.* Cranesbill.
**Germ,** *n.* I. Embryo, ovum (*in animals*), ovule (*in plants*), seed-bud, young bud.
2. Origin, source, first principle, originating *or* originative principle.
**German,** *a.* I. Born of the same father and mother, full.
2. Born of brothers *or* sisters *or* of brothers and sisters.
3. Cognate, pertinent, relevant. See GERMANE.
4. Of Germany, belonging to *or* characteristic of Germans *or* Germany.
**Germane,** *a.* I. Related, akin, allied, cognate.
2. Relevant, pertinent, apposite, appropriate, suitable, fitting, to the purpose, to the point.
**German-silver,** *n.* Packfong, white copper, white alloy of nickel.
**German-tinder,** *n.* Punk, spunk, touchwood, black-match, pyrotechnical sponge, amadou.
**Germinate,** *v. n.* Sprout, shoot, vegetate, bud, push, pullulate, put forth, burst forth, spring up, begin to vegetate.
**Gestation,** *n.* Pregnancy.
**Gestic,** *a.* Legendary, traditional, historical.
**Gesticulate,** *v. n.* Make gestures, gesture.
**Gesticulation,** *n.* See GESTURE, *n.*
**Gesture,** *n.* Action (*accompanying oral utterance*), gesticulation, gesturing.
**Gesture,** *v. n.* Gesticulate, make gestures.
**Get,** *v. a.* I. Procure, obtain, acquire, gain, win, earn, achieve, realize, secure, come by.
2. Master, finish, prepare.
3. Learn, memorize, commit to memory, get by heart.
4. Beget, generate, engender, procreate, breed.
5. Procure to be, cause to be, have.
6. Persuade, induce, dispose, influence, prevail upon.
7. Receive.
8. [Always in past participle with *have*.] Have, be in possession of, possess.
**Get,** *v. n.* I. Gain, make acquisition, increase (one's goods *or* position *or* power).
2. Become, fall, go.
3. Arrive, reach, win.
**Get ahead.** Proceed, progress, advance, get on, get forward, get along.
**Get along.** Proceed. See GET AHEAD.
**Get among.** Come among, come into the company of.
**Get asleep.** Go to sleep, fall asleep.
**Get at.** I. Discover, determine, ascertain, find out.
2. Reach, make way to, get hold of.
**Get away.** Depart, go away.
**Get away from.** Quit, leave, disengage one's self from.
**Get back.** I. Return, come back.
2. Obtain again, get possession of again.
3. Obtain in return.
**Get before.** Come in front of.
**Get behind.** I. Lag, fall behind *or* below, fall in the rear.
2. Take a position behind, get in the rear of.
**Get between.** Come between.
**Get by heart.** Memorize, learn, learn by heart *or* by rote, commit to memory.
**Get clear.** I. Be released, disengage one's self, get free, get loose, get off.
2. Be acquitted.
**Get down.** Descend, come down.
**Get drunk.** Become intoxicated.
**Get forward.** Proceed, progress, advance, get along, get ahead, get on.
**Get free.** Be released, get clear, get loose, get off, escape.
**Get head.** Gain strength, make progress.
**Get home.** Reach home, arrive at home.
**Get in.** (*Active.*) Put under cover, gather into a storehouse.
**Get in.** (*Neuter.*) Come in, pass in, go in.
**Get into.** I. Mount, climb into.
2. Be admitted into.
3. Penetrate, get inside of.
**Get into a mess.** (*Colloq.*) Get into difficulty. See GET INTO HOT WATER.
**Get into hot water.** Get into difficulty, get into trouble, get into a mess (*colloq.*), fish in troubled waters.
**Get loose.** Disengage one's self, get free, get clear, get off, be released.
**Get near.** Come near.
**Get off.** I. Escape, get clear, get free, be acquitted.
2. Depart, go away.
3. Alight from, descend from.
**Get on.** (*Active.*) Put on, draw on.
**Get on.** (*Neuter.*) Proceed, progress, advance, get along, get ahead, get forward.
**Get out.** I. Come out.
2. Be extricated.
3. Clear out (*colloq.*), begone, avaunt, away with you, be off, get you gone.
**Get over.** I. Climb over.

2. Surmount, conquer, overcome.
3. Recover from.

**Get quit of.** Be freed from, get rid of, get free from, be extricated from.

**Get rid of.** 1. Dispose of, shift off, cast off.
2. Be freed from, be relieved from, get clear of, get quit of.

**Get thee gone.** Depart, go away, haste away, get out, clear out (*colloq.*), be off, away with you, avaunt, begone.

**Get the hang of.** Understand, comprehend, get acquainted with, get accustomed to, get used to, become familiar with, see into, know all about.

**Get the start.** 1. Be first, be ahead, get the lead.
2. Start first, be *or* get ahead at the start, get a lead at starting.

**Get the start of.** Be ahead of, have the advantage of, take the lead of, outstrip, get at a disadvantage.

**Get through.** 1. Pass through, go through.
2. Accomplish, finish, complete, do.

**Getting,** *n.* Acquisition, acquirement.

**Get together.** (*Active.*) 1. Collect, assemble, muster, convene.
2. Collect, accumulate, amass, pile up, heap up.
3. Combine, make up, contrive, conjoin, put together.

**Get together.** (*Neuter.*) Meet, convene, assemble, congregate, come together.

**Get up.** (*Active.*) 1. Prepare, make ready.
2. Print and publish.

**Get up.** (*Neuter.*) 1. Arise, rise.
2. Ascend, climb.

**Gewgaw,** *n.* Bawble, trifle, trinket, toy, plaything, gaud, worthless piece of finery.

**Geyser,** *n.* Boiling spring.

**Ghastly,** *a.* 1. Pale, wan, cadaverous, death-like.
2. Dismal, hideous, grim, grisly, terrible, horrible, frightful, shocking.

**Ghost,** *n.* 1. Spirit, soul.
2. Apparition, spectre, sprite, phantom, shade, departed spirit.

**Ghostly,** *a.* 1. Spiritual, of the soul.
2. Spectral, phantom-like.

**Giant,** *n.* Monster, Cyclops, colossus, Hercules, huge man.

**Giant,** *a.* Huge. See GIGANTIC.

**Gibbering,** } *n.* Jargon, gabble, jabber, gibble-
**Gibberish,** } gabble, balderdash, nonsense, prate, prating, drivel, idle talk, empty babble, empty sound.

**Gibbet,** *n.* Gallows, hangman's tree.

**Gibbet,** *v. a.* Hang on a gallows.

**Gibble-gabble,** *n.* Prate, prattle. See GABBLE.

**Gibbon,** *n.* Hylobate, long-armed ape.

**Gibbosity,** *n.* Convexity, protuberance, prominence, swelling, gibbousness.

**Gibbous,** *a.* 1. Convex, protuberant, swelling, rounded.
2. Humped, hunched, hump-backed, crook-backed.

**Gibbousness,** *n.* See GIBBOSITY.

**Gibe,** *v. n.* Sneer, scoff, jeer, fleer, flout.

**Gibe,** *v. a.* Flout, taunt, deride, ridicule, jeer, twit, scoff at, sneer at, jeer at.

**Gibe,** *n.* Sneer, scoff, taunt, flout, biting jest.

**Giddiness,** *n.* Vertigo, dizziness, swimming of the head.

**Giddy,** *a.* 1. Vertiginous, dizzy.
2. Changeable, fickle, inconstant, unsteady, mutable, unstable, vacillating, irresolute.
3. Careless, heedless, thoughtless, wild, reckless, headlong, flighty, hair-brained, giddy-brained, light-headed.

**Giddy-brained,** *a.* Hair-brained, heedless. See GIDDY, 3.

**Gift,** *n.* 1. Donation, present, benefaction, boon, gratuity, grant, offering, contribution, subscription, donative, largess, subsidy, allowance, endowment, bounty, bequest, legacy, dower, demise, dotation, *douceur*.
2. Talent, power, faculty, capability, capacity, ability, endowment, genius, turn, *forte*.

**Gifted,** *a.* Talented, able, ingenious, sagacious, inventive, intelligent.

**Gift of the gab.** (*Colloq.*) Fluency, volubility, glibness, readiness of speech, command of language, facility of expression.

**Gigantic,** *a.* Huge, vast, enormous, colossal, prodigious, Cyclopean, Herculean, giant, very large.

**Giggle,** *n.* Titter, silly laugh, snicker, snigger.

**Giggle,** *v. n.* Laugh (*in a silly manner*), titter, cackle, snicker, snigger.

**Gild,** *v. a.* 1. Coat with gold-leaf, overlay with gold.
2. Adorn, brighten, illuminate, make lustrous, make bright.

**Gill,** *n.* 1. Quarter of a pint.
2. (*Bot.*) Alehoof, haymaids, ground-ivy (*Nepeta glechoma*).
3. Sweetheart, dolly, doxy, wanton girl.

**Gimcrack,** *n.* Trifle, toy, knicknack, knack, jig-gumbob.

**Gin,** *n.* 1. Geneva.
2. Machine, crane, whim, windlass, whim-gin, whimsey, whin.
3. Cotton-gin.
4. Trap, snare, net, toils, noose, springe.

**Gin,** *v. a.* 1. Pass through the gin, clear of seeds (*as cotton*).
2. Catch in a gin, capture, snare.

**Gin,** *v. n.* [*Archaic* or *poetical.*] Begin, commence.

**Ginger-beer,** *n.* Ginger-pop.

**Gingerly,** *ad.* 1. Cautiously, tenderly, carefully.
2. Daintily, fastidiously.

**Ginger-pop,** *n.* Ginger-beer.

**Gingle,** *v. n.* [Written preferably *Jingle*]. Tinkle.

**Gingle,** *v. a.* Tinkle.

**Gingle,** *n.* Tinkle, jingling, jingling sound.

**Gingling,** *n.* See GINGLE, *n.*

**Giraffe,** *n.* Camelopard.

**Girandole,** *n.* Chandelier.

**Girasole,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Turnsole, heliotrope.

**Gird,** *v. a.* 1. Girdle, bind round, bind with a girdle.
2. Surround, encircle, encompass, enclose, environ, engird, begird.
3. Clothe, invest, equip, furnish.
4. Reproach, gibe, sneer at, lash, satirize.

**Gird,** *v. n.* Gibe, sneer, make scornful jests, utter sarcasms.

**Girder,** *n.* 1. Main beam.
2. Sneerer, giber, sarcastic derider.

**Girdle,** *n.* Band (*for the waist*), belt, cincture, cestus.

**Girdle,** *v. a.* 1. Gird, bind round.
2. Environ, encompass, surround, enclose, embrace, girt, shut in.
3. [*U. S.*] Cut round, incise about, cut a girth round the bark of.

**Girdled,** *a.* Girded, cinctured, belted.

**Girl,** *n.* Lass, lassie, damsel, miss, maiden, maid, virgin, young woman, young unmarried woman.

**Girt,** } *n.* 1. Belly-band.
**Girth,** } 2. Circumference, distance around.

**Gist,** *n.* Essence, pith, marrow, core, substance, main point.

**Give,** *v. a.* 1. Bestow (*voluntarily and without compensation*), accord. See CONFER.
2. Furnish, supply, afford, spare, accommodate with.
3. Impart, communicate.

4. Pay, exchange.
5. Permit, allow, vouchsafe, deign. See GRANT.
6. Utter, pronounce, render.
7. Produce, yield, show as a product.
8. Cause, occasion.
9. Devote, apply, addict, give up.

**Give,** *v. n.* I. Yield (*to pressure*), give way, sink, bend.
2. Yield, recede, retire, give way, retreat.
3. Lead, open, afford entrance, look out, afford a view.

**Give a handle.** Furnish an occasion, give an opportunity.

**Give away.** Transfer (*without an equivalent*), make over gratis, part with gratuitously.

**Give back.** Return, restore.

**Give chase.** Pursue, follow on.

**Give ear.** Listen, hear, hearken, attend.

**Give in.** (*Active.*) I. Hand in, pass in.
2. Abate, deduct, discount.

**Give in.** (*Neuter.*) Yield, surrender, give up, cry quits, cry quarter.

**Give one's self up.** I. Resign one's self, devote one's self.
2. Addict one's self, abandon one's self.

**Give one the lie.** Charge one with lying.

**Give one the lie in one's throat.** Charge one with lying outrageously.

**Give over.** I. Leave, quit, abandon, cease from.
2. Consider hopeless, consider lost, give up.

**Give out.** (*Active.*) I. Emit, send forth.
2. Proclaim, announce, report, publish.

**Give out.** (*Neuter.*) I. Fail, come short.
2. Be exhausted, spend one's strength.

**Give place.** I. Withdraw, retire, recede, retreat, give way, make room.
2. Yield precedence.

**Giver,** *n.* Donor, bestower, disposer, donator (*law*).

**Give up.** (*Active.*) I. Resign, relinquish, yield, surrender.
2. Abandon, forsake, leave, quit, cease from, give over.
3. Consider hopeless, consider lost, give over.

**Give up.** (*Neuter.*) Yield, surrender, give in, cry quits, cry quarter.

**Give up the ghost.** Die, expire, depart, decease, leave the world, draw the last breath, cease to exist.

**Give way.** I. Withdraw, recede, retire, retreat, make room.
2. Fail, break, be broken.
3. (*Naut.*) Row, bend to the oars.

**Gizzard,** *n.* Third stomach (*in birds*).

**Glabrous,** *a.* Smooth, hairless, destitute of pubescence.

**Glacial,** *a.* I. Icy, frozen, consisting of ice, icy-looking.
2. Of glaciers, pertaining to glaciers.

**Glaciarium,** *n.* Skating-rink.

**Glaciate,** *v. a.* I. Freeze, congeal, convert into ice.
2. Cover with ice, coat with ice, freeze over.
3. Cover with traces of a glacier.

**Glaciate,** *v. n.* Freeze, congeal, turn to ice.

**Glacier,** *n.* Ice-torrent, ice-stream.

**Glad,** *a.* I. Pleased, delighted, gratified, rejoiced, happy, well contented.
2. Cheerful, joyous, joyful, gladsome, happy, merry, elate, elated, jocund, playful, light-hearted, light, animated, cheery.
3. Cheering, animating, gratifying, pleasing, exhilarating, bright, gladdening, joyous, joyful.

**Glad,** *v. a.* (*Poetical.*) Delight. See GLADDEN.

**Gladden,** *v. a.* Delight, cheer, gratify, rejoice, bless, exhilarate, glad, make glad, please highly, make joyous *or* happy, fill with joy *or* pleasure, render light-hearted.

**Gladden,** *v. n.* Become glad, grow happy *or* joyous, smile, beam, light up, grow light, brighten, grow bright.

**Glad-eye,** *n.* Yellow-hammer (*Emberiza citrinella*).

**Gladiate,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Sword-shaped, ensiform.

**Gladiator,** *n.* Sword-player, prize-fighter (*in ancient Rome*).

**Gladness,** *n.* Joy, joyfulness, joyousness, happiness, gratification, delight, pleasure.

**Gladsome,** *a.* Pleased, delighted, cheerful, joyful, joyous, glad, gay, blithe, blithesome, gleeful, jovial, jolly, merry, lively, jocund, airy, vivacious, sprightly, sportive, frolicsome, light-hearted.

**Glair,** *n.* White of an egg.

**Glamour,** *n.* I. Witchery (*applied to the eye so as to make things seem to be what they are not*).
2. Fantastic light, imaginary glory, bewitchment, glow, enthusiasm.

**Glance,** *n.* I. Glitter, gleam.
2. Glimpse, transitory view, rapid look.

**Glance,** *v. n.* I. Glitter, gleam, shine, flash, coruscate, scintillate, glisten, glister.
2. Flit, dart, appear and disappear.
3. Dart aside, fly off obliquely.
4. Snatch a glance, snatch a momentary look, look hurriedly.
5. Make passing allusion, reflect upon, hint at, censure.

**Glance at.** Take a glimpse at, look at cursorily.

**Glance-coal,** *n.* Anthracite, hard coal, blind-coal, stone-coal, culm.

**Glare,** *v. n.* I. Flare, dazzle, glitter, glisten, gleam, sparkle.
2. Glower, look fierce, look black.

**Glare,** *n.* I. Glitter, flare, dazzling light.
2. Fierce look, glower.

**Glare ice.** Polished ice, smooth ice.

**Glaring,** *a.* I. Dazzling, glittering.
2. Barefaced, notorious, conspicuous, open, manifest, extreme.

**Glasses,** *n. pl.* Spectacles.

**Glass-worm,** *n.* See GLOW-WORM.

**Glasswort,** *n.* Saltwort, marsh-samphire (*Salicornia herbacea*).

**Glassy,** *a.* I. Vitreous.
2. Hyaline, crystal, crystalline, transparent, shining, lucent, gleaming, brilliant.

**Glauber's-salt,** *n.* Sulphate of soda.

**Glaucous,** *a.* Sea-green.

**Glaze,** *v. a.* I. Put glass in (*windows*), furnish with glass.
2. Cover with a glassy substance, incrust with a glaze.
3. Calender, polish, gloss, burnish, furbish, give a glossy surface to.

**Glaze,** *v. n.* Become glassy, grow dim, grow filmy, become lustreless.

**Glaze,** *n.* Glazing, enamel.

**Glazing,** *n.* I. Setting glass.
2. Calendering.
3. Glaze, enamel.

**Gleam,** *n.* I. Ray, beam, glance, glimmer, glimmering.
2. Lustre, brightness, splendor, gleaming, flash, flashing, coruscation, glitter, glittering.

**Gleam,** *v. n.* Glimmer, shine, glitter, sparkle, coruscate, flash, beam, glance.

**Glean,** *v. a.* I. Gather (*after reapers*).
2. Collect, cull, pick up.

**Glebe,** *n.* I. Soil, clod, sod, turf, ground.
2. Parish land, church demesne.

**Glee,** *n.* I. Merriment, mirth, gayety, joviality, jollity, exhilaration, liveliness, sportiveness, jocularity, hilarity.

2. Light song, song of interwoven melodies.
**Gleeful,** *a.* Glad, merry, joyous, light, light-hearted, gay, happy, jocund, elate.
**Glen,** *n.* Valley, vale, dale, dell, dingle.
**Glib,** *a.* 1. Smooth, slippery.
2. Voluble, fluent, ready, talkative, nimble of speech, ready in speech, of a ready tongue.
**Glib,** *v. a.* Castrate, geld, emasculate, deprive of virility.
**Glide,** *v. n.* 1. Slip, slide, move smoothly.
2. Flow, lapse, run, roll on.
**Glide,** *n.* Lapse, slip, gliding, sliding, continuous motion.
**Glimmer,** *v. n.* Shine (*faintly*), gleam, glitter.
**Glimmer, Glimmering,** *n.* 1. Gleam (*of faint, unsteady light*), ray, beam.
2. Glimpse, glance, transitory view, faint view.
**Glimpse,** *n.* Glance, glimmering, transitory view. rapid look, momentary perception, glint (*Scotch*).
**Glint,** *n.* [*Scotch.*] Glance. See GLIMPSE.
**Glisten, Glister,** *v. n.* Sparkle, glitter, shine fitfully. See GLANCE.
**Glitter,** *v. n.* Glisten, glister, sparkle, gleam, flare, glare, glance, flash, scintillate, coruscate, make a splendid show.
**Glitter,** *n.* Sparkle, glister, lustre, brilliancy, splendor, brightness, shine, radiance, gleam, scintillation, coruscation, beam, beaming.
**Gloam,** *v. n.* Begin to darken, approach twilight.
**Gloaming,** *n.* Twilight, dusk, fall of evening, eventide, nightfall.
**Gloat,** *v. n.* Stare, gaze, gaze earnestly, look intently, gaze passionately, gaze with passionate satisfaction.
**Globate, Globated,** *a.* Globular, globose, spherical, round, spheroidal, globe-shaped.
**Globe,** *n.* 1. Sphere, ball, orb.
2. Earth, terraqueous globe, terrestrial ball.
**Globe-fish,** *n.* Puffer, diodon.
**Globose,** *a.* Spherical, globular, globate, globated, round, globe-shaped.
**Globosity,** *n.* Sphericity, rotundity, roundness, globularity.
**Globular,** *a.* Spherical, globate, globated, globose, globulous, round, globe-shaped.
**Globule,** *n.* Spherule, little globe, small round particle, drop, bead.
**Globulous,** *a.* Spherical. See GLOBULAR.
**Gloom,** *n.* 1. Obscurity, darkness, dimness, gloominess, cloud.
2. Sadness, dejection, depression, despondency, melancholy, heaviness of mind, low spirits.
**Gloomy,** *a.* 1. Obscure, dark, dim, dusky.
2. Dismal, cheerless, lowering, lurid.
3. Sad, dejected, depressed, dispirited, disheartened, despondent, desponding, melancholy, downcast, crestfallen, chapfallen, down-hearted, glum, heavy of heart.
4. Depressing, dispiriting, saddening, sad, disheartening, melancholy, heavy, dark.
**Glorify,** *v. a.* 1. Extol, exalt, magnify, bless, honor greatly, praise highly, give glory to.
2. Brighten, make bright, add lustre to, make illustrious, elevate, exalt, ennoble, adorn, surround with a halo of imagination.
**Glorious,** *a.* 1. Illustrious, renowned, celebrated, famous, famed, eminent, pre-eminent, distinguished, conspicuous.
2. Resplendent, splendid, bright, brilliant, radiant.
3. Noble, exalted, lofty, high, excellent, consummate, supreme.
**Glory,** *n.* 1. Honor, renown, fame, celebrity, praise.
2. Splendor, lustre, brightness, brilliancy, effulgence, pride.
3. Gloriousness, exaltation, nobleness, grandeur, exceeding greatness *or* excellence, supreme nobility.
4. State, pomp, parade, magnificence.
5. Heavenly bliss, celestial happiness.
6. Boast, occasion of pride, something to be proud of.
7. (*Painting.*) Halo, aureola.
**Glory,** *v. n.* Exult, vaunt, boast, take pride, triumph, be proud, pride one's self, plume one's self, pique one's self, perk one's self, pat one's self on the back.
**Gloss,** *n.* 1. Comment, note, explanation, interpretation, scholium, annotation, commentary.
2. Pretext, pretence, specious plea.
3. Lustre, polish, shining surface, sheen.
**Gloss,** *v. n.* Comment, make notes, make explanatory remarks.
**Gloss,** *v. a.* 1. Varnish, make lustrous.
2. Extenuate, palliate, color, apologize for, gloss over.
**Glossarist,** *n.* Scholiast, commentator, annotator.
**Glossary,** *n.* Dictionary (*of obscure, antiquated,* or *local words*), list of glosses, dialectical vocabulary.
**Glossology,** *n.* Glottology, linguistics, comparative philology, comparative grammar, science of language.
**Gloss over.** Disguise, varnish, color, palliate, endeavor to excuse, extenuate, make plausible.
**Glossy,** *a.* Smooth and shining, sheeny.
**Glottology,** *n.* See GLOSSOLOGY.
**Glow,** *v. n.* 1. Be incandescent.
2. Shine brightly.
3. Burn, be hot.
4. Be ardent, be warm, warm, become excited, feel intensely.
**Glow,** *n.* 1. Incandescence, white heat.
2. Brightness, bright color, reddening.
3. Ardor, warmth, vehemence, impetuosity, fervency, fervor, enthusiasm.
**Glower,** *v. n.* Stare (*in anger*), glare, look black, look fierce.
**Glow-worm,** *n.* Firefly (*Lampyris noctilucas*), glass-worm.
**Gloze,** *v. n.* 1. Flatter, cajole, wheedle, fawn, cringe.
2. Explain, expound, comment, gloss, make glosses.
**Gloze,** *v. a.* Gloss over, put a specious face upon, extenuate, palliate, cover up.
**Gloze,** *n.* 1. Specious show, gloss, plausible covering.
2. Flattery, cajolery, wheedling, adulation.
**Glucina, Glucine,** *n.* Oxide of glucinium.
**Glucose,** *n.* Grape-sugar, starch-sugar, diabetic sugar.
**Glue,** *n.* Gelatine (*impure*).
**Glue,** *v. a.* Cement (*with glue*), join with glue.
**Gluey,** *a.* Viscous, viscid. See GLUTINOUS.
**Glum,** *a.* Sullen, moody, sulky, morose, sour, crabbed, crusty, grum, glowering, frowning, spleeny, cross-grained.
**Glume,** *n.* Husk (*of grain* and *grasses*), hull, outer covering.
**Glut,** *v. a.* 1. Cloy, satiate, sate, surfeit, pall.
2. Gorge, stuff, cram, overfeed, fill full, fill to repletion.
**Glut,** *n.* 1. Repletion.
2. Superabundance, over-abundance, overplus, surplus, redundancy, superfluity, over-stock.
**Glutinous,** *a.* Gluey, viscous, viscid, sticky, gummy, adhesive, tenacious, clammy.
**Glutton,** *n.* 1. Gormandizer, gourmand, gobbler, greedy-gut, voracious eater, excessive eater, belly-god, belly-slave.
2. Wolverine (*Gulo luscus*).

**Gluttonish,** } *a.* Voracious, given to excess in
**Gluttonous,** } eating.
**Gluttony,** *n.* Voracity, excess in eating, worship of the palate, belly-worship.
**Gnarl,** } *v. n.* Growl, snarl, murmur, grumble.
**Gnarr,** }
**Gnarl,** *n.* Protuberance, knot, contortion, snag, gnarled lump.
**Gnarled,** *a.* Knotty, knotted, twisted, contorted, gnarly, full of knots.
**Gnarly,** *a.* See GNARLED.
**Gnash,** *v. a.* Strike together (*the teeth*), grind.
**Gnat,** *n.* Culex.
**Gnaw,** *v. a.* 1. Bite, nibble, champ, nibble at, keep biting.
2. Corrode, eat away, wear away, consume, erode.
**Gnomon,** *n.* Style (*of a dial*).
**Gnomonics,** *n.* Dialling.
**Go,** *v. n.* 1. Move, pass, proceed, advance, make progress, go on.
2. Walk, go on foot.
3. Travel, journey, fare.
4. Depart, set out, go away.
5. Reach, extend.
6. Contribute, concur, tend, avail, have effect, be of use, be of service.
7. Fare, eventuate, turn out.
8. Be considered, be reckoned, be esteemed.
9. Be about, be on the point.
**Go,** *v. a.* Accept, approve, endure, tolerate, bear, swallow.
**Go,** *n.* 1. Doings, case, business, action, circumstance, state of facts.
2. Fashion, mode, vogue, custom.
3. Spree, rollicking time.
4. Bottom, endurance, power, stamina.
5. Spirit, fire, animation, rush, movement.
**Go,** *interj.* Begone, avaunt, aroynt, get you gone, be off, go along, off with you, get along with you, go your way, go about your business.
**Go about.** 1. Endeavor, attempt, undertake, set one's self about.
2. (*Naut.*) Tack, change the course.
**Goad,** *n.* Prick, point.
**Goad,** *v. a.* 1. Prick with a goad.
2. Harass, worry, sting, annoy, irritate, badger.
3. Incite, stimulate, instigate, urge, impel, spur, arouse, stir up, set on.
**Go ahead.** Proceed, advance, go on, push on, press forward.
**Goal,** *n.* 1. Post (*set to bound a race*), mark, mete, limit, bound.
2. Object, end, design, destination, aim, height of one's ambition.
**Goatish,** *a.* 1. Goatlike, like a goat.
2. Lecherous, lustful, lascivious, salacious, lubric, lubricous.
**Goat-sucker,** *n.* Night-jar, wheel-bird, churn-owl (*Caprimulgus Europæus*).
**Go away.** Depart, go off.
**Go a wool-gathering.** Go on a fool's errand, go on a wild-goose chase, go on a sleeveless errand, reckon without one's host.
**Go back.** Return.
**Gobble,** *v. a.* Swallow (*greedily*), bolt, gulp.
**Gobbler,** *n.* 1. Gormandizer, gourmand. See GLUTTON.
2. (*Colloq.*) Turkey-cock.
**Go between.** Mediate, interpose.
**Go-between,** *n.* Agent, broker, factor, intermediary, middle-man, daysman.
**Go beyond.** Transgress, overstep, transcend, exceed, surpass.
**Goblin,** *n.* Hobgoblin, spectre, sprite, frightful apparition, evil spirit.
**Go by.** 1. Pass near.
2. Pass beyond, pass by.
3. Act by, act according to, act in obedience to.
**Go-by,** *n.* Passing by, neglect to notice, avoidance, disregard, ignoring.
**God,** *n.* 1. Jehovah, Lord, Omnipotence, Omniscience, Providence, Heaven, the Creator, the Maker, the Deity, the Godhead, the Infinite, the Eternal, the Omnipotent, the Preserver, the Father, the Trinity, the Holy Trinity, the Supreme Being, the First Cause, the Author of all things, God the Father, Sovereign of the Universe, the Eternal and Infinite Spirit, the Most High, the Supreme Goodness.
2. Deity, divinity, superhuman being, divine being.
3. Idol, worshipped image.
**Goddess,** *n.* Female divinity.
**Godhead,** *n.* 1. Deity, divinity, godship.
2. [With *The* prefixed.] The Deity. See GOD, 1.
**Godless,** *a.* 1. Irreligious, impious, profane, wicked, ungodly.
2. Atheistical, given to atheism.
**Godlike,** *a.* Divine, heavenly, supernal, celestial.
**Godly,** *a.* Pious, holy, righteous, religious, devout, saintly, saint-like, heavenly-minded, God-fearing, profoundly good.
**Go down.** 1. Descend.
2. Be swallowed.
3. Be received, be admitted, pass current, be swallowed.
4. Fail, perish, be destroyed, come to nothing, come to nought.
**God's Acre.** Burial ground, churchyard, cemetery, graveyard.
**Godsend,** *n.* Windfall, unexpected gift, good luck, piece of good fortune, piece of good luck, stroke of fortune.
**Godship,** *n.* Deity, divinity, godhead.
**Go for.** 1. Pass for, be taken for, pass current for.
2. Favor, support, be in favor of, go in for.
**Go for nothing.** Be of no use, have no effect *or* efficacy, be of no avail, be thrown away
**Go forth.** 1. Issue, go out.
2. Get abroad, become public.
**Goggle,** *v. n.* Roll the eyes.
**Goggle,** *n.* Stare, owlish look, strained look.
**Goggled,** *a.* Staring (*as a full* or *prominent eye*), rolling.
**Goggle-eye,** *n.* 1. Rolling eye, staring eye.
2. Strabismus, squinting.
**Go halves.** (*Colloq.*) Share equally.
**Go hard with.** Be disastrous to, have serious consequences for, have a narrow risk, put one in jeopardy.
**Go heels over head.** Make *or* turn a somerset.
**Go in for.** Favor, support. See Go FOR.
**Going on.** 1. Proceeding, advancing.
2. Progressing, in progress, in hand.
**Goings on.** (*Colloq.*) Proceedings, conduct.
**Go it.** 1. Bear it, accept it, tolerate it, endure it, approve it.
2. Keep it up, keep on, keep at it, go ahead.
3. Act recklessly, behave thoughtlessly, live on the rush.
**Goitre,** *n.* [Written also *Goiter.*] Bronchocele, enlargement of the thyroid gland.
**Gold-cup,** *n.* King-cup, buttercup (*Ranunculus bulbosus*).
**Golden,** *a.* 1. Of gold.
2. Bright, shining, splendid, resplendent, brilliant.
3. Yellow, of a gold color.
4. Excellent, precious, of great value.
5. Auspicious, favorable, opportune, propitious.

6. Delightful, glorious, happy, blest, halcyon.
**Golden-robin,** *n.* Hang-bird, Baltimore oriole.
**Goldylocks,** *n.* Cudweed, everlasting, immortelle.
**Gonfalon,** } *n.* Ensign, standard, banner, flag,
**Gonfanon,** } pennon.
**Gonorrhœa,** *n.* (*Med.*) Clap, blennorrhœa, blennorrhagia, venereal disease.
**Good,** *a.* 1. Advantageous, beneficial, useful, profitable, serviceable.
2. Suitable, fit, proper, convenient, well adapted.
3. Virtuous, upright, religious, pious, righteous, worthy, dutiful.
4. Excellent, valuable, precious, sterling, capital, admirable.
5. Kind, benevolent, humane, friendly, favorable, gracious, merciful, obliging, well-disposed.
6. Unblemished, unimpeached, untarnished, unsullied, immaculate, fair, honorable.
7. Companionable, social, genial, lively, cheerful.
8. Able, skilful, ready, expert, dexterous, well qualified.
9. Competent (*pecuniarily*), of established credit).
10. Pleasant, agreeable, gratifying, cheering.
11. Considerable, tolerably great, pretty large.
12. Real, true, serious, unfeigned.
**Good,** *n.* 1. Benefit, advantage, profit, gain, utility.
2. Welfare, weal, prosperity, interest.
3. Righteousness, virtue, excellence, moral qualities.
4. Just actions, moral works.
5. Abundance, richness, best fruits.
**Good-breeding,** *n.* Politeness, civility, courtesy, urbanity, affability, polish, good manners.
**Good-by,** } *n.* or *interj.* Farewell, adieu.
**Good-bye,** }
**Good cheer.** Bountiful fare, high living, plenty to eat and drink.
**Good fellow.** Boon companion, pleasant companion.
**Good-fellowship,** *n.* 1. Companionableness, sociability, companionship.
2. Merry society, pleasant company.
**Good fortune.** Prosperity, success, good luck.
**Good graces.** Friendship, favor.
**Good heed.** Great care, due caution.
**Good-humor,** *n.* Cheerfulness, cheer, joyousness, good spirits, flow of spirits.
**Good-humored,** *a.* Cheerful, buoyant, of a placid temper.
**Good luck.** Prosperity, success, good fortune.
**Goodly,** *a.* 1. Beautiful, graceful, comely, good-looking.
2. Pleasant, happy, agreeable, desirable.
3. Considerable, pretty large.
**Goodman,** *n.* 1. Gaffer.
2. Husband, master of the house.
**Good-nature,** *n.* Kindliness, amiability, good-will, good feeling, kind-heartedness, fellow-feeling.
**Good-natured,** *a.* Amiable, obliging, kind-hearted, good-tempered, kindly, friendly.
**Goodness,** *n.* 1. Excellence, value, worth.
2. Righteousness, virtue, integrity, uprightness, probity, honesty, principle.
3. Kindness, benevolence, good-will, benignity, beneficence, humaneness, humanity.
**Good offices.** Mediation, intervention, assistance, aid, help.
**Good opinion.** Approbation, esteem, regard, favorable opinion.
**Goods,** *n. pl.* 1. Movables, effects, chattels, furniture.
2. Commodities, wares, merchandise.
**Good sense.** Good judgment, sound understanding.
**Good-tempered,** *a.* Amiable. See GOOD-NATURED.
**Good turn.** Service, kindness, benefit, kind office, act of kindness.
**Goodwife,** *n.* 1. Goodwoman, goody, gammer.
2. Wife, housewife, mistress of the house.
**Good-will,** *n.* 1. Benevolence, kindness. See GOOD-NATURE.
2. Earnestness, heartiness, ardor, zeal.
3. (*Law.*) Custom (*of an established place of business*), patronage, public favor.
**Goodwoman,** *n.* See GOODWIFE.
**Goody,** *n.* Gammer. See GOODWIFE.
**Go off.** 1. Depart, go away, be off, go to a distance.
2. Explode, be discharged.
3. Sell, be sold, be taken.
4. Die, decease, depart this life.
**Go on.** 1. Proceed, advance, go ahead, move forward.
2. Progress, make progress, get along.
3. Continue, persist, persevere, keep on, hold out.
4. Be put on (*as a garment*), be drawn on.
**Go on a fool's errand.** Go on a wild-goose chase. See GO A WOOL-GATHERING.
**Go on a sleeveless errand.** See GO A WOOL-GATHERING.
**Go on a wild-goose chase.** See GO A WOOL-GATHERING.
**Go one's way.** Depart, take one's departure, move on, set forth, jog on, be off.
**Go on tick.** Run up a bill, run up a score, get trusted, go on credit, tick.
**Goosander,** *n.* Dishwasher, wagtail, dun-diver (*Mergus merganser* or *Mergus castor*).
**Goose,** *n.* 1. Tailor's smoothing iron.
2. Simpleton, fool. See DUNCE.
**Goose-grass,** *n.* Cleavers, hariff, catch-weed, scratch-weed (*Galium aparine*).
**Go out.** 1. Issue, go forth.
2. Go abroad, go out of doors.
3. Expire, become extinct, be extinguished, be quenched, be put out.
**Go over.** 1. Read (*cursorily*), peruse, run over.
2. Examine, review.
3. Study, revolve, think over.
4. Pass over, change sides.
**Gopher,** *n.* 1. Mulo, pouched rat (*Pseudostoma bursarius* or *Geomys bursarius*).
2. Prairie squirrel.
**Gor-cock,** *n.* Red grouse, red ptarmigan, red game, moor-cock (*Lagopus Scoticus*).
**Gor-crow,** *n.* Carrion crow, common crow (*Corvus corone*).
**Gore,** *n.* 1. Blood, clotted blood.
2. Gusset, triangular piece (*of cloth, etc.*).
**Gore,** *v. a.* 1. Stab, pierce.
2. Piece with a gore.
**Gorge,** *n.* 1. Ravine, defile, notch, deep and narrow pass.
2. Throat, gullet, œsophagus.
3. Stomach.
**Gorge,** *v. a.* 1. Swallow, devour, eat heartily, bolt.
2. Glut, satiate, cram, stuff, fill full, fill to repletion.
**Gorge,** *v. n.* Feed *or* eat greedily, stuff one's self.
**Gorgeous,** *a.* Showy, splendid, shining, glittering, brilliant, dazzling, resplendent, magnificent, fine, rich, superb.
**Gorgon,** *n.* Spectre, hobgoblin, ogre, fright, poker, bugaboo, hydra, frightful object.

**Gorgon,** *a.* Gorgon-like, terrible, frightful, terrific, horrible, petrifying, paralyzing.
**Gorgonean,** } *a.* 1. Of gorgons, pertaining to
**Gorgonian,** } gorgons.
2. See GORGON, *a.*
**Gormand,** *n.* [Written also and usually *Gourmand.*] Gormandizer. See GLUTTON.
**Gormandize,** *v. n.* Gorge, stuff, eat greedily, feed ravenously *or* excessively.
**Gormandizer,** *n.* Glutton, gourmand.
**Gorse,** *n.* Furze, whin, goss (*Ulex Europæus*).
**Gory,** *a.* Bloody, ensanguined.
**Gosling,** *n.* Young goose.
**Go snacks.** Share together, share and share alike.
**Gospel,** *n.* 1. [With *The* prefixed.] Christianity, revelation by Christ, Christian religion, divine revelation, the cross.
2. History of Christ (*as given in the New Testament by one evangelist* or *collectively by all*).
3. Doctrine, creed, principle of action.
**Goss,** *n.* Furze. See GORSE.
**Gossamer,** *n.* Floating spider's web, filmy cobweb.
**Gossamery,** *a.* Light, flimsy, unsubstantial.
**Gossip,** *n.* 1. Tattler, babbler, chatterer, gadabout, idle talker.
2. Chat, chit-chat, tattle, prate, prattle, cackle, clack, small talk, idle talk.
**Gossip,** *v. n.* Chat, tattle, prate, prattle, gabble, clack, cackle, talk idly.
**Gothamist,** *n.* Blunderer, wiseacre, witling, pretender to wisdom, man of small wit.
**Gothic,** *a.* 1. Of the Goths.
2. North-European, non-classic, non-Romanesque.
3. Rude, barbaric, barbarous.
**Gothic,** *n.* Gothic language.
**Gothicism,** *n.* 1. Gothic idiom.
2. Rudeness, barbarism, incivility.
**Go through.** 1. Execute, accomplish, finish.
2. Bear, endure, undergo, suffer.
**Go through with.** Do thoroughly, execute effectually.
**Go to loggerheads.** Come to blows, fall to loggerheads.
**Go to pot.** (*Colloq.*) Go to destruction, be destroyed, be ruined, go to the dogs, go by the board, go to rack and ruin.
**Go to war.** Fight, war, contend (*in arms*), take up arms, appeal to arms, wage war, draw the sword, unsheathe the sword, come to blows, measure swords, give battle, join battle, enter the lists, couch one's lance, take the field, let slip the dogs of war.
**Gourd-worm,** *n.* Fluke, fluke-worm.
**Gourmand,** *n.* [Written also but less commonly *Gormand.*] 1. Glutton, gormandizer, belly-god, belly-slave, greedy-gut, high liver, excessive eater.
2. Epicure, cultivator of the palate, *connoisseur* of cookery, *gourmet.*
**Gourmet,** *n.* [Fr.] Epicure, refined feeder, cultivator of the palate, *connoisseur* of the cooking art.
**Goût,** *n.* [Fr.] Taste, relish, flavor, smack, savor, gusto, zest.
**Gout,** *n.* Podagra (*which see*).
**Gouty,** *a.* Podagric, podagrical.
**Govern,** *v. a.* 1. Conduct, manage, supervise, regulate, have the direction of, have the charge of.
2. Direct, guide, steer.
3. Control, restrain, curb, bridle, rule, sway, command.
**Govern,** *v. n.* Rule, have control, exercise authority, hold the reins, bear sway, have the charge.
**Governable,** *a.* Controllable, manageable.
**Governante.** See GOVERNESS.
**Governess,** *n.* Governante, instructress, tutoress.
**Government,** *n.* 1. Rule, management, regulation, conduct.
2. Direction, guidance.
3. Control, command, restraint, sway, dominion.
4. Polity, commonwealth, state, form of sovereignty, body politic.
5. Administration, body of executive officers, ruling power, powers that be.
**Governor,** *n.* 1. Ruler, director, manager, comptroller, superintendent, overseer.
2. Executive, chief magistrate.
3. Tutor, instructor, guardian.
4. (*Mech.*) Regulator.
**Go your way.** Avaunt, aroynt, begone, be off, get you gone, go along, off with you, get along with you, go about your business, go away.
**Grab,** *v. a.* Snatch, clutch, seize violently, grip suddenly.
**Grace,** *n.* 1. Favor, kindness, condescension, benignity, love, good-will.
2. Divine goodness *or* favor, divine influence, God's love.
3. Piety, devotion, devoutness, holiness, religion, sanctity, love.
4. Pardon, forgiveness, mercy.
5. Elegance, polish, refinement, accomplishment.
6. Beauty, symmetry, comeliness, gracefulness, ease.
7. Short prayer (*over food at table*).
8. (*Mus.*) Embellishment (*appoggiatura, shake, trill, turn*).
**Grace,** *v. a.* 1. Adorn, decorate, beautify, embellish, deck.
2. Dignify, honor.
**Graceful,** *a.* 1. Elegant, comely, becoming, beautiful, full of grace.
2. Easy, natural, unlabored, flowing, rounded.
**Graceless,** *a.* Depraved, degenerate, corrupt, profligate, reprobate, dissolute, abandoned, lost, shameless, obdurate, hardened, incorrigible, irreclaimable, wicked.
**Gracious,** *a.* 1. Benevolent, benignant, benign, favorable, kind, friendly, merciful, condescending, compassionate, tender, lenient, mild, gentle.
2. Affable, familiar, courteous, civil, polite, familiar, easy.
**Gradation,** *n.* Regular progress (*step by step*), regular progression, succession, successive degrees.
**Grade,** *n.* 1. Rank, degree, step, stage.
2. Gradient, rate of ascent *or* of descent (*as on a railroad*).
**Gradient,** *n.* Grade, rate of ascent *or* of descent.
**Gradual,** *a.* 1. Regular (*step by step*), progressive.
2. Slow, approximative, by degrees.
**Gradually,** *ad.* 1. Regularly, in due succession, progressively.
2. By degrees, step by step, little by little, by little and little, a little at a time, slowly, by slow degrees.
**Graduate,** *v. a.* 1. Mark with degrees, divide into regular intervals.
2. Adjust, adapt, proportion, regulate.
3. Confer a degree upon, honor with a degree, invest with a degree.
**Graduate,** *v. n.* Take a degree, receive a diploma.
**Graduate,** *n.* Laureate, recipient *or* bearer of a degree, alumnus *or* alumna.
**Gradus,** *n.* Dictionary of prosody, prosodial dictionary.

**Graff,** *n.* Ditch, moat, fosse.
**Graft,** *n.* Shoot (*inserted in another tree*), scion, sprout.
**Graft,** *v. a.* Ingraft.
**Grain,** *n.* 1. Seed, kernel, matured ovule.
2. Corn (*wheat, rye, oats, barley, maize, etc.*), cereals, cereal products.
3. Particle, atom, bit, scrap, jot, whit, mite, ace, iota, tittle, scintilla, trace, spark, shadow, glimmer.
4. Twentieth part of a scruple, twenty-fourth part of a pennyweight.
5. Fibre, texture.
6. Temper, disposition, humor.
7. Dye, tint, color, stain, tinge, hue, shade, tincture.
**Grallæ,** *n. pl.* [L.] Waders, wading birds, grallatores.
**Grallatores,** *n. pl.* [L.] See GRALLÆ.
**Gramineous,** } *a.* Grassy.
**Graminaceous,** }
**Graminivorous,** *a.* Grass-eating, phytophagous.
**Grammar,** *n.* 1. Accidence, laws *or* rules of a language, forms of a language, correct mode of writing and speaking a language.
2. Propriety of speech, right use of language, art of speaking *or* writing correctly.
3. Treatise on grammar, manual *or* handbook of grammar, grammatical text-book.
**Grammarian,** *n.* Adept in grammar, writer on grammar, grammatical author.
**Granary,** *n.* Garner, corn-house.
**Grand,** *a.* 1. Stately, lordly, princely, august, majestic, exalted, elevated, dignified, eminent, illustrious, great, high in power, of great dignity.
2. Magnificent, splendid, superb, glorious, noble, sublime, lofty.
3. Principal, chief, superior, main, leading.
**Grand-duke,** *n.* 1. Sovereign prince.
2. (*Zool.*) Great horned owl (*Bubo maximus*).
**Grandee,** *n.* Nobleman, noble, lord.
**Grandeur,** *n.* 1. Greatness, vastness, immensity, loftiness, elevation, imposing character.
2. Majesty, loftiness, stateliness, state, dignity, pomp, magnificence, augustness, splendor.
**Grandfather,** *n.* Grandsire, grandpapa.
**Grandiloquence,** *n.* Bombast, fustian, turgidity, lofty language, high-sounding words, lofty style of speech, high-flown language, altiloquence.
**Grandiloquent,** *a.* Bombastic, turgid, tumid, swelling, inflated, stilted, pompous, declamatory, rhetorical, high-sounding, high-flown, altiloquent.
**Grand-juror,** *n.* Grand-juryman.
**Grand-juryman,** *n.* Grand-juror.
**Grandmamma,** *n.* Grandmother.
**Grandmother,** *n.* Grandmamma.
**Grand-seignior,** *n.* Sultan, sovereign of Turkey.
**Grand-vizier,** *n.* Chief vizier, Turkish prime minister.
**Grange,** *n.* 1. Farm, farm-house, farming establishment.
2. Farmers' association, agricultural society.
**Granger,** *n.* Member of a grange, associated farmer.
**Grant,** *v. a.* 1. Admit, allow, concede, cede, yield.
2. Give (*in answer to a request*), bestow, confer, vouchsafe, deign.
3. (*Law.*) Convey (*by deed*), transfer, make conveyance of.
**Grant,** *n.* 1. Gift, boon, donation, benefaction, bounty, largess, present, concession.
2. (*Law.*) Conveyance, cession.
**Granulate,** *v. a.* Form into grains, reduce to grains.
**Granulate,** *v. n.* Be formed into grains, become granular, roughen.
**Granule,** *n.* Little grain, small particle.
**Grape,** *n.* Fruit of the vine.
**Grape-sugar,** *n.* Glucose, starch-sugar, diabetic sugar.
**Graphic,** *a.* Vivid, lively, picturesque, well-drawn, well-delineated, striking, telling.
**Graphite,** *n.* Plumbago, black-lead.
**Grapple,** *v. a.* Seize, gripe *or* grip, grasp, catch, clasp, clutch, lay hold of.
**Grapple,** *n.* 1. Close hug, close fight.
2. Grappling-irons.
**Grapple with.** Struggle with, engage with, close with, contend with (*in close fight*).
**Grappling-irons,** *n. pl.* Grapple.
**Grasp,** *v. a.* Clasp, gripe *or* grip, seize, clinch, clutch, catch, grapple, lay hold of.
**Grasp,** *n.* 1. Clasp, gripe *or* grip.
2. Hold, possession.
3. Reach, power of seizing *or* of comprehending, compass, scope.
**Grasp at.** Catch at, try to seize.
**Grasping,** *a.* Avaricious, covetous, rapacious, exacting, sordid, with an itching palm.
**Grass-eating,** *a.* Graminivorous, phytophagous, feeding on grass.
**Grass-plot,** *n.* Lawn, green, greensward.
**Grassy,** *a.* 1. Gramineous, graminaceous, grass-like.
2. Grass-covered, grass-grown, full of grass.
**Grate,** *v. a.* 1. Rub, scrape, abrade.
2. Rasp, comminute, reduce to particles by rubbing.
**Grate,** *v. n.* Be irritating, be disagreeable, be offensive.
**Grate,** *n.* 1. Grating, bars, lattice-work.
2. Fire-bed, receptacle for fuel.
**Grateful,** *a.* 1. Thankful, obliged, indebted, beholden, under obligation.
2. Agreeable, pleasing, pleasant, gratifying, acceptable, satisfying, satisfactory, delightful, welcome, charming.
3. Delicious, palatable, savory, nice, luscious, cordial, refreshing, invigorating.
4. Soothing, comforting, alleviating.
**Gratification,** *n.* 1. Gratifying, pleasing, satisfying, satisfaction, indulgence, indulging.
2. Delight, satisfaction, enjoyment, pleasure, fruition.
3. Reward, recompense.
**Gratify,** *v. a.* 1. Please, delight, give pleasure to, make glad.
2. Indulge, satisfy, humor, fulfil.
**Gratifying,** *a.* Pleasing, agreeable, welcome, delightful, grateful.
**Grating,** *a.* Harsh, irritating, displeasing, disagreeable, offensive.
**Gratis,** *ad.* [L.] Gratuitously, freely, for nothing, without compensation *or* recompense.
**Gratitude,** *n.* Thankfulness, feeling of obligation, sense of obligation, thankful good-will, grateful love.
**Gratuitous,** *a.* 1. Voluntary, free, spontaneous, of one's own accord.
2. Free, without recompense, without compensation, unrecompensed, without any equivalent.
3. Unwarranted, unfounded, groundless, without proof, baseless, uncalled for, not necessitated.
**Gratuity,** *n.* Present, gift, donation, benefaction, bounty, largess, grant, free gift, charity.
**Gratulation,** *n.* Congratulation, felicitation.
**Gratulatory,** *a.* Congratulatory.
**Gravamen,** *n.* (*Law.*) Burden (*of a charge*), substance, essential point.

**Grave,** *v. a.* I. Engrave, imprint, infix, impress deeply.
2. Carve, form by cutting.
**Grave,** *n.* Pit (*for a dead body*), sepulchre, tomb, ossuary, charnel-house, narrow house, long home.
**Grave,** *a.* I. Important, weighty, serious, momentous, cogent, of great consequence.
2. Sober, serious, sedate, thoughtful, staid, solemn.
3. Plain, sober, quiet, subdued.
4. (*Mus.*) Deep, not acute, low in pitch.
**Grave-clothes,** *n. pl.* Shroud, winding-sheet, cerements.
**Gravel,** *n.* Sand, grit, small pebbles.
**Gravel,** *v. a.* I. Cover with gravel.
2. Puzzle, embarrass, perplex, bewilder, stagger, pose, nonplus, put out.
**Graver,** *n.* I. Engraver.
2. Burin, engraving tool.
**Graveyard,** *n.* Cemetery, necropolis, mortuary, churchyard, burial-ground, burying-ground, God's Acre.
**Gravitate,** *v. n.* Tend by gravity.
**Gravitation,** *n.* Gravity, centripetal force, attraction of gravitation.
**Gravity,** *n.* I. Heaviness, weight.
2. Gravitation, centripetal force, attraction of gravitation.
3. Sobriety, seriousness, sedateness, thoughtfulness, demureness.
4. Importance, moment, momentousness, weightiness, seriousness.
**Gray,** *a.* [Written also *Grey.*] I. Hoary, black and white, ashen, ash-colored, grizzled.
2. Gray-haired, gray-headed.
**Grayish,** *a.* Grizzly, grizzled, somewhat gray.
**Grayling,** *n.* Umber (*Thymallus vulgaris*).
**Graze,** *v. n.* I. Eat grass, feed upon grass.
2. Touch in passing, rub slightly together.
**Graze,** *v. a.* I. Feed with grass, pasture.
2. Feed upon, eat grass from.
3. Shave, scrape, skim, touch lightly (*in passing over*).
**Grease,** *n.* I. Unctuous matter (*lard, tallow, etc.*), fatty *or* oily substance.
2. (*Farriery.*) Scratches.
**Grease,** *v. a.* I. Smear with grease.
2. Bribe, give a *douceur* to, corrupt with gifts.
**Greasy,** *a.* Unctuous, fat, fatty, oily, adipose, sebaceous, oleaginous.
**Great,** *a.* I. Large, big, vast, huge, bulky, ample, immense, gigantic, Herculean, Cyclopean, enormous.
2. Much, excessive, high.
3. Numerous, countless.
4. Considerable, important, weighty.
5. Distinguished, eminent, prominent, exalted, elevated, excellent, noted, illustrious, celebrated, famous, famed, renowned, far-famed.
6. Grand, august, dignified, noble, majestic, sublime, elevated, lofty, exalted.
7. Magnanimous, generous, chivalrous, high-minded.
8. Sumptuous, rich, magnificent.
9. Hard, difficult, onerous, burdensome, grievous.
10. Chief, principal, main, leading, grand.
11. Superior, pre-eminent.
**Great,** *n.* [With *The* prefixed.] Great persons, persons of rank, people of distinction.
**Great Bear,** *n.* [With *The* prefixed.] Charles's Wain, the Wain, Ursa Major, the Dipper, the Cleaver.
**Great-bellied,** *a.* Abdominous, large-bellied, big-bellied, pot-bellied, tun-bellied, gor-bellied, paunchy, pursy.
**Greatest good.** Supreme good, *summum bonum.*
**Great-hearted,** *a.* Noble, magnanimous, generous, chivalrous, high-spirited, high-minded.
**Greatness,** *n.* I. Largeness, magnitude, size, bulk, dimensions.
2. High degree.
3. Distinction, eminence, elevation, fame, renown.
4. Dignity, augustness, majesty, sublimity, loftiness, exaltation, nobility, nobleness.
5. Magnanimity, generosity, nobleness, disinterestedness, chivalrous spirit.
**Grecian,** *a.* See GREEK, *a.*
**Grecian,** *n.* I. Greek, native of Greece, Hellene.
2. Adept in Greek, proficient in the Greek language, Greek scholar, Hellenist.
**Grecism,** *n.* Greekism, Hellenism.
**Greed,** *n.* Eagerness, longing. See GREEDINESS.
**Greediness,** *n.* I. Voracity, ravenousness, gluttony, excessive hunger.
2. Eagerness, longing, greed, avidity, intense desire.
3. Grasping, graspingness, avarice, rapacity, selfishness.
**Greedy,** *a.* I. Voracious, ravenous, gluttonous, rapacious, insatiable, insatiate.
2. Eager, very desirous.
3. Grasping, avaricious, rapacious, selfish.
**Greedy-gut,** *n.* (*Low.*) Glutton, gormandizer, gourmand, gobbler.
**Greek,** *a.* I. Of Greece, Grecian, Hellenic.
2. Grecian, classic, classical, after the Greek, in the manner of Greece.
**Greek,** *n.* I. Grecian, native of Greece, Hellene.
2. Greek language.
**Green,** *a.* I. Verdant, virid (*rare*).
2. Flourishing, blooming, fresh, undecayed.
3. New, recent.
4. Unripe, not fully grown, immature.
5. Inexperienced, unskilful, inexpert, ignorant, raw, verdant.
6. Unseasoned, not dry.
**Green,** *n.* I. Color mixed of blue and yellow.
2. Lawn, grass-plot, grassy plain, greensward.
**Greenbone,** *n.* Sea-pike. See GAR-FISH.
**Green-broom,** *n.* Green-weed, dyer's-weed (*Genista tinctoria*).
**Greenfinch,** *n.* Green grossbeak (*Coccothraustes chloris*).
**Greenhorn,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Novice, inexperienced youth, raw hand, tyro.
**Greenhouse,** *n.* Conservatory.
**Greenness,** *n.* I. Verdancy, viridity.
2. Vigor, freshness.
3. Unripeness, immaturity.
**Green-sickness,** *n.* Chlorosis.
**Green-vitriol,** *n.* Copperas, sulphate of iron (*crystallized*).
**Green-weed,** *n.* Green-broom, dyer's-weed (*Genista tinctoria*).
**Greet,** *v. a.* I. Salute, welcome, hail, address, accost.
2. Compliment, send greeting to.
**Greeting,** *n.* I. Salutation, welcome, salute.
2. Compliment, expression of good-will.
**Grenatite,** *n.* Cross-stone, staurotide, staurolite.
**Grewsome,** *a.* [*Scotch.*] Frightful, ugly, terrible, awesome, grisly, grim.
**Greylag,** *n.* Wild goose (*Anser ferus*).
**Grief,** *n.* I. Sorrow, regret, affliction, distress, tribulation, woe, dole, sadness, bitterness, anguish, misery, agony, heartache, heartbreak, heavy heart, bleeding heart, broken heart, pain of mind, mental suffering.
2. Trial, grievance, cause of sorrow, sorrow, affliction, distress, woe.

**Grievance,** *n.* 1. Hardship, wrong, injury, burden, oppression.
2. Grief, trial, cause of sorrow, sorrow, affliction, distress, woe.
**Grieve,** *v. a.* Afflict, pain, hurt, distress, sadden, agonize, break one's heart, wound the feelings of, make sorrowful.
**Grieve,** *v. n.* Sorrow, mourn, lament, suffer, bewail, feel regret, be sad, be heavy-hearted, be in pain of mind, be anguished.
**Grievous,** *a.* 1. Distressing, afflictive, afflicting, painful, sad, deplorable, lamentable, hard to bear.
2. Hurtful, injurious, baneful, noxious, mischievous, detrimental, destructive, calamitous.
3. Atrocious, heinous, flagitious, outrageous, intolerable, dreadful, gross, iniquitous, flagrant, aggravated.
**Grig,** *n.* 1. Cricket, grasshopper.
2. Sand-eel.
**Grill,** *n.* Gridiron, broiler.
**Grill,** *v. a.* Broil, cook on a grill *or* gridiron.
**Grill-room,** *n.* Broiling kitchen, room where grilled meats are served.
**Grim,** *a.* 1. Fierce, ferocious, ruthless, cruel, savage.
2. Frightful, horrible, hideous, grisly, appalling, dire, horrid, terrific, dreadful, of forbidding look.
**Grimace,** *n.* 1. Distortion of countenance, wry face, contemptuous face.
2. Smirk, affected face, affected contortion of countenance.
**Grime,** *n.* Filth, dirt, foulness, foul matter.
**Grime,** *v. a.* Begrime, sully, soil, befoul, defile, ingrain with filth.
**Grim-faced,** *a.* Grim-visaged.
**Grim-visaged,** *a.* Grim-faced.
**Grimy,** *a.* Foul, begrimed, defiled, dirty, filthy, full of grime.
**Grin,** *v. n.* Show the teeth (*in laughing, expressing scorn, etc.*).
**Grin at.** Ridicule, deride, mock at, scoff at, jeer at, laugh at, gibe, gibe at.
**Grind,** *v. a.* 1. Triturate, pulverize, bruise, bray, comminute by attrition.
2. Sharpen (*by rubbing*).
3. Grate, rub together.
4. Oppress, harass, persecute, plague, trouble, afflict, be hard upon.
**Grinder,** *n.* Molar, molar tooth, jaw tooth, double tooth.
**Grindery,** *n.* [*Eng.*] Shoemakers' materials.
**Grindery-warehouse,** *n.* Finding-store, store for the sale of shoemakers' materials.
**Grip,** *n.* Grasp, clutch, clasp, gripe.
**Grip,** *v. a.* Grasp, clutch, seize, seize hold of, catch, catch hold of, hold firmly, seize forcibly, hold fast.
**Gripe,** *v. a.* 1. Seize, clutch, grasp, clasp, snatch, lay hold of, grip.
2. Press, compress, squeeze, pinch, hold fast, grip.
3. Pain, distress, pinch, straighten, give pain to (*especially in the bowels*).
**Gripe,** *n.* 1. Grasp, clutch, hold, seizure, grip.
2. Affliction, distress, griping, pinching.
**Gripes,** *n. pl.* Colic, griping, pain in the bowels.
**Griping,** *n.* 1. Seizure, grasping.
2. Colic, gripes, pain in the bowels.
3. Affliction, distress, gripe.
**Grippe,** *n.* [Fr.] Catarrh, influenza.
**Grisly,** *a.* Frightful, horrible, horrid, terrific, hideous, appalling, dreadful, grim.
**Gristle,** *n.* Cartilage.
**Gristly,** *a.* Cartilaginous.
**Grit,** *n.* 1. Bran.
2. Sand, gravel, small pebbles.
3. Gritstone, gritrock.
**Grit,** *v. a.* Grate, grind, gnash.
**Gritrock,** *n.* Gritstone, grit.
**Grits,** *n. pl.* Groats, hulled oats *or* hulled wheat.
**Gritstone,** *n.* Grit, gritrock.
**Gritty,** *a.* Sandy.
**Grizzled,** *a.* Grayish, grizzly, gray.
**Grizzly,** *a.* Grayish, grizzled, somewhat gray, a little gray.
**Groan,** *v. n.* Moan.
**Groat,** *n.* Fourpence.
**Groats,** *n. pl.* Grits, hulled oats *or* hulled wheat.
**Groceries,** *n. pl.* Grocers' commodities. See GROCERY.
**Grocery,** *n.* 1. [*Eng.*] Groceries.
2. [*U. S.*] Grocer's shop.
**Grog-shop,** *n.* Dram-shop, drinking-house.
**Groom,** *n.* 1. Waiter, servant, valet.
2. Stable-servant, hostler.
3. Bridegroom.
**Groove,** *n.* Furrow, channel.
**Grope,** *v. n.* Feel one's way (*as in the dark*), pick one's way, move blindly, move stumblingly.
**Gross,** *a.* 1. Large, big, bulky, great.
2. Dense, thick.
3. Coarse, rough, rude, unrefined, unseemly, unbecoming.
4. Indelicate, sensual, impure, vulgar, low, broad.
5. Enormous, flagrant, shameful, outrageous, grievous, aggravated.
6. Palpable, manifest, glaring.
7. Whole, total, entire, aggregate.
**Gross,** *n.* 1. Whole, total, aggregate, gross amount, sum total.
2. Twelve dozen.
**Grossness,** *n.* 1. Greatness, bulkiness, bigness.
2. Density, thickness.
3. Coarseness, rudeness, vulgarity, want of refinement, ill-breeding.
4. Indelicacy, impurity, coarseness, licentiousness, sensuality, brutality, bestiality, carnality.
**Grot,** *n.* Cave, cavern, grotto.
**Grotesque,** *a.* 1. Fantastic, fanciful, odd, whimsical, extravagant, unnatural, wild, strange, bizarre.
2. Ludicrous, absurd, antic, burlesque, ridiculous.
**Grotesque,** *n.* 1. Capricious arabesque, whimsical arabesque.
2. Whimsical, fantastic, odd, extravagant, *or* bizarre figure.
**Grotto,** *n.* Grot, cave, cavern.
**Ground,** *n.* 1. Soil, earth, clod, turf, sod, loam, mould, surface of land.
2. Region, territory, country, land, domain.
3. Estate, acres, field, real property, landed estate.
4. Foundation, support, base, basis, groundwork.
5. Motive, consideration, reason, cause, inducement, account.
**Ground,** *v. a.* 1. Place on the ground.
2. Found, establish, base, fix, set.
3. Train in rudiments, make thorough in the elements.
**Ground,** *v. n.* Run aground, get aground.
**Ground-hog,** *n.* Woodchuck, American marmot (*Arctomys monax*).
**Ground-ice,** *n.* Anchor-ice, ground-gru.
**Ground-ivy,** *n.* Gill, alehoof, haymaids (*Nepeta glechoma, Glechoma hederacea*).
**Groundless,** *a.* Baseless, unfounded, unwarranted, unauthorized, false, gratuitous.
**Ground-nut,** *n.* 1. Pig-nut, hawk-nut, earth-nut, earth-chestnut (*Bunium flexuosum*).
2. Peanut, earth-nut (*Arachis hypogæa*).

3. Wild bean (*Apios tuberosa*).
4. Dwarf ginseng (*Aralia trifolia* or *Panax trifolium*).

**Ground-plate,** *n.* Sill, ground-sill, groundsel.

**Grounds,** *n. pl.* I. Lees, dregs, sediment, grouts, precipitate, settlings.
2. Reasons, considerations, arguments, supports, accounts.

**Groundsel,** *n.* *Senecio vulgaris.*

**Ground-sill,** } *a.* Sill, ground-plate.
**Groundsel,** }

**Ground-squirrel,** *n.* Chipmunk, hackee, chipping squirrel.

**Groundwork,** *n.* I. Base, basis, substratum, foundation, support, bottom, ground.
2. Source, origin, first principle, basis.

**Group,** *n.* Cluster, collection, assemblage, clump.

**Group,** *v. a.* Arrange, dispose, assign places to, form into groups.

**Grouse,** *n.* Heath-game.

**Grouts,** *n. pl.* Lees. See GROUNDS, 1.

**Grouty,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Sullen, moody, sulky, surly, morose, cross, glum, grum, spleeny, cynical, crabbed, cross-grained, out of humor, out of temper.

**Grove,** *n.* Wood, woodland, thicket, copse. See FOREST.

**Grovel,** *v. n.* I. Creep, crawl, sneak, fawn, cringe, lie low, lie prone.
2. Behave abjectly, be mean, be low, tend downward, tend to the base and mean.

**Grovelling,** *a.* I. Creeping, crouching, squat.
2. Low, mean, base, vile, abject, servile, slavish, cringing, fawning, beggarly, sneaking, earth-born, undignified, unworthy, without elevation.

**Grow,** *v. n.* I. Enlarge, increase, expand, swell, extend, be augmented, become (*by degrees*) greater *or* larger.
2. Vegetate, sprout, germinate, shoot, bourgeon, pullulate, put forth, shoot up, spring up.
3. Advance, improve, wax, extend, swell, make progress, make improvement.
4. Become, wax, come to be, get to be.
5. Adhere, become attached, get fastened.

**Grow,** *v. a.* Raise, produce, cultivate.

**Grower,** *n.* Producer, cultivator.

**Grow fat.** Batten, fatten.

**Growing,** *a.* Increasing, enlarging, expanding, extending, augmenting.

**Growl,** *v. n.* Snarl, gnarl, grumble, murmur.

**Growl,** *n.* Snarl, murmur.

**Grow out of.** Issue, proceed from, come from.

**Growth,** *n.* I. Increase, expansion, development, growing, extension.
2. Vegetation, sprouting, germination, shooting, bourgeoning, pullulation, putting out.
3. Produce, product.
4. Advancement, advance, progress, improvement.

**Grow up.** I. Come to maturity, mature.
2. Come about, come to be, come to exist, arise.

**Grub,** *v. a.* Dig, eradicate, dig up, root up, root out, grub up.

**Grub,** *v. n.* Dig, be meanly employed.

**Grub,** *n.* Caterpillar, larva, maggot.

**Grub-axe,** *n.* Mattock, grubbing-hoe.

**Grubbing-hoe,** *n.* See GRUB-AXE.

**Grudge,** *v. a.* I. Grant with reluctance, give unwillingly.
2. Envy, begrudge, repine at, see with discontent.

**Grudge,** *v. n.* I. Be reluctant, be unwilling.
2. Repine, murmur, grieve, complain.
3. Be envious, feel envy, cherish ill-will.

**Grudge,** *n* Hatred (*secretly and persistently entertained*), pique, spite, malice, rancor, malevolence, ill-will, inveterate dislike, sullen malice, secret hate, concealed enmity.

**Grudging,** *n.* I. Envy.
2. Reluctance, unwillingness, disinclination.

**Gruff,** *a.* Rough, churlish, rude, uncivil, uncourteous, ungracious, impolite, bluff, blunt, harsh, brusk *or* brusque, grumpy.

**Grum,** *a.* I. Sour, surly, morose, sullen, crabbed, grumpy, glum (*colloq.*), grouty (*colloq.*).
2. Guttural, rumbling, deep in the throat.

**Grumble,** *v. n.* I. Complain, murmur, repine, croak, find fault.
2. Growl, snarl, gnarl.
3. Rumble, roar.

**Grumbler,** *n.* Murmurer, complainer, croaker, censurer, fault-finder, growler.

**Grumbling,** *n.* Complaint, murmuring, repining, fault-finding.

**Grumous,** *a.* Clotted, concreted, thick.

**Grumpy,** *a.* Sullen, grum, sour, surly, irritable.

**Grunter,** *n.* I. Hog, pig, swine.
2. Drum-fish, grunt, gurnard.

**Guarantee,** *n.* [Written preferably *Guaranty.*] Surety, security, warrant, assurance.

**Guarantee,** *v. a.* (*Law.*) Warrant, insure, guaranty, become surety for, be responsible for, answer for.

**Guarantor,** *n.* (*Law.*) Warrantor.

**Guaranty,** *v. a.* Warrant, security, surety, assurance.

**Guard,** *v. a.* I. Protect, defend, shield, shelter, watch, keep in safety, attend for protection.
2. Provide against objections, secure against attack, make with caution.

**Guard,** *v. n.* Watch, take care, be cautious, be vigilant.

**Guard,** *n.* I. Defence, protection, shield, security, bulwark, rampart, ægis, palladium, safeguard.
2. Sentinel, sentry, watch, watchman.
3. Convoy, escort, conduct, body of defenders.
4. Circumspection, care, watchfulness, caution, attention, heed.
5. Conductor (*of a coach* or *of a railway train*).

**Guarded,** *a.* Cautious, wary, circumspect, watchful, careful.

**Guardian,** *n.* I. Warden, keeper, protector, defender, preserver.
2. Guardian angel, tutelary saint, good genius, attendant spirit.

**Guardian,** *a.* Protecting, tutelary.

**Guardsman,** *n.* Watchman, sentinel, sentry, guard.

**Guerdon,** *n.* (*Poetical.*) Recompense, remuneration, requital, reward.

**Guess,** *v. a.* I. Conjecture, divine, surmise, suspect, mistrust, judge at random, judge with uncertainty.
2. Find out, solve, penetrate, fathom (*by conjecture*).
3. [*Now little used except in U. S.*] Suppose, think, believe, fancy, imagine, take it, dare say, venture to say.

**Guess,** *v. n.* Conjecture, divine, surmise, suspect, mistrust.

**Guess,** *n.* Conjecture, surmise, supposition.

**Guest,** *n.* Visitor, visitant.

**Guffaw,** *n.* Laugh (*boisterous* or *loud*), horse-laugh.

**Guidance,** *n.* Direction, leadership, lead, conduct, government.

**Guide,** *v. a.* I. Lead, conduct, pilot.
2. Direct, rule, govern, manage, regulate, control, steer, preside over, have charge of, take the direction of.

**Guide,** *n.* 1. Director, conductor, pilot.
2. Mentor, monitor, adviser, counsellor, instructor.
3. Clew, key, *clavis.*
4. Guide-book, itinerary.
**Guide-post,** *n.* Finger-post.
**Guild,** *n.* Fraternity, association, society, company, corporation, corporate body, joint concern (*of craftsmen* or *tradesmen having like vocations*).
**Guile,** *n.* Cunning, craft, subtlety, artfulness, artifice, duplicity, deceit, deception, trickery, fraud, wiles, wiliness.
**Guileful,** *a.* Crafty, wily, artful, cunning, deceitful, dishonest, insincere, double, fraudulent, tricky.
**Guileless,** *a.* Artless, honest, sincere, undesigning, unsophisticated, frank, pure, truthful, candid, ingenuous, open, straightforward, single-minded, open-hearted, simple-hearted, simple-minded.
**Guillemets,** *n. pl.* Quotation points *or* marks, marks of quotation, inverted commas.
**Guilt,** *n.* 1. Criminality, guiltiness, culpability.
2. Wrong, iniquity, wickedness, offensiveness, ill-desert.
**Guiltless,** *a.* Innocent, sinless, spotless, unspotted, unpolluted, immaculate, unsullied, untarnished, blameless.
**Guilty,** *a.* 1. Criminal, culpable, wicked, wrong.
2. Found in guilt, having violated law, actually transgressing, actually offending.
**Guinea,** *n.* Twenty-one shillings.
**Guinea-corn,** *n.* Doura, Indian millet, negro-corn (*Sorghum vulgare*).
**Guinea-fowl,** *n.* Guinea-hen (*Numida meleagris*).
**Guinea-hen,** *n.* See GUINEA-FOWL.
**Guise,** *n.* 1. Appearance, aspect, garb, dress, form, shape, figure, fashion, manner, mode.
2. (*Poetical.*) Air, mien, demeanor, behavior.
3. Practice, habit, custom, manner, mode.
**Gulch,** *n.* Ravine (*made by running water*), gully.
**Gules,** *n.* (*Her.*) Red.
**Gulf,** *n.* 1. Large bay.
2. Abyss, chasm, opening.
3. Whirlpool, swallowing eddy, engulfing sea.
**Gull,** *v. a.* Deceive, cheat, dupe, trick, chouse, cozen, overreach, circumvent, beguile, impose upon.
**Gull,** *n.* 1. Cheat, trick, deception, imposition, fraud.
2. Dupe, cat's-paw.
3. Mew, cob, seamew, sea-cob.
**Gullet,** *n.* Œsophagus, gorge.
**Gullibility,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Weak credulity.
**Gullible,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Credulous, easily duped.
**Gully,** *n.* Gulch, ravine.
**Gulp,** *v. a.* Swallow greedily, bolt.
**Gumbo,** *n.* [*U. S.*] Okra (*Abelmoschos esculentus*).
**Gum-elastic,** *n.* Caoutchouc, india-rubber.
**Gumption,** *n.* 1. (*Colloq.*) Shrewdness, sagacity, discernment, skill, cleverness, ability, penetration, capacity, power, common-sense.
2. Magilp.
**Gum-rash,** *n.* (*Med.*) Red-gum.
**Gum-tree,** *n.* 1. Black-gum, sour-gum (*Nyssa multiflora*).
2. [*U. S.*] Sweet-gum, liquidambar (*Liquidambar styraciflora*).
**Gun,** *n.* Fire-arm.
**Gun-cotton,** *n.* Pyroxyline.
**Guns,** *n. pl.* 1. Fire-arms.
2. (*Mil.*) Cannon.
**Gurgle,** *v. n.* Ripple, purl, murmur.
**Gush,** *v. n.* 1. Spout out, burst forth, rush forth (*as a liquid*), flow out suddenly.
2. Sentimentalize, be over-effusive, be carried away by feeling.
**Gush,** *n.* 1. Rush (*as of a liquid*), sudden efflux *or* outflow.
2. Effusive sentiment, sentimentalism, silly sentiment.
**Gushing,** *a.* 1. Rushing, issuing violently, flowing copiously.
2. Sentimental, demonstrative, exuberantly affectionate.
**Gusset,** *n.* Gore.
**Gust,** *n.* 1. Taste.
2. Relish, zest, liking, gusto, gratification of appetite.
3. Pleasure, enjoyment, delight, delectation.
4. Turn, taste, fancy, favor.
5. Blast, squall.
6. Burst, outburst, fit, paroxysm.
**Gustable,** *a.* Relishable, savory, pleasant to the taste, sapid.
**Gusto,** *n.* Relish, zest, liking, gust.
**Gusty,** *a.* Stormy, tempestuous, windy, squally, blustering.
**Gut,** *n.* 1. Intestine.
2. Strait, narrow pass.
**Gut,** *v. a.* Eviscerate, disembowel, embowel, paunch, take out the bowels of.
**Guts,** *n. pl.* Viscera, intestines, entrails, bowels, inwards.
**Gutta serena.** [L.] (*Med.*) Amaurosis, drop serene.
**Gutter,** *n.* Channel, conduit, kennel.
**Guttural,** *a.* 1. Of the throat, formed in the throat.
2. Gruff, hoarse, deep, hoarse and low.
**Guy,** *n.* 1. Stay, shore.
2. Fright, dowdy, scarecrow.
**Guzzle,** *v. n.* Drink (*greedily* or *much*), carouse, tipple, tope.
**Guzzle,** *v. a.* Drink (*greedily* or *much*), quaff, swill, swig (*colloq.*).
**Gymnasium,** *n.* 1. Place for athletic exercises.
2. School, seminary, academy, high-school.
**Gymnast,** *n.* Athlete, adept at gymnastics *or* athletics.
**Gymnastic,** *a.* Athletic.
**Gymnastics,** *n. pl.* Athletic exercises, athletics.
**Gypsum,** *n.* Sulphate of lime (*native*).
**Gypsy,** *n.* 1. Fortune-telling nomad.
2. Brunette (*used in reproach*).
3. Crafty man, crafty woman, cheat, wily one.
4. Gypsy language, Romany, chib, Romanes.
**Gyrate,** *v. n.* Rotate, revolve, whirl, spin, turn round, wheel round, move in a circle.
**Gyration,** *n.* Rotation, whirling, revolution, spinning, circular motion.
**Gyves,** *n. pl.* Fetters, shackles, chains.

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**Habiliment,** *n.* Dress, garment, clothes, apparel, raiment, vesture, garb, habit, costume, vestment.
**Habit,** *n.* 1. Condition (*of the body*), constitution, temperament.
2. Custom (*of an individual*), usage, wont, practice, habitude, way, manner, second nature.
3. Dress, garb. See HABILIMENT.
**Habit,** *v. a.* Dress, clothe, array, attire, accoutre.
**Habitable,** *a.* Inhabitable.
**Habitancy,** *n.* Inhabitancy, residence, legal settlement.
**Habitat,** *n.* Natural locality (*of a plant* or *an animal*), area of distribution.
**Habitation,** *n.* Abode, dwelling, lodging, domicile, quarters, headquarters, dwelling-place, place of abode, place of residence.
**Habitual,** *a.* Usual, customary, accustomed, wonted, common, regular, ordinary, familiar, every-day.
**Habituate,** *v. a.* Accustom, familiarize, inure, use, train, harden.
**Habitude,** *n.* Custom, usage, practice, wont. See HABIT.
**Hacienda,** *n.* [Sp.] Plantation, farm, estate.
**Hack,** *v. a.* Cut (*clumsily*), hew, chop, mangle, hackle, haggle.
**Hack,** *n.* 1. Notch, cut.
2. Hired horse, worn-out horse.
3. Drudge, over-worked man.
**Hack,** *a.* Hired, mercenary, hireling, hackney.
**Hackee,** *n.* [*U. S.*] Chipmunk, striped squirrel, ground-squirrel, chipping squirrel.
**Hackle,** *v. a.* 1. Cut (*clumsily*), hew, chop, hack, haggle, mangle.
2. Hatchel, dress (*flax*).
**Hackmatack,** *n.* Tamarack, American larch, black larch (*Larix pendula* or *Larix Americana*).
**Hackney,** *a.* Common, hired, hack.
**Hackney-coach,** *n.* Hackney.
**Hackneyed,** *a.* 1. Worn out, much used.
2. Common, commonplace, threadbare, trite, stale, beaten.
**Had as lief.** Would as willingly, gladly, *or* freely, would as lief.
**Hades,** *n.* Grave, invisible world, under-world, world below, Pluto's realms, region of the dead.
**Had like.** Came near, had nearly, came little short of, came within a little of.
**Haft,** *n.* Handle (*of an instrument*), stock.
**Hag,** *n.* Fury, beldam, she-monster, Jezebel, virago, vixen, ugly old woman.
**Haggard,** *a.* 1. Wild, wayward, intractable, unruly, refractory, untamed, not domesticated.
2. Gaunt, lean, meagre, spare, worn, wasted, rawboned.
**Haggish,** *a.* Ugly, deformed, horrid.
**Haggle,** *v. n.* Higgle, chaffer, be tedious in a bargain.
**Haggle,** *v. a.* 1. Cut (*clumsily*), hew, chop, hack, hackle.
2. Worry, tease, harass, badger, annoy, fret, bait.
**Hail,** *v. a.* 1. Salute, greet, welcome, call in honor.
2. Call, call to, accost, signal, speak.
**Hail-fellow,** *n.* Intimate, associate, companion.
**Hair-salt,** *n.* Native sulphate of magnesia.
**Halcyon,** *n.* Kingfisher.
**Halcyon,** *a.* Placid, calm, quiet, still, peaceful, tranquil, undisturbed, unruffled, serene, palmy, happy, golden, halcyonian.
**Hale,** *a.* Healthy, sound, strong, hearty, hardy, robust, well, in good health.
**Half,** *n.* Moiety.
**Half-note,** *n.* Minim, half a semi-breve.
**Half-seas-over,** *a.* Fuddled, disguised, boozy, muddled, tipsy, mellow, corned, crapulous, slewed, muzzy, nappy, high, somewhat drunk, slightly intoxicated, in liquor, in one's cups, the worse for liquor, three sheets in the wind, has had a drop too much.
**Half-wit,** *n.* Blockhead, simpleton. See DUNCE.
**Half-witted,** *a.* Dull, stupid, stolid, doltish, foolish, soft, silly, shallow, sappy, weak-headed, weak-minded, feeble-minded, shallow-brained, blunt-witted, dull-witted, thick-skulled.
**Half-yearly,** *a.* Semi-annual.
**Half-yearly,** *ad.* Semi-annually.
**Halicore,** *n.* (*Zoöl.*) Dugong.
**Hall,** *n.* 1. Large room, chamber.
2. Entry (*of a house*), entrance, vestibule.
3. Manor-house.
4. Public room, assembly room, lecture room, room for entertainments.
5. Unendowed college (*in English universities*).
6. Dining-room (*in English universities*).
**Hallelujah,** / **Halleluiah,** } *interj.* Hosanna, praise ye Jehovah.
**Halloo,** *v. n.* Shout, call, cry out.
**Halloo,** *n.* Holla, shout, call.
**Hallow,** *v. a.* 1. Consecrate, sanctify, dedicate, devote, make holy, invest with solemnity.
2. Reverence, honor, respect, venerate, pay homage to, render honor to.
**Hallowed,** *a.* Holy, sacred, blessed.
**Hallow-e'en,** / **Hallow-even,** } *n.* Eve *or* vigil of All-Saints, the night of 31st October.
**Hallowmas,** *n.* Feast of All-Souls.
**Hallowtide,** *n.* Time *or* season of Hallowmas, season of All-Souls, time near the first of November *or* All-Hallows.
**Hallucination,** *n.* 1. Error, blunder, mistake, fallacy.
2. Illusion, delusion, self-deception, phantasm, aberration
3. (*Med.*) Illusion of sense, sensible delusion, subjective perception.
**Halo,** *n.* 1. Ring (*of light*).
2. (*Painting.*) Glory, aureole.
**Halt,** *v. n.* 1. Stop, hold, stand (still), stop short, pull up, come to a stop.
2. Limp, hobble, walk lamely.
**Halt,** *a.* Lame, crippled.
**Halt,** *n.* 1. Stop, stand, standstill.
2. Limp, limping gait.
**Halve,** *v. a.* 1. Divide into two equal parts, bisect.
2. Scarf (*as timbers*), join by a scarf.
**Hamadryad,** *n.* Wood-nymph, nymph of the woods.
**Hamate,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Hooked.
**Hamlet,** *n.* Small village.
**Hammer,** *v. a* 1. Forge, shape with the hammer, beat out, shape by beating.
2. Contrive, excogitate, invent, work out.
**Hammer and tongs.** (*Colloquial expression used adverbially.*) Strenuously, vigorously, earnestly, zealously, resolutely, energetically, with all one's might, with might and main, tooth and nail,

through thick and thin, through fire and water, *pugnis et calcibus.*

**Hammer-fish,** *n.* Balance-fish, hammer-head, hammer-headed shark (*Zygæna vulgaris*).

**Hammer-head,** *n.* See HAMMER-FISH.

**Hammock,** *n.* Swinging bed.

**Hamper,** *n.* 1. Crate, packing basket.
2. Fetter, shackle, clog-chain.

**Hamper,** *v. a.* Shackle, fetter, entangle, clog, encumber, restrain, hinder, impede, clog.

**Hamstring,** *v. a.* Hough.

**Hand,** *n.* 1. Palm and fingers.
2. Palm, four inches (*in estimating the height of a horse*), hand-breadth.
3. Side (*right* or *left*), direction, part.
4. Skill, ability, talent, faculty, dexterity.
5. Handiwork, workmanship.
6. Mode of procedure, course, management.
7. Agency, intervention, participation, share.
8. Possession, control, power.
9. Laborer, workman, operative, artisan, artificer, craftsman, employee.
10. Index, pointer, indicator.
11. Chirography, handwriting, style of penmanship.
12. Handful, bunch (*usually of five*).

**Hand,** *v. a.* 1. Give (*with the hand*), transmit, present, pass by hand.
2. Lead, conduct, guide.

**Hand and glove.** Very intimate, very friendly, very familiar.

**Handbook,** *n.* Manual.

**Hand-breadth,** *n.* Palm, hand, four inches.

**Handcuff,** *n.* Manacle, hand-fetter.

**Handcuff,** *v. a.* Manacle.

**Hand down.** Transmit in succession.

**Hand-fetter,** *n.* Handcuff, manacle.

**Handful,** *n.* Maniple.

**Handicraft,** *n.* Manual occupation, trade.

**Handicraftsman,** *n.* Artisan, mechanic, artificer, workman, hand, craftsman.

**Hand in hand.** Conjointly, unitedly, in union.

**Handiwork,** *n.* Work, workmanship, manufacture, hand.

**Handle,** *v. a.* 1. Touch, feel, feel of, take in the hand, take hold of.
2. Manage, use, wield.
3. Treat, discuss, discourse on, treat of.
4. Deal with, manage.

**Handle,** *n.* 1. Haft, stock, helve.
2. Bail.

**Handmaid,** } **Handmaiden,** } *n.* Maid-servant, female servant.

**Hands,** *n. pl.* See CLUTCHES.

**Handscrew,** *n.* Jack.

**Handsel,** *n.* [Written also *Hansel.*] Earnest, first receipts, first-fruits, first gift, beginning of fortune, gift with promise.

**Handsel,** *v. a.* [Written also *Hansel.*] 1. Give a handsel *or* earnest to.
2. Use for the first time, do for the first time.

**Hands off.** Forbear, desist, keep off, don't touch it, let it alone.

**Handsome,** *a.* 1. Comely, well-formed, well-proportioned, stately, fine-looking.
2. Graceful, easy, becoming, appropriate.
3. Generous, liberal, disinterested, noble, magnanimous.
4. Ample, sufficient, plentiful, large.

**Hand to hand.** In close fight.

**Handwriting,** *n.* Hand, chirography, style of penmanship.

**Handy,** *a.* 1. Dexterous, adroit, ready, expert, skilful, skilled, clever.
2. Convenient, near, at hand, close at hand.

**Hang,** *v. a.* 1. Suspend.
2. Execute (*by the halter*), hang by the neck.
3. Attach (*so as to swing*).
4. Incline (*the head*), decline, drop, droop bend down, let droop.
5. Drape, adorn with hangings.

**Hang,** *v. n.* 1. Depend, dangle, be suspended.
2. Incline, droop, tend downward.
3. Depend, rely, be dependent.
4. Rest, cling.
5. Be held in fixed attention.
6. Hover, float, play.

**Hang back.** Demur, hesitate, be backward, be reluctant.

**Hang-bird,** *n.* Baltimore oriole, golden-robin (*Icterus Baltimore* or *Oriolus Baltimore*).

**Hang-dog,** *n.* Mean, base, *or* scurvy fellow, blackguard, bezonian.

**Hang-dog,** *a.* Sneaking, base, low, blackguard, villanous, scurvy.

**Hanger-on,** *n.* Parasite, dependant, minion, vassal.

**Hang fire.** Be long *or* slow in discharging (*said of a gun*).

**Hanging,** *n.* 1. Suspension.
2. Death by the halter, death on the gallows.

**Hangings,** *n. pl.* Drapery, tapestry.

**Hang on.** 1. Rely on, depend on, wait on, dance attendance on.
2. Continue, last, be protracted.
3. Stick, cling, keep hold, hold fast, hold on, stick to.
4. Weigh upon, drag, importune.
5. Stay, rest, reside, continue, remain.
6. Attend admiringly, regard with passionate admiration.

**Hang one's head.** Feel ashamed, take shame to one's self, hide one's face, hide one's diminished head, draw in one's horns.

**Hang out.** Display.

**Hang over.** 1. Project at top, lean over.
2. Threaten, impend over.

**Hang together.** 1. Keep united, stick together, hold together.
2. (*Colloq.*) Be consistent (*as the parts of a story*).

**Hang up one's fiddle.** (*Colloq.*) Quit business, shut up shop, give up one's occupation.

**Hanker after.** Covet, long for, desire ardently, have a strong desire for, lust after.

**Hankering,** *n.* Longing, craving, strong desire, burning want.

**Hap,** *n.* Chance, fortune, accident, haphazard, luck, casual event.

**Haphazard,** *n.* Chance, hap.

**Hapless,** *a.* Luckless, unlucky, unfortunate, unhappy, wretched, miserable, ill-starred, ill-fated.

**Haply,** *ad.* Perhaps, perchance, possibly, peradventure (*archaic*), by chance, by accident, maybe, it may be, as luck may have it, as it may turn up, as it may happen.

**Happen,** *v. n.* Chance, occur, befall, betide, come, take place, turn up, fall out, come to pass.

**Happily,** *ad.* 1. Luckily, fortunately, by good fortune, as luck would have it.
2. Successfully, prosperously, fortunately, agreeably, delightfully, in a happy manner.
3. Gracefully, dexterously, skilfully, felicitously.

**Happiness,** *n.* 1. Joy, delight, pleasure, gayety, light-heartedness, merriment, cheerfulness, brightness.
2. Felicity, bliss, beatitude, blessedness, enjoyment, welfare, well-being, prosperity.

**Happy,** *a.* 1. Joyous, joyful, light-hearted, gay, merry, cheerful, blissful, blessed, blest.
2. Pleased, gratified, delighted, rejoiced, glad, gladdened, charmed.
3. Lucky, fortunate, prosperous, successful.

4. Ready, apt, skilful, adroit, dexterous, expert, able.
5. Seasonable, opportune, befitting, pertinent, felicitous, well-timed.
6. Auspicious, propitious, favorable, bright.

**Harangue,** *n.* I. Speech, public address, popular oration, formal address.
2. Declamatory speech, bombastic performance, tirade, screed.

**Harangue,** *v. n.* I. Speak to a large assembly, make a formal address.
2. Declaim, spout, make a declamatory speech, indulge in a tirade.

**Harangue,** *v. a.* Address, make an harangue to, make a formal *or* set speech to.

**Harass,** *v. a.* I. Fatigue, tire, weary, fag, jade, exhaust, tire out.
2. Vex, plague, worry, distress, trouble, molest, disturb, harry, annoy, torment, keep in alarm, keep assaulting, drive from pillar to post.

**Harbinger,** *n.* Forerunner, precursor, herald.

**Harbor,** *n.* I. Asylum, refuge, shelter, cover, sanctuary, retreat, resting-place, place of shelter.
2. Port, haven, harbor, destination.

**Harbor,** *v. n.* Take shelter, find a harbor, keep in harbor.

**Harbor,** *v. a.* I. Shelter, lodge, protect.
2. Entertain, cherish, indulge, foster.
3. (*Law.*) Secrete, receive clandestinely.

**Hard,** *a.* I. Firm, solid, compact, impenetrable, unyielding, rigid.
2. Difficult, embarrassing, perplexing, puzzling, knotty, intricate, understood with difficulty.
3. Laborious, arduous, toilsome, fatiguing, wearying.
4. Unfeeling, unkind, insensible, unsusceptible, cruel, oppressive, rigorous, exacting, severe, unyielding, inflexible, callous, obdurate, hard-hearted, unfeeling, unsympathetic.
5. Grievous, distressing, calamitous, painful, disagreeable, unpleasant.
6. Inclement, stormy, tempestuous, cold, severe.
7. Harsh, rough, sour, acid.
8. Coarse, unpalatable.
9. Unfavorable, unprosperous, unpropitious.
10. Stiff, constrained, forced, unnatural, ungraceful, rigid.
11. Excessive, intemperate.

**Hard,** *ad.* I. Close, near.
2. Laboriously, diligently, earnestly, incessantly, energetically.
3. With difficulty, not easily.
4. Distressfully, painfully, severely, rigorously.
5. Vehemently, forcibly, violently.

**Hard-a-lee,** *ad.* (*Naut.*) Close to the lee side.

**Hard-a-port,** *ad.* (*Naut.*) Close to the larboard side.

**Hard-a-starboard,** *ad.* (*Naut.*) Close to the starboard side.

**Hard-a-weather,** *ad.* (*Naut.*) Close to the windward side.

**Hard biscuit.** Cracker.

**Hard by.** Close by, very near.

**Hard coal.** Anthracite, glance-coal, blind-coal, stone-coal, culm.

**Harden,** *v. a.* I. Indurate, make hard, make callous.
2. Habituate, inure, season, accustom, form, train, discipline.
3. Strengthen, fortify, steel, nerve, brace
4. Sear, make callous, render insensible *or* unimpressible, make unfeeling.
5. Make obdurate, confirm in wickedness.

**Harden,** *v. n.* Grow or become hard, indurate.

**Hardened,** *v. a.* I. Indurated, made hard.
2. Confirmed, inured, accustomed, habituated, seasoned, trained.
3. Deadened, seared, steeled, unfeeling, benumbed, callous, insensible.
4. Depraved, reprobate, obdurate, impenitent, lost, abandoned, incorrigible, irreclaimable.

**Hard-favored,** } *a.* Ugly, ill-favored, homely,
**Hard-featured,** } ill-looking, hard-visaged, of coarse features.

**Hard-fisted,** *a.* I. Avaricious, covetous, niggardly, sordid, stingy, mercenary, mean, close-fisted, illiberal, ungenerous.
2. Stout-fisted, hard-handed, horny-handed.

**Hardhack,** *n.* Steeple-bush (*Spiræa tomentosa*).

**Hard-handed,** *a.* I. Hard-fisted, horny-handed, stout-handed.
2. Severe, rigorous, high-handed, oppressive.

**Hardhead,** *n.* I. Menhaden, pauhaugen, mossbunker.
2. Knapweed (*Centaurea nigra*).
3. Head-butting, clash of heads.

**Hard-headed,** *a.* Shrewd, sagacious, intelligent and firm, not to be imposed upon, of strong sense, cool, collected, well-balanced.

**Hard-hearted,** *a.* Cruel, unfeeling, merciless, unmerciful, uncompassionate, unpitying, ruthless, fell, pitiless, relentless, unrelenting, inexorable, implacable, barbarous, savage, ferocious, inhuman.

**Hardihood,** *n.* I. Firmness, fortitude, resolution, pluck, mettle, manhood, courage, bravery, intrepidity, boldness, audacity, determination, resolution, decision.
2. Effrontery, audacity, assurance, brass.

**Hardly,** *ad.* I. Scarcely, barely, but just.
2. Severely, rigorously, unkindly, cruelly, roughly.

**Hardness,** *n.* I. Firmness, solidity, compactness, impenetrability.
2. Difficulty, perplexity, perplexing character *or* nature.
3. Scarcity, penury, poverty, severity, rigor, narrowness.
4. Hardship, suffering, tribulation, trial.

**Hards,** *n. pl.* Tow, refuse flax.

**Hardship,** *n.* I. Toil, fatigue, weariness.
2. Grievance, suffering, trial, affliction, calamity, misfortune, trouble, burden, hardness.

**Hard-visaged,** *a.* Ugly, homely, hard-favored, hard-featured, ill-favored, ill-looking, of coarse features.

**Hardy,** *a.* I. Bold, intrepid, resolute, brave, daring, valiant, heroic, manly, courageous, stout-hearted.
2. Strong, robust, firm, stout, lusty, rigorous, healthy, hearty, hale, sound.

**Hare-brained,** *a.* Rash, reckless, headlong, heedless, careless, wild, unsteady, giddy, volatile, flighty, giddy-brained, harum-scarum.

**Harfang,** *n.* Hawk-owl (*Surnea nyctea* or *Strix nyctea*), Canada owl.

**Hariff,** *n.* Cleavers, goose-grass, catch-weed, scratch-weed (*Galium aparine*).

**Hark,** *interj.* Hear, listen, give ear, attend, hearken.

**Harlequin,** *n.* Buffoon, jester, droll, merry-andrew, punch, clown, zany, scaramouch, fool, antic, jack-pudding, pickle-herring.

**Harlequinade,** *n.* Masking, mummery, masquerade, buffoonery, foolery, tomfoolery.

**Harlot,** *n.* Whore. See STRUMPET.

**Harm,** *n.* I. Injury, hurt, detriment, mischief, damage, prejudice, disadvantage.
2. Evil, wrong, criminality, wickedness.

**Harm,** *v. a.* I. Injure, hurt, damage, do harm to.
2. Maltreat, molest, abuse, ill-use, ill-treat.

**Harmful,** *a.* Injurious, detrimental, mischievous.

pernicious, deleterious, noxious, baneful, prejudicial, disadvantageous, hurtful.

**Harmless,** *a.* 1. Innoxious, innocuous, not hurtful, innocent.
2. Inoffensive, unoffending, innocent.
3. Uninjured, unhurt, unharmed, unscathed, undamaged.

**Harmonic,** } *a.* 1. Harmonious, concordant,
**Harmonical,** } consonant.
2. Melodious, tuneful, musical.
3. Pertaining to harmony, relating to music, musical.

**Harmonious,** *a.* 1. Concordant, harmonic, consonant.
2. Melodious, tuneful, musical, dulcet, melliffluous.
3. Correspondent, consistent, congruent, symmetrical.
4. Friendly, amicable, cordial, brotherly, fraternal, neighborly.

**Harmonize,** *v. a.* 1. Make harmonious, reconcile, adjust to each other.
2. (*Mus.*) Set accompanying parts to.

**Harmonize,** *v. n.* Accord, agree, correspond, chime, comport, tally, square, quadrate, cohere, be in unison, be harmonious.

**Harmony,** *n.* 1. Concord (*especially of sounds* or *tones*), accord, accordance, consonance, concordance, unison, agreement, chime.
2. Adaptation, correspondence, consistency, congruity, congruence, fitness, suitableness.
3. Peace, amity, friendship, kind feeling, good understanding.

**Harmotome,** *n.* Cross-stone, staurolite.

**Harness,** *n.* 1. Tackling, tackle, gear.
2. Accoutrements, armor, array, mail.
3. Mounting (*of a loom*).

**Harness,** *v. a.* Tackle, put in harness.

**Harp,** *n.* Lyre.

**Harp,** *v. n.* 1. Play on the harp, strike the lyre.
2. Dwell (*tediously*).

**Harping,** *n.* 1. Harp-music.
2. Dwelling, repetition, iteration, reiteration.

**Harping-iron,** *n.* Harpoon.

**Harpoon,** *n.* Harping-iron.

**Harpooneer,** *n.* Harpooner.

**Harpooner,** *n.* Harpooneer.

**Harpseal,** *n.* Greenland seal (*Phoca Grœnlandica*).

**Harpy,** *n.* 1. (*Mythol.*) Defiling monster, — half bird, half woman.
2. Duck-hawk, marsh-harrier, moor-buzzard, (*Circus æruginosus*).
3. Extortioner, sharper, plunderer.

**Harrow,** *v. a.* 1. Draw a harrow over, till with a harrow.
2. Lacerate, tear, rend, wound, torment, torture, harass.

**Harry,** *v. a.* 1. Pillage, plunder, rob, raid.
2. Worry, annoy, molest, plague, torment, trouble, tease, vex, harass, fret, gall, chafe, incommode, disturb, harrow.

**Harsh,** *a.* 1. Rough.
2. Sour, acrid, tart, crabbed, hard, biting, sharp, caustic, corrosive.
3. Grating, discordant, jarring.
4. Crabbed, morose, stern, severe, austere, acrimonious, ill-tempered, hard, ill-natured, sour, unkind, unfeeling.
5. Rude, uncivil, bluff, blunt, gruff, ungracious, churlish, bearish, brutal.

**Harshness,** *n.* 1. Roughness.
2. Austerity, rigor, severity, sternness, crabbedness, moroseness, churlishness, ill-temper, asperity, ill-nature, hardness, unkindness, acerbity.
3. Rudeness, incivility, bluntness, bluffness, ungraciousness, churlishness, gruffness.

**Hart,** *n.* Stag, male red deer.

**Hartshorn,** *n.* Carbonate of ammonia (*in solution*), spirits of hartshorn, liquid ammonia.

**Harum-scarum,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Volatile, rash, precipitate, wild. See HARE-BRAINED.

**Haruspice,** *n.* Diviner. See SOOTHSAYER.

**Harvest,** *n.* 1. Ingathering, harvesting, harvest-time.
2. Produce, crops.
3. Effect, product, result, consequence.

**Harvest,** *v. a.* Gather in, reap.

**Harvest-fly,** *n.* Locust (*popularly but erroneously so called*).

**Harvest-man,** *n.* 1. Laborer in the harvest, harvester, mower, reaper.
2. Father-long-legs, daddy-long-legs, shepherd-spider.

**Hash,** *v. a.* Mince, chop.

**Hash,** *n.* Minced meat, hashed meat, hash-meat.

**Hasp,** *n.* 1. Clasp (*to be put over a staple*).
2. Hook.

**Hastate,** } *a.* (*Bot.*) Spear-shaped.
**Hastated,** }

**Haste,** *n.* 1. Despatch, promptitude, quickness, expedition, celerity, speed.
2. Hurry, precipitance, precipitation, vehemence.

**Haste,** *v. n.* Hasten, be quick, make haste.

**Hasten,** *v. n.* Haste, hurry, move quickly, move speedily, be quick, be in a hurry, make haste, mend one's pace, lose no time, lose not a moment, make the best of one's way, wing one's way, crowd sail, clap spurs to one's horse.

**Hasten,** *v. a.* Expedite, despatch, speed, accelerate, quicken, precipitate, press on, urge on, urge forward, push forward, bring speedily, bring on quickly.

**Hasty,** *a.* 1. Quick, swift, rapid, fleet, speedy, fast, brisk.
2. Cursory, slight, hurried, rapid, superficial.
3. Rash, precipitate, headlong, reckless, thoughtless, indiscreet.
4. Passionate, irritable, touchy, testy, pettish, waspish, petulant, peevish, fretful, fiery, choleric, irascible, excitable, hot, peppery.

**Hat,** *n.* 1. Head-cover.
2. Cardinal's office, dignity of a cardinal.

**Hatch,** *v. a.* 1. Breed (*from eggs*).
2. Quicken (*by incubation* or *by heat*).
3. Concoct, devise, plan, contrive, plot, design, scheme, project, brew, lay out, excogitate, think out.

**Hatch,** *n.* 1. Brood.
2. Hatchway.
3. Hatchway-grating.

**Hatchel,** *v. a.* Hackle, dress (*flax*).

**Hatcher,** *n.* 1. Incubator.
2. Contriver, projector, deviser, concocter, planner, plotter.

**Hatchet,** *n.* Small axe.

**Hatchway,** *n.* Hatch.

**Hate,** *v. a.* 1. Bear malice to, owe a grudge to, keep a grudge against, be hostile to, dislike intensely, bear deadly malice to.
2. Abhor, abominate, loathe, nauseate, shrink from, recoil from. See DETEST.

**Hate,** *n.* Hatred, detestation, animosity, enmity, hostility, antipathy.

**Hateful,** *a.* 1. Malignant, malevolent, malign.
2. Abominable, detestable, execrable, odious, abhorrent, horrid, shocking, damnable, accursed.
3. Loathsome, disgusting, nauseous, offensive, foul, repulsive, obnoxious, revolting, vile, abhorrent, repugnant.

**Hatred,** *n.* 1. Hate, enmity, hostility, disaffec-

tion, disfavor, alienation, estrangement, odium, animosity, ill-will, great dislike.
2. Abhorrence, detestation, abomination, horror, loathing, disgust, antipathy, repugnance.
**Hattock,** *n.* Shock (*of corn*), stook.
**Haughtiness,** *n.* Arrogance, disdain, superciliousness, contempt, contemptuousness, pride, loftiness, *hauteur*.
**Haughty,** *a.* Arrogant, disdainful, supercilious, assuming, proud, lofty, contemptuous.
**Haul,** *v. a.* Drag, draw, pull, tug, tow, lug, trail, take in tow.
**Haul,** *n.* 1. Pull, tug.
2. Draught.
**Haunch,** *n.* Hip.
**Haunt,** *v. a.* 1. Frequent, resort to.
2. Hang upon, importune, follow importunately.
3. Inhabit, hover about, frequent (*as a spectre* or *ghost*).
**Haunt,** *n.* Retreat, resort, den, frequented place.
**Hautboy,** *n.* Oboe.
**Hauteur,** *n.* [Fr.] Haughtiness, arrogance, loftiness, disdain, contempt, contemptuousness, superciliousness, pride, self-importance.
**Have,** *v. a.* 1. Hold (*whether one's own or not*), be in actual possession of.
2. Possess, own, be in possession of, be seized of.
3. Be favored with.
4. Be the subject of.
5. Regard, consider, esteem.
6. Require, wish, desire.
7. Obtain, acquire, receive, get, gain.
8. Be obliged, be under the necessity.
9. Accept (*as husband* or *as wife*), take.
10. Bear, bring forth, be delivered of.
**Have a bee in the head.** Be a little crazy, be cracked.
**Have a finger in.** Have a share in, be concerned in, have a hand in.
**Have a hand in.** Be concerned in, have a share in, have a finger in.
**Have an eye to.** Pay particular attention to, have especial regard to, not overlook, not lose sight of, aim at.
**Have at heart.** Be deeply interested in, be specially anxious about.
**Have done with.** Have no further concern with, be through with, have ceased to be concerned with, give up, give over, abandon, let alone.
**Have in hand.** Be engaged upon.
**Haven,** *n.* 1. Harbor, port.
2. Shelter, asylum, place of safety, harbor.
**Have on.** Wear.
**Have one's hands full.** Have much to do, be very busy, have much upon one's hands, be under a press of business.
**Have on the hip.** (*Colloq.*) Conquer, subdue, vanquish, defeat, overcome, overthrow, overpower, get the better of, prevail over, get the upper hand of, get the whip hand of.
**Have to do with.** Concern one's self with, have concern with, deal with.
**Havoc,** *n.* 1. Ravage, devastation, destruction, desolation, waste, ruin.
2. Carnage, slaughter, destruction of life.
**Haw,** *v. n.* Hesitate (*in speaking*), stammer, stutter, falter, hem and haw.
**Hawfinch,** *n.* Grossbeak (*Coccothraustes vulgaris*).
**Hawk,** *n.* Falcon.
**Hawk,** *v. a.* Cry, sell by outcry, carry about for sale.
**Hawk-eyed,** *a.* 1. Sharp-sighted, quick-sighted, keen-eyed, eagle-eyed, lynx-eyed, Argus-eyed.
2. Discerning, penetrating, astute, sagacious, keen.
**Hawk-moth,** *n.* Death's head moth.
**Hawk-nut,** *n.* Ground-nut.
**Hawk-owl,** *n.* Canada owl. See HARFANG.
**Hawthorn,** *n.* Whitethorn, haythorn (*Cratægus oxyacantha*).
**Haybird,** *n.* Spotted fly-catcher.
**Haycock,** *n.* Hayrick, haystack.
**Haymaids,** *n.* Gill, ground-ivy, alehoof.
**Hazard,** *n.* 1. Chance, casualty, accident, fortuitous event.
2. Danger, peril, risk, jeopardy.
**Hazard,** *v. a.* 1. Venture, adventure, risk.
2. Jeopard, peril, imperil, endanger, put in danger, put at hazard.
**Hazardous,** *a.* Dangerous, perilous, unsafe, fraught with danger, full of risk.
**Haze,** *n.* 1. Fog, mist.
2. Obscurity, dimness.
**Hazel,** *n.* Corylus.
**Hazel,** *a.* Light brown.
**Hazy,** *a.* Foggy, misty.
**Head,** *n.* 1. Seat of the brain, head-piece, noddle (*in humorous ridicule*).
2. Top, summit, upper part, acme.
3. Fore part, front part, front.
4. Commencement, beginning, rise, source, origin.
5. Chief part, principal part.
6. Person, individual.
7. Chief, chieftain, leader, principal, commander, master, director, superintendent, coryphæus.
8. First place, place of honor.
9. Understanding, intellect, mind, thought.
10. Topic, subject.
11. Class, division, section, department, category.
12. Height (*of water applicable to the driving of a water-wheel*).
13. (*Arch.*) Capital.
**Head,** *a.* 1. Chief, principal, highest, first, leading, main, grand.
2. (*Naut.*) Adverse (*said of the wind*), contrary.
**Head,** *v. a.* 1. Lead, direct, command, govern, rule.
2. Put a head on, fit with a head.
3. Get in front of (*in order to stop*), intercept, head off.
**Head,** *v. n.* 1. Form a head (*said of a plant*).
2. Tend, be pointed, be directed, aim, be aimed.
**Headache,** *n.* Cephalalgy.
**Head and ears.** Completely, entirely, wholly.
**Head and shoulders.** 1. Violently, by force.
2. By far, by a great deal, by the height of head and shoulders.
**Head-dress,** *n.* Coiffure.
**Head-foremost,** *ad.* 1. With the head first, heels over head.
2. Rashly, hastily, precipitately, headlong, heels over head.
**Headiness,** *n.* 1. Rashness, hurry, precipitation.
2. Obstinacy, stubbornness.
**Heading,** *n.* Title.
**Headland,** *n.* Promontory, cape, foreland.
**Headless,** *a.* 1. Acephalous.
2. Beheaded.
3. Imprudent, senseless, rash, obstinate, stubborn, heady. See HEADSTRONG.
**Headlong,** *a.* 1. Rash, inconsiderate, hasty, heady, reckless, thoughtless, impulsive, perilous, dangerous, ruinous, precipitate.
2. Rushing precipitately, wildly tumbling.
3. Steep, precipitous, sheer.

**Headlong,** *ad.* I. Rashly, hastily, precipitately, head-foremost, thoughtlessly, without deliberation.
2. Hastily, hurriedly, without pause, without respite.
3. At a rush, hurriedly, full tilt, helter-skelter, pell-mell, hurry-skurry.
4. Prone, head-foremost, heels over head, on one's head, sheer downward.
**Head-master,** *n.* Principal (*of a school*).
**Head-money,** *n.* Poll-tax, capitation-tax.
**Head off.** Intercept, head, get before, prevent, stop.
**Head-piece,** *n.* I. Helmet, helm, morion, casque, armor for the head.
2. Head, brain, seat of understanding, understanding.
3. (*Printing.*) Ornament at the heading.
**Headsman,** *n.* Executioner.
**Headstone,** *n.* I. Corner-stone.
2. Gravestone.
**Headstrong,** *a.* Stubborn, obstinate, dogged, violent, ungovernable, unruly, intractable, heady, headless, self-willed, cross-grained, cantankerous, froward.
**Head-voice,** *n.* Falsetto.
**Head-work,** *n.* Mental labor, intellectual labor, brain-work.
**Heady,** *a.* I. Rash, impetuous, hasty, precipitate, inconsiderate, reckless, thoughtless, impulsive.
2. Stubborn. See HEADSTRONG.
3. Inflaming, intoxicating, exciting, strong, highly spirituous, apt to affect the head.
4. Violent, impetuous, rushing, headlong.
**Heal,** *v. a.* I. Cure, remedy, restore, make sound *or* whole.
2. Reconcile, compose, soothe, settle, harmonize, make up.
**Heal,** *v. n.* Be cured, become sound, get well.
**Heald,** *n.* Heddle.
**Healing,** *a.* I. Sanative, curative, restoring, restorative.
2. Mild, composing, lenitive, assuasive, gentle, soothing, assuaging, comforting.
**Health,** *n.* Soundness, freedom from disease, hale condition.
**Healthful,** *a.* I. Full of health, healthy, sound, hale, hearty, in the enjoyment of health, marked by health, coming of health.
2. Wholesome, salubrious, salutary, health-giving, healthy.
**Health-giving,** *a.* Wholesome. See HEALTHFUL.
**Healthy,** *a.* I. Sound, hale, hearty, vigorous, strong, of good health, of a sound constitution.
2. Well, in good health, in a sound condition, in good case.
3. Wholesome, salubrious, salutary, healthful, bracing, invigorating, health-giving.
**Heap,** *n.* I. Pile, mass, collection, accumulation.
2. Great quantity, large amount, lot, abundance.
**Heap,** *v. a.* I. Pile, lay in a heap, throw into a heap.
2. Amass, accumulate, heap up.
**Heap up.** Amass, heap, accumulate.
**Hear,** *v. a.* I. Perceive by the ear.
2. Give audience to, listen to, attend to, hearken to.
3. Regard, heed, give heed to.
4. Try, examine judicially.
**Hear,** *v. n.* I. Enjoy the sense of hearing, exercise the sense of hearing, have hearing.
2. Listen, hearken, attend, give ear.
3. Be told, be informed, have an account, learn.
**Hearing,** *n.* I. Sense of hearing.
2. Audience, opportunity to be heard.
3. Trial, judicial examination.
4. Hearing distance.
**Hearken,** *v. n.* I. Listen, hear.
2. Attend, give heed, pay regard.
**Hearsay,** *n.* Rumor, report, fame, bruit, common talk, town talk.
**Heart,** *n.* I. Seat of life, centre of circulation, organ of circulation.
2. Centre, interior, core, kernel, essence, inner part, vital part.
3. Disposition, mind, will, inclination, purpose, intent, affection, passion.
4. Courage, spirit, firmness, fortitude, resolution.
5. Love, affections, feeling, emotion, seat of affection *or* love, seat of feeling *or* passion.
6. Conscience, moral nature, sense of good and ill, moral feeling, seat of character, character, seat of moral life.
**Heartache,** *n.* Grief, sorrow, distress, anguish, affliction, woe, bitterness, dole, heartbreak, broken heart, heavy heart, bleeding heart.
**Heart-broken,** *a.* Disconsolate, inconsolable, woe-begone, forlorn, miserable, wretched, desolate, cheerless, comfortless, broken-hearted, in despair.
**Heartburn,** *n.* Cardialgia, cardialgy, water-brash, water-qualm, pyrosis.
**Heart-burning,** *n.* I. Grudge, envy, resentment, spleen, gall, rankling, animosity, secret enmity.
2. Sense of wrong, suppressed anger, feeling of injury, inward pain, dissatisfaction, discontent, unhappiness.
**Hearten,** *v. a.* Encourage, embolden, animate, inspirit, enhearten, heart, cheer, incite, stimulate, assure, reassure, comfort, console, buoy up.
**Heartfelt,** *a.* Deep, profound, hearty, sincere, cordial, deep-felt, home-felt.
**Heart-free,** *a.* Free from love, fancy-free, disengaged in the affections, free at heart, heart-whole.
**Hearth,** *n.* I. Hearthstone, fireplace, bottom of fireplace.
2. Fireside, home, hearthstone, domestic circle.
**Hearthstone,** *n.* I. Hearth, fireplace, bottom of fireplace.
2. Fireside, home, domestic circle.
**Heartily,** *ad.* I. Sincerely, cordially, from the heart, with all the heart.
2. Vigorously, earnestly, eagerly, ardently, warmly, zealously, with ardor, with zeal, with resolution.
3. With good appetite, freely, largely.
**Heartless,** *a.* I. Unfeeling, cruel, pitiless, merciless, hard, harsh, brutal.
2. Spiritless, timid, timorous, uncourageous, destitute of spirit *or* courage.
3. Without a heart, robbed of one's heart, stripped of one's affections.
**Heart-quake,** *n.* Trembling of heart, alarm, terror, fear, affright.
**Heart-rending,** *a.* Heart-breaking, nguishing, deeply afflicting, most distressing, piteous, affecting, crushing.
**Heart-rising,** *n.* Opposition, resistance, rebellion, revolt.
**Heart-robbing,** *a.* I. Stealing the heart, winning, winsome, enamouring.
2. Crushing thought, transporting, rapturous, ravishing, enrapturing, enravishing, ecstatic, entrancing, that carries one beside one's self.
**Heart's-ease,** *n.* I. (*Bot.*) Pansy (*Viola tricolor*).
2. Ease of heart, peace of mind, tranquillity.
**Heart-shaped,** *a.* Cordate.

**Heart-stirring,** *a.* Inspiring, animating, rousing the courage, waking aspiration.
**Hearty,** *a.* 1. Earnest, warm, cordial, sincere, true, deep, profound, deep-felt, heartfelt, unfeigned.
2. Zealous, active, earnest, warm, vigorous, energetic, animated.
3. Healthy, hale, sound, strong, well, robust, in good health.
4. Abundant, full, heavy.
5. Nourishing, rich, nutritious, full of nutriment.
**Heat,** *n.* 1. Caloric.
2. Warmth.
3. Degree of temperature.
4. Excitement, flush, vehemence, impetuosity, violence, passion, fever.
5. Ardor, earnestness, fervor, zeal.
6. Contest, struggle, race.
**Heat,** *v. a.* 1. Make hot.
2. Excite, flush, make feverish.
3. Warm, animate, rouse, stir, stimulate.
**Heath,** *n.* 1. Heather, ling (*Calluna vulgaris*).
2. Field covered with heather, heathery field.
3. Shrubby field *or* plain.
**Heath-cock,** *n.* Black-grouse, black-game, black-cock (*Tetrao tetrix*).
**Heathen,** *n.* Gentile, pagan.
**Heathen,** *a.* See HEATHENISH.
**Heathenish,** *a.* 1. Heathen, pagan, Gentile.
2. Barbarous, savage, cruel, inhuman.
**Heathenism,** *n.* 1. Paganism, Gentilism.
2. Barbarism, savagery, cruelty, inhumanity, heathenishness.
**Heather,** *n.* Heath, ling (*Calluna vulgaris*).
**Heathery,** *a.* Heathy.
**Heath-game,** *n.* Grouse. See HEATH-COCK.
**Heathy,** *a.* Heathery.
**Heating,** *a.* 1. Calorific, heat-producing, warming.
2. Stimulating, exciting. See HEADY, 3.
**Heat-producing,** *a.* See HEATING, 1.
**Heave,** *v. a.* 1. Lift, hoist, raise, elevate, raise up.
2. Breathe, force from the breast, raise, exhale.
3. Throw, toss, hurl, send, fling.
**Heave,** *v. n.* 1. Pant.
2. Swell, dilate, expand.
3. Retch, keck, try to vomit.
4. Struggle, strive, make an effort.
**Heave,** *n.* 1. Swell, rising, swelling, heaving.
2. Retching, effort to vomit.
3. Struggle, striving, effort.
4. Fling, throw.
**Heave in sight.** (*Naut.*) Appear, come in sight, become visible, come into view, open to the view.
**Heaven,** *n.* 1. Firmament, sky, welkin, empyrean, celestial sphere, starry heaven, vault of heaven, canopy of heaven.
2. Paradise, Elysium, bliss, abodes of bliss, the Eternal Rest, our eternal home, our Father's house, Abraham's bosom, the Divine abode, God's dwelling-place, the house not built with hands, the New Jerusalem, the city of our God, the abode of saints, abode of the blessed.
3. God, Jehovah, the Lord. See GOD.
4. Exalted state, state of bliss, great felicity, supreme happiness, ecstasy, transport, rapture, transcendent delight, Paradise, Elysium.
**Heavenly,** *a.* 1. Celestial, of the firmament, of the visible heavens.
2. Divine, angelic, seraphic, cherubic, godlike, celestial, blest, saintly, sainted, holy, beatified, beatific, glorified.
3. Enrapturing, ravishing, rapturous, enravishing, ecstatic, transporting, delightful, celestial, divine, angelic, seraphic, blissful, glorious, golden, beatific.
**Heavenly-minded,** *a.* Devout, pious, religious, godly, reverent, spiritually-minded, sainted, saintly.
**Heaviness,** *n.* 1. Gravity, weight, ponderousness.
2. Oppressiveness, grievousness, severity.
3. Languor, dulness, stupidity, sluggishness.
4. Dejection, depression, sadness, melancholy, despondency, gloom, low spirits, depression of spirits.
**Heaving,** *n.* 1. Panting.
2. Swell, rising, swelling, heave.
**Heavy,** *a.* 1. Weighty (*with reference to one's strength*), ponderous, hard *or* difficult to lift.
2. Oppressive, grievous, severe, burdensome, cumbersome, afflictive.
3. Dull, sluggish, inert, inactive, dilatory, stupid, torpid, indolent, slow, lifeless, inanimate.
4. Dejected, depressed, sorrowful, sad, gloomy, melancholy, despondent, disconsolate, crushed, cast down, downcast, down-hearted, low-spirited, crestfallen, chapfallen, in low spirits.
5. Onerous, difficult, laborious, hard.
6. Tedious, tiresome, wearisome, weary.
7. Loaded, burdened, encumbered, weighed down.
8. Miry, muddy, cloggy, clayey.
9. Clammy (*as bread*), ill-raised, soggy.
10. Stormy, tempestuous, violent, severe, strong, energetic, boisterous.
11. Loud, deep, roaring.
12. Dense, dark, gloomy, lowering, cloudy.
13. Hard to digest, burdensome, oppressive.
14. Of great body, strong, heady (*said of liquors*).
15. Thick, heavy-bodied (*said of liquids*).
**Heavy-spar,** *n.* Sulphate of baryta (*native*).
**Hebdomadal,** *a.* 1. Weekly, occurring every week *or* seven days.
2. By sevens, in groups of seven.
**Hebetate,** *v. a.* Dull, blunt, stupefy, benumb, make torpid.
**Hebetate,** *a.* Dull, torpid, stupid, stupefied, obtuse, sluggish.
**Hebrew,** *n.* 1. Israelite, Jew.
2. Hebrew language.
**Hebrew,** *a.* Jewish, Israelitish.
**Hectic,** *a.* 1. Habitual (*as the fever attending consumption*), constitutional.
2. Feverish, hot, heated, fevered.
**Hector,** *n.* Bully, blusterer, swaggerer, noisy fellow.
**Hector,** *v. a.* 1. Bully, threaten, menace.
2. Vex, tease, annoy, fret, harry, harass, worry, irritate, provoke.
**Hector,** *v. n.* Bluster, swagger, play the bully.
**Heddle,** *n* Heald.
**Hedge,** *n.* Fence (*of bushes* or *shrubs*), hedge-fence.
**Hedge,** *v. a.* 1. Enclose with a hedge.
2. Obstruct, hinder, encumber, hem in, surround.
3. Fortify, guard, protect.
**Hedge,** *v. n.* Hide, skulk, disappear, take refuge in a hiding-place, evade, dodge, proceed stealthily.
**Hedge-born,** *a.* Obscure, of low birth, meanly born, base-born, peasant, rustic.
**Hedge-fence,** *n.* Hedge.
**Hedgehog,** *n.* *Erinaceus Europæus.*
**Hedge in.** Enclose, environ, surround, shut in, hem in.
**Hedge up.** Obstruct, bar, shut up.
**Hedonic,** *a.* Pertaining *or* relating to pleasure, pleasurable.
**Hedonism,** *n.* Eudæmonism, utilitarianism, theory

of pleasure *or* happiness as the supreme good, Epicureanism, Benthamism.

**Hedonist,** *n.* Utilitarian, moralist, eudæmonist, Epicurean, Benthamite.

**Heed,** *v. a.* Regard, mind, notice, mark, observe, attend to, give heed to, pay attention to, take notice of, hearken to, listen to, obey.

**Heed,** *n.* Regard, notice, care, attention, caution, heedfulness, watchfulness, wariness, vigilance, circumspection, observation.

**Heedful,** *a.* Observant, observing, mindful, regardful, watchful, cautious, careful, wary, circumspect, attentive, provident.

**Heedless,** *a.* Unobserving, unobservant, inattentive, careless, thoughtless, negligent, neglectful, unmindful, regardless, inconsiderate, unwatchful, reckless, precipitate, rash, headlong, headless.

**Heedlessness,** *n.* Carelessness, thoughtlessness, inattention, inadvertence, neglect, oversight, recklessness, rashness, precipitancy, negligence, inconsiderateness.

**Heel,** *n.* 1. Back of the foot *or* stocking *or* shoe.
2. Support of the shoe *or* boot.
3. Foot, bottom, lower end.
4. Fag end, remnant, remainder, leavings.

**Heel,** *v. a.* 1. Put a heel on, fit with a heel.
2. Arm with spurs, fit gaffs upon.
3. Perform with the heels, dance.

**Heel,** *v. n.* (*Naut.*) Incline, lean.

**Heft,** *n.* Handle, haft, helve.

**Hegemonic,** *a.* Ruling, controlling, chief, predominant, predominating, supreme, prevailing.

**Hegemony,** *n.* Leadership, headship, predominating influence, predominance, preponderance, rule.

**Hegira,** *n.* 1. Flight of Mahomet (*September* 13, 622).
2. Mahometan era (*July* 16, 622).
3. Exodus, departure, going out.

**Heifer,** *n.* Young cow.

**Height,** *n.* 1. Elevation, altitude. See TALLNESS.
2. Eminence, summit, apex, acme, culminating point.
3. Hill, mountain, high ground, high land, eminence.
4. Utmost degree.
5. Elevation, high point, lofty position, altitude.
6. Elevation, eminence, exaltation, dignity, grandeur, loftiness, lofty position *or* character.

**Heighten,** *v. a.* 1. Elevate, raise, make higher *or* more lofty.
2. Exalt, greaten, magnify, ennoble.
3. Increase, enhance, augment, improve.
4. Intensify, aggravate.

**Heinous,** *a.* Flagrant, flagitious, atrocious, infamous, villanous, nefarious, crying, very wicked, enormous, aggravated, excessive, monstrous.

**Heir,** *n.* 1. Inheritor, possessor by descent.
2. Offspring, child.

**Helamys,** *n.* Jumping-rat, jumping-hare (*Pedetes capensis*).

**Helical,** *a.* Spiral, winding, cochleary, cochleated, screw-shaped.

**Heliotrope,** *n.* 1. (*Bot.*) Turnsole.
2. (*Min.*) Bloodstone.

**Helix,** *n.* 1. Coil, circumvolution, spiral line.
2. Snail-shell.

**Hell,** *n.* 1. Gehenna, limbo, abyss, Tartarus, Hades, Avernus, Erebus, place of torment, bottomless pit, everlasting fire, infernal regions, shades below, realms of Pluto, the lower world, abode of the damned.
2. Infernal spirits, hosts of hell, hosts of evil, assembly of demons.
3. Misery, moral agony, unassuaged remorse, inward torment, stings of conscience, spiritual agony, sense of curse.

**Hellenic,** *a.* Grecian, Greek.

**Hellenism,** *n.* Grecism, Greek idiom.

**Hellish,** *a.* 1. Of hell.
2. Infernal, diabolical, fiendish, devilish, demoniacal, fiend-like, atrocious, detestable, abominable, execrable, nefarious, curst, accursed, damnable, damned, monstrous.

**Helm,** *n.* 1. Helmet, morion, head-piece, casque, armor for the head.
2. Steering apparatus, rudder, the wheel.
3. Direction, control, command, rule, reins, post of command.

**Helmet,** *n.* Helm, morion, casque, headpiece, armor for the head.

**Helminth,** *n.* Parasitical worm, intestinal worm.

**Helminthagogue,** *n.* Anthelmintic, vermifuge.

**Helmsman,** *n.* Steersman, man at the helm, man at the wheel.

**Helot,** *n.* 1. Spartan slave *or* serf.
2. Slave (*in general*), bondsman, serf, bondslave.

**Helotism,** *n.* Slavery, servitude, serfdom, bondage.

**Helotry,** *n.* Slaves, bond-slaves, bondsmen, (*taken collectively*).

**Help,** *v. a.* 1. Relieve, succor, save.
2. Assist, serve, support, aid, second, back, abet, co-operate with, take part with.
3. Remedy, cure, heal, restore, better, improve, alleviate, ameliorate.
4. Prevent, hinder, withstand, resist, repress, control.
5. Avoid, forbear, refrain from.

**Help,** *v. n.* Lend aid, contribute assistance, give a lift.

**Help,** *n.* 1. Assistance, aid, succor, support.
2. Remedy, relief.
3. Helper, assistant.

**Helper,** *n.* Assistant, ally, auxiliary, coadjutor, aider, abettor, colleague, partner, helpmate, help-fellow.

**Helpful,** *a.* 1. Useful, beneficial, convenient, advantageous, profitable.
2. Wholesome, salutary.
3. Ready to help, kind, benevolent, full of help, inclined to aid others.

**Helpless,** *a.* 1. Weak, feeble, powerless, impotent, imbecile, disabled, infirm.
2. Exposed, defenceless, unprotected.
3. Irremediable, beyond help, remediless, irreparable, irretrievable, desperate.

**Helpmate,** } *n.* 1. Wife, consort, partner, com-
**Helpmeet,** } panion.
2. Partner, helper, associate, aider, help-fellow, companion, assistant.

**Help on.** Forward, further, promote, advance.

**Help to.** 1. Help to get *or* obtain.
2. Supply with, furnish with.

**Helter-skelter,** *ad.* Pell-mell, irregularly, disorderly, in disorder, in confusion, precipitately, with precipitancy, at a rush, headlong, hurry-skurry, pell-mell, head-foremost, heels over head.

**Helve,** *n.* Handle (*of an ax* or *a hatchet*), haft, heft.

**Helvetic,** *a.* Swiss.

**Hem,** *n.* Border, edge, margin.

**Hem,** *v. a.* Border, edge, skirt.

**Hematite,** *n.* Bloodstone.

**Hemeralopia,** *n.* (*Med.*) 1. Day-blindness, night-sight, nyctalopia.
2. Night-blindness, day-sight, nyctalopia.

**Hem in.** Enclose, confine, environ, surround, beset, shut in, hedge in.

**Hemisphere,** *n.* Half-globe, half-sphere.

**Hemispheric,** } *a.* Half-round, half-spherical.
**Hemispherical,** }
**Hemistich,** *n.* Half a verse, half a line.
**Hemorrhoids,** *n. pl.* (*Med.*) Piles.
**Hen,** *n.* 1. Female bird.
2. Female of the domestic fowl.
**Henbane,** *n.* Hyoscyamus, stinking nightshade.
**Hence,** *ad.* 1. From this place, from here.
2. From this time, henceforth, henceforward, from this time forth *or* forward.
3. Therefore, from this cause, for that reason, as a consequence.
4. From this source.
**Henceforth,** *ad.* Henceforward, from this time forward, hence.
**Henceforward,** *ad.* See HENCEFORTH.
**Henchman,** *n.* Retainer, follower, supporter, servant, attendant.
**Hen-hearted,** *a.* Timid, cowardly, timorous, heartless, fearful, dastardly, recreant.
**Hen-huzzy,** *n.* Cotquean, meddler in women's work.
**Hepatize,** *v. a.* Convert into liver-like substance, gorge with effused matter, solidify.
**Hep-tree,** *n.* [Written also *Hip-tree.*] Dog-rose, wild-brier, hep-brier, hep-bramble (*Rosa canina*).
**Herald,** *a.* 1. Proclaimer, publisher, crier.
2. Forerunner, precursor, harbinger.
**Herald,** *v. a.* Proclaim, announce, publish.
**Heraldry,** *n.* Blazonry, emblazonry, the heraldic art, the herald's art.
**Herbaceous,** *a.* See HERBAL.
**Herbage,** *n.* Herbs, grass, pasture, vegetation of the fields, herbal vegetation.
**Herbal,** *a.* Pertaining *or* relating to herbs, herbaceous.
**Herbal,** *n.* Herbarium, herbary, hortus siccus.
**Herbalist,** }
**Herbarian,** }
**Herbarist,** } *n.* 1. Expert in herbs *or* plants, collector of herbs, plant-collector.
**Herbist,** }
**Herborist,** }
2. Dealer in medicinal plants.
**Herbarium,** } *n.* Herbal, hortus siccus.
**Herbary,** }
**Herb-paris,** *n.* Truelove, oneberry (*Paris quadrifolia*).
**Herb-robert,** *n.* Stinking crane's bill (*Geranium robertianum*).
**Herculean,** *a.* 1. Strong, mighty, powerful, puissant, vigorous, sturdy, athletic, brawny, muscular, sinewy, stalwart, able-bodied.
2. Difficult, hard, perilous, dangerous, toilsome, troublesome, laborious.
3. Large, great, gigantic, strapping, huge, colossal, Cyclopean.
**Herd,** *n.* 1. Drove (*of the larger animals*).
2. Crowd, rabble, multitude, populace, vulgar herd (*ignobile vulgus*).
**Herd,** *v. n.* Associate (*as beasts*), keep company.
**Herd's-grass,** *n.* 1. [*New England.*] Cat's-tail, timothy-grass (*Phleum pratense*).
2. [*Pennsylvania.*] Red-top (*Agrostis vulgaris*).
**Here,** *ad.* 1. In this place.
2. In the present state, in the present life.
3. Hither, to this place.
**Hereafter,** *ad.* 1. In time to come, in some future time.
2. In a future state.
**Hereafter,** *n.* Future state, world *or* life beyond the grave.
**Hereby,** *ad.* By this.
**Hereditable,** *a.* Inheritable.
**Hereditament,** *n.* Inheritable property.
**Hereditary,** *a.* 1. Ancestral, patrimonial, by inheritance.
2. Inherited, transmitted (*from ancestors*).
**Herein,** *ad.* 1. In this, inside of this.
2. In this, in this respect *or* regard.
3. In here, inside this place.
**Heresiarch,** *n.* Chief heretic, leader in heresy.
**Heresy,** *n.* Heterodoxy, error, unsound doctrine.
**Heretic,** *n.* Sectary, schismatic, separatist.
**Heretical,** *a.* Heterodox, schismatic, schismatical, sectarian.
**Heretofore,** *ad.* Formerly, before the present time.
**Hereupon,** *ad.* Upon this, on this.
**Herewith,** *ad.* With this.
**Heritage,** *n.* Inheritance, portion, patrimony, estate.
**Hermaphrodite,** *n.* Androgyne, double-sexed being.
**Hermaphrodite,** }
**Hermaphroditic,** } *a.* 1. Androgynous, partaking of both sexes.
**Hermaphroditical,** }
2. Hybrid, mongrel.
**Hermeneutic,** } *a.* Exegetical.
**Hermeneutical,** }
**Hermeneutics,** *n.* Exegesis, science of interpretation.
**Hermetic,** } *a.* 1. Air-tight, impervious to air.
**Hermetical,** }
2. Secret, mysterious, mystic, mystical, occult, symbolical, emblematic, cabalistic, containing doctrines clothed *or* concealed in symbols.
**Hermit,** *n.* Anchorite, anchoret, recluse, solitary, solitaire, eremite (*poetical*).
**Hernia,** *n.* Rupture.
**Hernshaw,** *n.* Heron, heronshaw.
**Hero,** *n.* 1. Brave man.
2. Principal character.
3. Illustrious personage, great man.
4. (*Mythol.*) Demigod, man of superhuman achievements.
**Heroic,** *a.* 1. Brave, valiant, courageous, intrepid, bold, daring, gallant, fearless, dauntless, noble, magnanimous.
2. Epic.
3. Violent, extreme, desperate, extravagant.
**Heroine,** *n.* 1. Intrepid woman, supremely courageous woman.
2. Principal female character.
**Heroism,** *n.* Bravery, valor, courage, gallantry, prowess, daring, intrepidity, fearlessness, fortitude, boldness, endurance, great-heartedness.
**Heron,** *n.* Hernshaw, heronshaw.
**Heronshaw,** *n.* Heron, hernshaw.
**Herschel,** *n.* (*Astron.*) Uranus, Georgium Sidus.
**Hesitancy,** *n.* 1. Hesitation, indecision, halting, reluctance, holding back.
2. Indecision, doubt, uncertainty, suspense, vacillation.
**Hesitate,** *v. n.* 1. Pause, delay, demur, doubt, waver, vacillate, be undetermined, stop to consider, be in doubt, be in suspense, be doubtful.
2. Falter, stammer, have an impediment in speech.
**Hesitation,** *n.* 1. See HESITANCY.
2. Faltering, stammering, difficulty of utterance.
**Hesper,** *n.* Hesperus, evening star, Venus.
**Hesperian,** *a.* (*Poetical.*) Western, occidental.
**Hesperus,** *n.* Hesper, Venus, evening star.
**Hessian-fly,** *n.* Wheat-fly (*Cecidomyia destructor*).
**Heteroclite,** *a.* Irregular, anomalous, abnormal.
**Heterodox,** *a.* Heretical, unorthodox, contrary to the accepted standards.
**Heterodoxy,** *n.* Heresy, error, unsound doctrine.
**Heterogeneity,** *n.* See HETEROGENEOUSNESS.

**Heterogeneous,** *a.* Unlike, dissimilar, different, opposed, contrary, contrasted.
**Heterogeneousness,** *n.* Heterogeneity, dissimilarity, dissimilitude, unlikeness, difference, opposition, contrast, contrariety.
**Heteropathic,** *a.* Allopathic.
**Heteropathy,** *n.* Allopathy.
**Hew,** *v. a.* 1. Cut, chop, hack.
2. Smooth (*with an axe*), fashion, form.
**Hew down.** Fell, cut down.
**Hexahedral,** *a.* Cubic, six-sided.
**Hexahedron,** *n.* Cube, six-sided figure.
**Heyday,** *n.* Frolic, play, exultation.
**Hiatus,** *n.* Opening, gap, break, interval, chasm, rift, lacuna.
**Hibernate,** *v. n.* 1. Winter, pass the winter.
2. Lie torpid in winter.
**Hibernian,** *a.* Irish.
**Hibernian,** *n.* Irishman.
**Hibernicism,** } *n.* Irishism, Irish idiom.
**Hibernianism,** }
**Hidden,** *a.* 1. Concealed, secret, latent, occult, clandestine, close.
2. Abstruse, recondite, mysterious, mystic, mystical, dark, obscure, cabalistic, occult, hermetic.
**Hide,** *v. a.* 1. Secrete, conceal, cover, bury, keep out of sight, suppress, withhold.
2. Shelter, cloak, screen, veil, mask, disguise.
**Hide,** *v. n.* Lie hid, lie concealed, be concealed, conceal one's self, lie in ambush, keep one's self out of sight, be withdrawn from view.
**Hide,** *n.* Skin (*of the larger animals*).
**Hideous,** *a.* Frightful, dreadful, appalling, terrible, horrible, horrid, ghastly, grisly, grim, shocking.
**Hie,** *v. n.* (*Poetical and often with the reciprocal pronoun.*) Hasten, go in haste.
**Hierarchy,** *n.* 1. Ecclesiastical government, ecclesiastical establishment.
2. Body of ecclesiastical dignitaries.
3. Scale of succession in ecclesiastical rank, system of sacred gradation.
4. System of gradation (*generally*), order *or* succession of dignities.
**Hieratic,** } *a.* Sacerdotal, priestly, sacred, con-
**Hieratical,** } secrated, devoted to sacred uses.
**Hieroglyph,** *n.* Symbol, sign, pictorial word symbol *or* sound symbol.
**Hieroglyphic,** } *a.* Emblematical, symbolical.
**Hieroglyphical,** }
**Hierolatry,** *n.* Worship of saints and relics.
**Hieromancy,** *n.* Hieroscopy, divination by sacrifices.
**Hierophant,** *n.* Priest, expounder of religious mysteries.
**Higgle,** *v. n.* 1. Peddle, hawk.
2. Haggle, bargain, negotiate, chaffer.
**Higgledy-piggledy,** *ad.* (*Colloq.*) Confusedly, disorderly, pell-mell, in disorder, helter-skelter, topsy-turvy, at sixes and sevens.
**Higgler,** *n.* 1. Pedler, travelling trader.
2. Chafferer.
**High,** *a.* 1. Lofty, elevated, tall, high-reaching, heaven-kissing, of great altitude.
2. Eminent, prominent, pre-eminent, distinguished, superior.
3. Elevated, exalted, noble, dignified, lofty, great, admirable.
4. Abstruse, recondite, occult, obscure, dark, transcendental, profound.
5. Proud, haughty, arrogant, supercilious, lordly, lofty.
6. Boastful, ostentatious, bragging, vainglorious.
7. Oppressive, domineering, overbearing, tyrannical, despotic.
8. Violent, strong, boisterous, turbulent, tumultuous.
9. Great, strong, extreme.
10. Complete, full.
11. Dear, of great price.
12. Acute, sharp, shrill, high-toned, high-pitched.
13. Remote from the equator, northerly, southerly.
14. Remote (*in time*), early, primeval.
15. Capital, extreme, done against the State.
16. Strong-flavored, verging on taint.
**High,** *ad.* 1. Aloft, on high, to a great height.
2. Profoundly, powerfully.
3. Eminently, loftily.
4. Richly, luxuriously.
**Highest good.** Supreme good, greatest good (*summum bonum*).
**High-fed,** *a.* Pampered, lapped in luxury, fed on luxuries.
**High-flavored,** *a.* Pungent, piquant, high-seasoned.
**High-flown,** *a.* 1. Elevated, presumptuous, swollen, proud, lofty.
2. Extravagant, lofty, high-colored, overdrawn, overstrained.
3. Turgid, swollen, bombastic, pretentious, pompous, strained.
**High-handed,** *a.* Overbearing, oppressive, arbitrary, violent, despotic, wilful, self-willed.
**Highland,** *n.* Mountainous region.
**Highlander,** *n.* Mountaineer.
**Highly,** *ad.* Extremely, exceedingly, very much, in a great degree, in a high degree. See HIGH, in its various senses.
**High-mettled,** *a.* 1. Fiery, spirited.
2. Ardent, high-spirited, proud, quick, fiery, intense, excitable. See HIGH-STRUNG, 2.
**High-minded,** *a.* 1. Proud, arrogant, haughty, lofty.
2. Noble, honorable, elevated, lofty, great-minded, magnanimous, high-toned, firm in principle.
**High-priced,** *a.* Costly, dear, high.
**High-priest,** *n.* Chief priest.
**High-reaching,** *a.* 1. Reaching upward, lofty, towering, heaven-kissing.
2. Ambitious, aspiring.
**High-road,** *n.* Highway, public road.
**High-school,** *n.* School (*of the first class for secondary education*), academy, seminary, (*in Germany*) gymnasium.
**High-seasoned,** *a.* Pungent, piquant, high-flavored, highly spiced.
**High-spirited,** *a.* 1. Spirited, bold, daring. See HIGH-METTLED.
2. Proud, high-strung.
**High-strung,** *a.* 1. Of great tension, excitable, strung to a high pitch, in a state of high tension.
2. Proud, high-spirited, sensitive, quick to honor.
3. Obstinate, persistent, intractable.
**High time.** Quite time.
**High-toned,** *a.* 1. Acute, sharp, shrill, high.
2. Noble, honorable. See HIGH-MINDED, 2.
**High-water-mark,** *n.* Flood-mark.
**Highway,** *n.* High-road, public road.
**Highwayman,** *n.* Robber, footpad, bandit, brigand, freebooter, marauder, outlaw, highway robber.
**High wine.** 1. Brandy.
2. Pure alcohol.
**High words.** Strife, contention, quarrel, angry dispute, bickering, war of words.
**High-wrought,** *a.* 1. Impetuous, vehement, intense, swelling high, rising high.
2. Enthusiastic, impassioned.

3. Highly finished, finely elaborated, delicately and intricately wrought.

**Hilarious,** *a.* Gay, jovial, jolly, joyful, merry, mirthful, in high spirits, exhilarated.

**Hilarity,** *n.* Gayety, mirth, merriment, jollity, joviality, joyousness, exhilaration, cheerfulness, glee, high spirits.

**Hill,** *n.* Eminence (*less than a mountain*), mount, rising ground, elevation.

**Hillock,** *n.* Knoll, mound, small hill, slight elevation.

**Hilt,** *n.* Handle (*of a sword*).

**Hind,** *a.* Back, hinder, posterior, rear.

**Hind,** *n.* 1. Female deer (*of the stag* or *red deer*).

2. Peasant, swain, boor, lout, rustic, clod-poll, bumpkin, clown, ploughman, bog-trotter, clod-hopper, countryman.

**Hinder,** *a.* Hind, back, posterior, rear.

**Hinder,** *v. a.* Prevent (*temporarily*), impede, obstruct, stop, interrupt, retard, check, thwart, oppose, embarrass, encumber.

**Hinderance,** *n.* [Written also *Hindrance.*] Impediment, obstacle, stop, obstruction, interruption, check, restraint, encumbrance.

**Hindmost,** *a.* Last.

**Hinge,** *v. n.* Turn, depend, hang, be dependent.

**Hinny,** *n.* Mule.

**Hinny,** *v. n.* Neigh, whinny.

**Hint,** *v. a.* Suggest, intimate, insinuate, allude to, refer to, hint at, glance at, just mention, give an inkling of.

**Hint,** *n.* Intimation, suggestion, insinuation, allusion, slight mention.

**Hint at.** Suggest. See HINT.

**Hip,** *n.* Haunch.

**Hipped,** } *a.* (*Colloq.*) Melancholy, hypochon-
**Hippish,** } driacal, blue, dejected, depressed, low-spirited, in low spirits.

**Hippopotamus,** *n.* River-horse.

**Hip-tree,** *n.* [Written also *Hep-tree.*] Dog-rose, wild-brier, hep-brier, hep-bramble (*Rosa canina*).

**Hire,** *v. a.* 1. Rent, secure (temporarily) for pay.

2. Employ, take into service, take into one's employ.

3. Bribe, buy up, obtain one's services by corruption.

4. [Usually with *out.*] Let, lease.

**Hire,** *n.* Wages, stipend, allowance, salary, pay, remuneration.

**Hireline,** *n.* 1. Mercenary, hired soldier.

2. Hired servant.

**Hireling,** *a.* Mercenary, venal.

**Hirling,** *n.* Salmon-trout, sea-trout (*Salmo trutta*).

**Hirsute,** *a.* 1. Hairy, shaggy, bristled, bristly.

2. Coarse, rough, rude, uncouth, boorish, unmannerly, rustic, ill-bred, loutish.

**Hispid,** *a.* Bristly, rough, shaggy.

**Hiss,** *n.* Sibilation, hissing.

**Hiss,** *v. n.* 1. Sibilate.

2. Whiz, shrill, whistle, whir.

**Hiss,** *v. a.* Condemn by hisses, scout, ridicule, damn.

**Hissing,** *n.* 1. Hiss.

2. Object of derision, scorn, *or* contempt.

**Historian,** *n.* Chronicler, annalist, writer of history.

**History,** *n.* Account, narration, narrative, relation, record, recital, story, chronicle, annals.

**Histrionic,** } *a.* 1. Theatric, theatrical.
**Histrionical,** } 2. Acting, actor's.

**Hit,** *v. a.* 1. Strike, strike against.

2. Attain, reach, gain, win, secure.

3. Suit, fit, accord with, be conformable to, be suitable to.

**Hit,** *v. n.* 1. Clash, collide, come in contact, strike together.

2. Succeed, be successful, be crowned with success, come off successful, carry the point, gain the point.

**Hit,** *n.* 1. Stroke, blow, collision.

2. Chance, venture, fortune, hazard.

3. Happy remark, apt expression.

4. Lucky venture, good stroke, happy stroke.

**Hitch,** *v. n.* 1. Catch, get stopped, stick, get impeded.

2. Go by jerks.

**Hitch,** *v. a.* Fasten, tie, attach, connect, unite.

**Hitch,** *n.* 1. Catch, impediment, obstacle, hindrance, check.

2. Jerk, jerking motion.

3. (*Naut.*) Knot, noose.

**Hither,** *ad.* To this place, here.

**Hither,** *a.* Nearest.

**Hitherto,** *ad.* Yet, till now, to this time, up to this time, until this time, thus far.

**Hitherward,** *ad.* This way, toward this place.

**Hit off.** Imitate, personate, mimic, take off.

**Hit upon.** Find, discover, find out, fall upon, light upon, chance upon.

**Hive,** *n.* 1. Habitation of bees, bee-hive, apiary.

2. Swarm of bees, swarm

**Hive,** *v. a.* 1. Put into a hive.

2. Store, collect, gather. See HOARD.

**Hives,** *n. pl.* (*Med.*) Croup, rattles.

**Hoar,** *a.* Hoary, white, gray.

**Hoard,** *v. a.* Store (*secretly*), deposit, save, garner, husband, hive, accumulate, amass, treasure up, lay in, lay by, set by, lay up, lay away, hide away.

**Hoar-frost,** *n.* White frost, frozen dew.

**Hoarse,** *a.* 1. Husky, raucous

2. Rough, grating, harsh, low, guttural.

**Hoarseness,** *n.* 1. Huskiness, raucity.

2. Roughness, harshness, grating character.

**Hoary,** *a.* Hoar, white, gray.

**Hoax,** *n.* Deception (*for sport*), cheat, fraud, imposition, imposture, canard, practical joke.

**Hoax,** *v. a.* Deceive (*jocosely*), cheat, impose upon.

**Hobble,** *v. n.* Limp, halt, hop, walk lamely.

**Hobble,** *v. a.* Fetter, hopple.

**Hobble,** *n.* 1. Limp, halt.

2. Perplexity, embarrassment, difficulty, strait, pickle.

**Hobbly,** *a.* Rough (*said of a road*), uneven.

**Hobby,** *n.* 1. Nag, pacing horse, garran.

2. Hobby-horse, wooden horse.

3. Favorite object, favorite pursuit, pet topic.

**Hobby-horse,** *n.* See HOBBY, 1 and 2.

**Hobgoblin,** *n.* Goblin, spectre, sprite, frightful apparition, evil spirit.

**Hobnail,** *n.* 1. Heavy nail, large-headed nail.

2. Clown, lout, bumpkin, churl, clod-hopper.

**Hobnob,** *ad.* At random, take or not.

**Hobnob,** *v. n.* Play pot companion, clink glasses, be jolly companions.

**Hobson's choice.** That or nothing, no alternative.

**Hocus,** *v. a.* 1. Cheat, impose upon, chouse.

2. Drug one's drink.

**Hocus-pocus,** *n.* 1. Juggler, trickster, imposter, cheater, swindler, sharper.

2. Cheat, juggle, trick, deception, imposition, imposture, delusion, deceit, artifice, circumvention, chouse, piece of *finesse.*

**Hodge-podge,** *n.* Medley, farrago, jumble, mixture, miscellany, salmagundi, hotch-potch, gallimaufry, olio, olla-podrida.

**Hoe-cake,** *n.* [*U. S.*] Johnny-cake.

**Hog,** *n.* Swine, porker, grunter.

**Hoggish,** *a.* 1. Swinish, brutish, filthy.

2. Greedy, grasping, selfish, mean, sordid.

**Hog-nut,** *n.* Pig-nut, broom-hickory (*Juglans glabra*).
**Hog-sty,** *n.* Hog-pen, pig-sty, pig-pen.
**Holden,** *a.* [Written also *Hoyden.*] Rustic, rude, inelegant, uncouth, ungenteel, unlicked, hoidenish, rough, rude, ill-taught, ill-behaved, ill-mannered.
**Holden,** *n.* Romp, tomboy, rude bold girl.
**Holdenish,** *a.* See HOIDEN, *a.*
**Hoist,** *v. a.* Raise, lift, elevate, heave, raise up.
**Hoist,** *n.* Lift, heave.
**Hold,** *v. a.* 1. Grasp, clutch, clinch, gripe *or* grip.
2. Possess, retain, have, occupy, keep possession of.
3. Restrain, confine, detain, imprison, shut in, shut up, hem in.
4. Bind, fasten, unite, connect.
5. Stop, stay, arrest, suspend, withhold, keep in check.
6. Maintain, support, continue, sustain, prosecute, keep up, carry on.
7. Embrace, entertain, cherish, take as true.
8. Think, regard, consider, believe, judge, esteem, count, account, reckon, deem.
9. Contain, admit, take in, have a capacity for.
10. Celebrate, solemnize.
11. Assemble, convene, call together.
**Hold,** *v. n.* 1. Be firm, be fast, continue unbroken, not break, not give way.
2. Continue, remain, persist, last, endure.
3. Adhere, cohere, cling, stick, cleave, remain attached.
4. Be derived, derive title.
5. Think, believe, be of opinion.
6. Stand, be true, prove good, hold true.
**Hold,** *n.* 1. Grasp, gripe *or* grip.
2. Support, stay, prop.
3. Footing, vantage-ground.
4. Fort, castle, fortress, fortification, stronghold, fortified place.
**Holdback,** *n.* Hindrance, restraint, check, obstacle.
**Holder,** *n.* Owner, possessor, proprietor.
**Holdfast,** *n.* Catch, hook, fastening.
**Hold forth.** 1. (*Active.*) Offer, propose, exhibit, hold out.
2. (*Neuter.*) Harangue, preach, speak in public.
**Hold good.** Stand, be valid, be true, be applicable, hold.
**Hold in.** 1. (*Active.*) Check, restrain, repress, rein in.
2. (*Neuter.*) Restrain one's self.
**Hold on.** 1. (*Active.*) Continue, maintain, keep up, push forward.
2. (*Neuter.*) Cling, stick, hold fast, keep hold of.
3. (*Neuter.*) Continue, remain, endure, last.
4. Persevere, persist, be steady, be steadfast, be constant, go on, keep on, keep one's course, keep *or* maintain one's ground, stick to it, not give it up, stand fast, stand firm.
**Hold one's own.** Maintain one's position, not lose ground, not fall behind.
**Hold one's tongue.** } Be still, keep still, keep
**Hold one's peace.** } silence.
**Hold out.** 1. (*Active.*) Offer, propose, hold forth.
2. (*Neuter.*) Last, endure, continue.
3. (*Neuter.*) Not yield, not be subdued, persist, stand firm, keep one's ground, maintain one's purpose.
**Hold together.** 1. Remain united, keep together.
2. Be consistent, hang together.
**Hold up.** 1. Clear up, cease raining.
2. Keep up, bear up, endure, support one's self, keep one's courage.
**Hole,** *n.* 1. Perforation, aperture, opening.
2. Cavity, cave, cavern, hollow, concavity, excavation, pit.
3. Lair, den, cover, retreat (*of an animal*).
4. Hovel, kennel, den, mean habitation.
**Holiday,** *n.* 1. Festival, anniversary, celebration, fête-day, *fête.*
2. Day of amusement.
**Holiness,** *n.* 1. Sanctity, piety, purity, devotion, devoutness, godliness, religiousness, saintliness, heavenly-mindedness.
2. Divineness, sacredness, sanctity.
**Holla,** *n.* Shout, halloo, loud cry.
**Hollow,** *a.* 1. Vacant, empty, void, cavernous.
2. Insincere, treacherous, false, faithless, hypocritical, pharisaical, deceitful, false-hearted, hollow-hearted.
3. Deep, low, rumbling.
**Hollow,** *n.* 1. Depression, low spot, low place.
2. Cavity, concavity, depression, excavation, pit, hole, cave, cavern, dent, dint, dimple.
3. Groove, channel, canal.
**Hollow,** *v. a.* Excavate, scoop, dig out.
**Hollow,** *ad.* (*Colloq.*) Wholly, completely, utterly, out and out, entirely, thoroughly.
**Hollow-hearted,** *a.* Insincere, false, false-hearted. See HOLLOW, 2.
**Holocaust,** *n.* 1. Burnt-offering (*wholly consumed*).
2. Vast slaughter, immolation, wholesale destruction.
**Holy,** *a.* 1. Sacred, consecrated, hallowed, blessed, devoted, set apart.
2. Righteous, saintly, devout, spiritual, saint-like, religious, godly, pious, pure, heavenly-minded, profoundly good.
**Holy Ghost.** Paraclete, Comforter, Holy Spirit, the Spirit, the Spirit of God, the Sanctifier, Spirit of Truth, third Person in the Trinity.
**Holy Spirit.** See HOLY GHOST.
**Holy thistle.** Blessed thistle (*Centaurea benedicta*).
**Holy week.** Passion week, week before Easter.
**Holy Writ.** Bible, Scriptures, Sacred Scriptures, Holy Scriptures, Old and New Testaments.
**Homage,** *n.* 1. Fealty, allegiance, loyalty, fidelity, devotion.
2. Reverence, obeisance, respect, deference, duty, service, honor.
3. Worship, adoration, devotion.
**Home,** *n.* 1. Domicile, dwelling, residence, abode, place of abode, abiding-place.
2. Fireside, hearth, hearthstone, household, family, family circle, domestic circle.
**Home,** *ad.* 1. To one's home.
2. Close, closely, pointedly.
**Home,** *a.* 1. Domestic, home-born *or* home-made.
2. Internal, within the country, interior, inland.
3. Close, pointed, direct, severe, poignant, penetrating, home-reaching, that goes to the core, that is felt.
**Home-born,** *a.* 1. Native, natural, home-bred.
2. Domestic, home, not foreign, of one's own country.
**Home-bred,** *a.* 1. Native, natural, home-born.
2. Domestic, not foreign.
3. Unpolished, uncultivated, unrefined, uncouth, rude, plain, homely.
**Home-felt,** *a.* Inward, private, heart-felt, deep, profound, deep-felt.
**Homelike,** *a.* Domestic.
**Homeliness,** *n.* Plainness, uncomeliness.
**Homely,** *a.* 1. Domestic, homelike.
2. Plain, coarse, uncomely, homespun, inelegant.

3. Plain, plain-looking, of plain features, uncomely, rather ugly.

**Home-made,** *a.* Homespun, of domestic manufacture.

**Homesickness,** *n.* 1. Longing for home, pining for friends and kindred.

2. (*Med.*) Nostalgia, sickness from loss of home and kindred.

**Homespun,** *a.* 1. Home-made, of domestic manufacture.

2. Plain, coarse, homely, rude, inelegant, unpolished.

**Homeward,** } *ad.* Toward home.
**Homewards,** }

**Homicide,** *n.* 1. Killing of a human being.

2. Manslayer.

**Homiletic,** } *a.* 1. Of homilies *or* sermons,
**Homiletical,** } relating to sermons.

2. Hortatory, persuasive.

**Homiletics,** *n* Art of preaching *or* sermonizing, art of making homilies.

**Homily,** *n.* Sermon, discourse.

**Homogeneous,** *a.* Uniform, of uniform structure, of one kind throughout, of the same nature throughout, all alike.

**Homoiousian,** *a.* Of a similar nature, of like essence *or* substance.

**Homoiousian,** *n.* Believer in the like substance of the Father and the Son.

**Homologous,** *a.* 1. Of the same ratio, of the same proportion, in the same relation, similar, corresponding.

2. Of the same type, corresponding in structure.

**Homoousian,** *a.* Of the same nature, of identical essence *or* substance.

**Homoousian,** *n.* Believer in the identity of the substance of the Father and the Son.

**Homophonous,** *a.* Unisonous, of the same sound, of like pitch.

**Hone,** *n.* Oilstone, fine whetstone.

**Hone,** *v. a.* Whet, sharpen on a hone, put a fine edge upon.

**Honest,** *a.* 1. Honorable, fair, straightforward, equitable, open, free from fraud, faithful to contract, according to agreement, just as represented.

2. Upright, virtuous, conscientious, just, true, fair, faithful, reliable, trusty, trustworthy, observant of obligations, that stands by one's word, as good as one's word.

3. Genuine, free from shams, thorough, faithful.

4. Decent, honorable, reputable, respectable, creditable, suitable, proper.

5. Decent, chaste, virtuous, faithful.

6. Sincere, candid, frank, unreserved, ingenuous.

**Honesty,** *n.* 1. Integrity, probity, uprightness, fairness, justice, equity, trustiness, fidelity, faithfulness, honor, freedom from fraud.

2. Truthfulness, truth, veracity, observance of one's word.

3. Genuineness, thoroughness, faithfulness.

4. Honor, chastity, virtue, fidelity.

5. Sincerity, candor, frankness, ingenuousness, truth, truthfulness, openness, unreserve, plain dealing.

**Honey-combed,** *a.* 1. Alveolate, cellular.

2. Perforated in every direction, eaten through in every part.

**Honeyed,** *a.* Sweet.

**Honeysuckle,** *n.* Woodbine.

**Honor,** *n.* 1. Veneration, reverence, respect, homage, deference, civility.

2. Dignity, distinction, elevation, high rank, distinguished position.

3. Dignity of mien, noble bearing, majesty, majestic appearance, exalted looks.

4. Reputation, repute, fame, consideration, esteem, credit, glory, good name.

5. Integrity, probity, honesty, magnanimity, high-mindedness, nobleness of mind, manly virtue.

6. Virtue, chastity, purity, womanly honor.

7. Nice sense of right *or* justice, high feeling of obligation, sense of honor.

8. Ornament, boast, glory, pride, credit.

**Honor,** *v. a.* 1. Dignify, exalt, glorify, raise to distinction.

2. Reverence, revere, venerate, respect, pay respect to, pay deference to, render honor to.

3. Reverence, adore, revere, worship, hallow the name of, do the will of.

4. Commemorate, celebrate, observe, keep.

5. (*Com.*) Accept and pay (*a draft*).

**Honorable,** *a.* 1. Illustrious, noble, great, of high rank.

2. Upright, just, honest, fair, trustworthy, trusty, true, conscientious, virtuous, magnanimous, high-minded, as good as one's word.

3. Reputable, creditable, estimable, right, proper, equitable.

**Honors,** *n. pl.* 1. Dignities, titles, privileges.

2. Adornments, decorations, beauties, glories.

3. Civilities, formal acts of respect, tokens of respect.

4. Academic distinctions, scholarly rank.

**Hood,** *n.* 1. Cowl, head cover, padded bonnet.

2. Cover, protection, shelter.

3. Cover, concealment, cloak, blind.

**Hood,** *v. a.* 1. Cover with a hood, put a hood on.

2. Cover (*in any way*), shelter, protect.

3. Hide, cover, conceal, shade, blind.

**Hooded,** *a.* 1. Covered with a hood.

2. (*Bot.*) Cucullate, cucullated, hood-shaped.

**Hooded snake.** Cobra, cobra-de-capello.

**Hoodman-blind,** *n.* Blindman's buff, blind-man-buff.

**Hoodwink,** *v. a.* 1. Blind, blindfold.

2. Cover, hide, conceal, cloak.

3. Deceive, cheat, delude, dupe, gull, cozen, fool, befool, trick, circumvent, overreach, chouse, impose upon, make a fool of, play a trick upon, pull wool over one's eyes.

**Hook,** *n.* 1. Catch, clasp, hasp, bent holder, curved catch.

2. Snare, trap.

3. Sickle, reaping-hook, reaper, cutter, grass-hook.

**Hook,** *v. a.* 1. Catch *or* fasten with a hook, take with a hook.

2. Catch, snare, ensnare, entrap.

3. Bend, curve, make into a hook, make hook-shaped.

4. Fit *or* furnish with hooks, apply hooks to.

**Hooked,** *a.* Bent, curved, curvated, hamate.

**Hook-nose,** *n.* Aquiline nose, hooked nose.

**Hoop,** *n.* 1. Ring, circlet, band.

2. Farthingale, crinoline, hoop-skirt, hoop-petticoat.

**Hoop,** *v. a.* 1. Bind, fasten with hoops, put hoops upon *or* around.

2. Clasp, enclose, encircle, surround.

**Hooper,** *n.* Wild swan (*Cygnus ferus*).

**Hooping-cough,** *n.* [Written also *Whooping-cough.*] Chin-cough, pertussis.

**Hoop-skirt,** *n.* Hoop, farthingale, crinoline, hoop-petticoat.

**Hoot,** *v. n.* 1. Shout *or* cry out *or* yell in contempt.

2. Cry like an owl.

**Hoot,** *v. a.* Execrate, denounce, hiss, cry down, cry out against, hoot at.

**Hoot,** *n.* Shout *or* cry *or* outcry *or* yell of contempt.

**Hoot at.** Cry out against. See HOOT, *v. a.*
**Hop,** *v. n.* 1. Spring *or* leap on one leg *or* foot.
2. Leap, bound, jump, skip, spring, caper, frisk, frisk about.
3. Dance, trip.
4. Limp, halt, hobble, walk lame.
**Hop,** *n.* 1. Leap, bound, jump, spring, skip, caper.
2. Dance.
**Hope,** *n.* 1. Trust, confidence, faith, reliance.
2. Expectancy, trustful longing, waiting under the possibility of fulfilment, sense of possible fulfilment.
3. Possibility of good, chance of the desired end, room for expectation, chance of a favorable result.
4. Reliance, dependence, object of trust *or* reliance, ground of confidence.
**Hope,** *v. a.* Await (*something agreeable*), hope for, trustingly long for.
**Hope,** *v. n.* Trust, wait in trustful longing, indulge *or* entertain a hope, be in hopes, live in hopes, look on the bright side, flatter one's self.
**Hope for.** Long for with trust. See HOPE, *v. a.*
**Hopeless,** *a.* 1. Despairing, desperate, forlorn, disconsolate, downcast, crushed.
2. Remediless, irremediable, incurable, past cure, helpless, past help.
3. Impossible, impracticable.
**Hop-hornbeam,** *n.* American ironwood (*Ostrya Virginica*).
**Hop-o'-my-thumb,** *n.* Dwarf, pygmy.
**Hoppers,** *n. pl.* Hop-scotch, scotch-hoppers.
**Hopple,** *v. a.* Fetter (*an animal*), hobble.
**Hopples,** *n. pl.* Fetters (*for animals*), hobbles.
**Hop-scotch,** *n.* Hoppers, scotch-hoppers.
**Horde,** *n.* 1. Gang (*not living in fixed habitations*), troop, crew, clan, migratory company *or* throng.
2. [*Usually in pl.*] Multitude, throng, crowd, vast number, great crowd.
**Horizontal,** *a.* Level, parallel to the horizon.
**Horn,** *n.* 1. Bony excrescence *or* projection.
2. Horny matter *or* material.
3. Trumpet, wind-instrument.
4. Drinking-cup, beaker.
5. (*Bot.*) Spur.
6. Cusp, curved extremity, prong, wing (*of a battle line*).
**Horn,** *v. a.* 1. Fit *or* furnish with horns, shape like a horn.
2. Cuckold.
**Hornbook,** *n.* Primer.
**Horned-screamer,** *n.* Kamichi (*Palamedea cornuta*).
**Horn-fish,** *n.* Greenbone, sea-needle, gar-pike, gar-fish, sea-pike, long-nose, gore-bill, sword-fish, mackerel-guide, horn-pike (*Esox belone* or *Belone vulgaris*).
**Horn of plenty.** Cornucopia.
**Horn-pike,** *n.* See HORN-FISH
**Horn-pout,** *n.* Catfish, mud-pout, bull-head (*Pimelodus cattus*).
**Horny,** *a.* Corneous.
**Horologe,** *n.* Time-piece (*of any kind*).
**Horoscope,** *n.* Ascendant, star-scheme at one's birth.
**Horrid,** *a.* 1. Frightful, terrible, terrific, horrible, alarming, portentous, formidable, appalling, dire, horrifying, horrific, harrowing, dreadful, fearful, awful, hideous.
2. (*Colloq.*) Shocking, offensive, disgusting, revolting, repulsive, odious, disagreeable, unpleasant, vile, abominable.
**Horrific,** *a.* Frightful. See HORRID.
**Horrify,** *v. a.* Frighten, terrify, fill with horror, strike with terror, make one's blood run cold.
**Horripilation,** *n.* (*Med.*) Shuddering, creeping, creeping shiver, creeping sensation, feeling of hair on end.
**Horror,** *n.* 1. Fright, affright, alarm, fear, dread, awe, terror, dismay, consternation, panic.
2. Abomination, abhorrence, detestation, disgust, loathing, hatred, antipathy.
3. (*Med.*) Shuddering, horripilation.
**Horrors,** *n. pl.* [With *The* prefixed.] Delirium tremens, *mania a potu*.
**Horror-struck,** *a.* Dismayed, horrified, terrified, appalled, frightened, panic-stricken, horror-stricken, paralyzed.
**Hors de combat.** [Fr.] Disabled, out of condition to fight.
**Horse,** *n.* 1. Steed, charger, stallion, gelding, mare, filly, colt, pony, sheltie *or* shelty, palfrey, pad, nag, barb, cob, roadster, tit, punch (*as the case may be*).
2. Cavalry, horsemen.
3. Stand, frame, support, buck.
**Horse-armor,** *n.* Caparison, barde, trappings for a horse.
**Horse-fly,** *n.* Breese, gad-fly.
**Horsefoot,** *n.* King-crab, horse-shoe, horse-shoe crab (*Limulus Americanus*).
**Horse-jockey,** *n.* Jockey, dealer in horses.
**Horse-laugh,** *n.* Guffaw, cachinnation, boisterous laugh.
**Horse-leech,** *n.* Farrier, horse-doctor, veterinarian, veterinary surgeon.
**Horse-mackerel,** *n.* 1. Bonito, albicore (*Thynnus vulgaris*).
2. Bluefish (*Temnodon saltator*).
**Horseman,** *n.* 1. Rider, cavalier, equestrian.
2. Cavalryman, mounted man, mounted soldier, horse-soldier, dragoon, *chasseur*.
**Horsemen,** *n. pl.* Cavalry, horse.
**Horse-shoe,** *n.* King-crab, horsefoot (*Limulus Americanus*).
**Horse-soldier,** *n.* Cavalryman, mounted man, horseman, mounted soldier, dragoon, *chasseur*.
**Hortative,** *n.* Incitement, exhortation, persuasive.
**Hortatory,** *a.* Homiletic, inciting, exhorting, full of exhortation *or* urgency.
**Horticulture,** *n.* Gardening.
**Horticulturist,** *n.* Gardener.
**Hortus siccus.** [L.] Herbarium, herbal, herbary.
**Hosanna,** *interj.* Hallelujah, alleluia, praise ye Jehovah.
**Hose,** *n.* 1. Stockings.
2. Tubing, flexible pipe.
3. [*Archaic.*] Trousers, breeches.
**Hospitable,** *a.* 1. Kind *or* attentive to strangers, given to bounty *or* entertaining.
2. Generous, liberal, bountiful, open, kind, unconstrained, unreserved, largely receptive, large-minded.
**Hospitality,** *n.* 1. Hospitableness, kindness to strangers, generosity in entertainment.
2. Openness (*of mind*), liberality, welcome to new *or* various views.
**Host,** *n.* 1. Entertainer.
2. Landlord, innkeeper.
3. Army, legion, armed force.
4. Multitude, horde, throng, vast assemblage.
5. Consecrated wafer.
**Hostile,** *a.* 1. Inimical, unfriendly.
2. Adverse, opposite, contrary, repugnant, at variance, opposed, opposing.
**Hostilities,** *n. pl.* Warfare, hostile, unfriendly, *or* inimical actions, acts of war. See WAR.
**Hostility,** *n.* 1. Enmity, animosity, hatred, unfriendliness, ill-will.
2. Opposition, repugnance, contrariety, variance.

**Hostler,** *n.* Groom, stable-servant, stable-boy.
**Hot,** *a.* 1. Burning, fiery, scalding; very warm, of high temperature, heated.
2. Very warm, oppressive, heated, of high temperature (*said of weather*).
3. Irascible, excitable, impetuous, passionate, hasty, choleric, furious, touchy, violent.
4. Ardent, vehement, fervent, eager, glowing, animated, fervid, violent, passionate.
5. Pungent, piquant, sharp, acrid, biting, stinging, peppery, high-flavored, high-seasoned.
**Hot-brained,** *a.* See HOT-HEADED.
**Hotch-potch,** *n.* Medley, farrago, jumble, miscellany, gallimaufry, salmagundi, olio, hodge-podge, confused mixture, *olla podrida*.
**Hotel,** *n.* Inn, tavern, public-house, house of entertainment, *cabaret*.
**Hot-headed,** *a.* Violent, rash, precipitate, vehement, furious, passionate, headlong, heady, headstrong, inconsiderate, hot-brained.
**Hotspur,** *n.* Madcap, blood, wild fellow, hot-brained fellow, rash man, excitable fellow, man of touchy temper.
**Hough,** *v. a.* Hamstring.
**Hound,** *n.* Dog (*for the chase*), hunting-dog.
**Hound,** *v. a.* 1. Incite, urge, spur, set on, urge on, spur on.
2. Hunt, pursue, chase.
3. Hunt hard, pursue cruelly, harass, harry, drive to bay.
**Hour,** *n.* Sixty minutes, twenty-fourth part of a day.
**Hour-circle,** *n.* Meridian, great circle of the sphere.
**Houri,** *n.* [*Term of the Mahometans.*] Nymph of Paradise.
**Hourly,** *ad.* 1. Every hour.
2. Frequently, continually.
**House,** *n.* 1. Habitation, abode, dwelling, mansion, residence, domicile, dwelling-place, home.
2. Building, edifice.
3. Family, household.
4. Lineage, race, kindred, tribe.
5. Legislative body.
6. Firm, partnership, company, concern, commercial establishment.
7. Hotel, inn, tavern, place of entertainment, public-house.
**House,** *v. a.* Shelter, protect, put under cover (*of a roof*), furnish with a house, procure a house *or* home for.
**House,** *v. n.* Abide, dwell, reside, lodge.
**House-breaking,** *n.* Burglary (*when committed at night*).
**Household,** *n.* Family, house.
**Household,** *a.* Domestic, home.
**Householder,** *n.* Occupier of a house, head of a family.
**House of correction.** Bridewell, workhouse, prison for petty offenders.
**House of God.** Church, meeting-house, house of worship, sanctuary, temple.
**Housewife,** *n.* 1. Mistress of a family, goodwoman.
2. Huswife, female economist, thrifty woman.
**Housing,** *n.* 1. Horse-cloth, saddle-cloth, trappings.
2. Covering, protection (*from the weather*).
**Hovel,** *n.* Shed, hut, cot, cabin, mean habitation, hole, den.
**Hover,** *v. n.* 1. Flutter.
2. Hang about, hang over.
**How,** *ad.* 1. In what manner, in what way, by what mode, by what means.
2. To what extent, to what degree.
3. For what cause, for what reason.
4. In what state, in what condition, in what plight.
**However,** *ad.* Howsoever, in whatever manner, in whatever degree.
**However,** *conj.* Yet, still, nevertheless, but, though, notwithstanding.
**How far.** } **How far forth.** } To what extent *or* degree.
**Howl,** *n.* Cry (*as of a dog*), yell.
**Howl,** *v. n.* 1. Cry (*as a dog*), yell.
2. Wail, lament.
3. Roar (*said of wind*).
**Howsoever,** *ad.* However, in whatever manner, in whatever degree.
**Hub,** *n.* Nave (*of a wheel*).
**Hubbub,** *n.* 1. Uproar, clamor, din, racket, outcry, confusion, disorder, hullabaloo.
2. Tumult, disorder, confusion, disturbance, riot.
**Hubbubboo,** *n.* Cry, howl, howling, wailing, ululation.
**Huckleberry,** *n.* Black whortleberry (*Vaccinium resinosum*).
**Huckster,** *n.* Retailer, hawker, pedler, hucksterer.
**Huddle,** *v. a.* 1. Throw together in confusion, throw in a heap, crowd confusedly.
2. Hurry away, push away in a heap.
3. [With *up*.] Make hurriedly, contrive carelessly, fudge up.
4. [With *on*.] Hurry on, hustle on, put on in disorder.
**Huddle,** *v. n.* Crowd, press together in confusion.
**Huddle,** *n.* Crowd, tumult, disorder, confusion, disturbance.
**Hue,** *n.* Color, tint, tinge, shade.
**Hue and cry.** Shouting, clamor, outcry.
**Hueless,** *a.* 1. Colorless, uncolored, untinged, achromatic, free from color.
2. Colorless, dull, pale, pallid, livid.
**Huff,** *n.* 1. Miff, pet, tiff, rage, passion, fume, fit of anger, angry mood.
2. Boaster, braggart, braggadocio, huffer. See BLUSTERER.
**Huffish,** } **Huffy,** } *a.* 1. Angry, petulant, pettish, irritable.
2. Blustering, arrogant, insolent, hectoring.
**Hug,** *v. a.* 1. Embrace, clasp, fold in the arms, fold to the breast *or* heart.
2. Retain, cherish, nurse in the mind, hold fast, cling to, keep hold of.
3. (*Naut.*) Go near, keep close to.
**Hug,** *n.* Embrace, clasp.
**Huge,** *a.* Vast, bulky, enormous, immense, stupendous, gigantic, colossal, elephantine, Herculean, Cyclopean, very great, very large.
**Hugger-mugger,** *n.* (*Contemptuous.*) 1. Secrecy, privacy.
2. Disorder, confusion, slovenliness.
**Hugger-mugger,** *a.* (*Contemptuous.*) 1. Secret, clandestine, sly.
2. Mean, unfair, base, contemptible.
3. Confused, disorderly, slovenly.
**Huguenot,** *n.* French Protestant.
**Hulk,** *n.* Hull (*of an old vessel*), broken and dismasted vessel.
**Hull,** *n.* 1. Husk, outer covering.
2. Body of a vessel.
**Hull,** *v. a.* Peel, strip the hull from.
**Hullabaloo,** *n.* Racket, din, clamor, uproar, hubbub, outcry, vociferation, disturbance, confusion, noisy sport.
**Hum,** *v. n.* Buzz, make a buzzing sound.
**Hum,** *v. a.* Sing (*in a low voice*).
**Hum,** *n.* Buzz, buzzing sound.
**Human,** *a.* 1. Man's, of man, belonging to man.
2. Common to mankind.

3. Like a man, like a human being, full of fellow-feeling, full of common human feeling, full of heart, sympathetic.

**Humane,** *a.* 1. Kind, benevolent, benignant, obliging, accommodating, tender, sympathetic, charitable, compassionate, clement, gentle, kind-hearted, tender-hearted, good-hearted.

2. Proper to man, manlike, worthy of man.

3. Elevating, refining, cultivating, humanizing, spiritual, rational.

**Humanist,** *n.* Student of polite literature, devotee of culture.

**Humanities,** *n. pl.* [With *The* prefixed.] Belles-lettres, polite literature, elegant literature, literature as the vehicle of cultivated reason, literature as the union of truth and beauty.

**Humanity,** *n.* 1. Human nature.

2. Mankind, the human race.

3. Kindness, benevolence, benignity, philanthropy, tenderness, sympathy, charity, humaneness, kind-heartedness, fellow-feeling, good nature, milk of human kindness.

4. Human spirit, spirit *or* essence of man, reason, rationality, culture, spirit of truth and beauty.

**Humanize,** *v. a.* 1. Soften, make humane.

2. Civilize, cultivate, refine, polish, improve, enlighten, educate, reclaim from barbarism, fill with sensibility to justice, truth, and beauty.

**Humble,** *a.* 1. Meek, modest, unassuming, unpretending, unobtrusive, lowly, submissive, free from pride, free from haughtiness, without arrogance.

2. Low, small, poor, unpretending.

**Humble,** *v. a.* 1. Humiliate, shame, mortify, degrade, crush, break, subdue, abash, make ashamed, bring down, put down, take down, put out of countenance.

2. Make humble, make lowly, render meek *or* modest *or* unpretending, free from pride.

**Humblebee,** *n.* Bumblebee.

**Humbleness,** *n.* See HUMILITY.

**Humbug,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) 1. Imposition, imposture, fetch, deception, fraud, trick, cheat, gammon, dodge, gouge, blind, feint, chouse, hoax.

2. Charlatanry, charlatanism, quackery, mummery, cant, hypocrisy.

3. Impostor, charlatan, quack, cheat.

**Humbug,** *v. a.* (*Colloq.*) Deceive, cheat, cozen, swindle, trick, hoax, befool, chouse, impose upon.

**Humdrum,** *a.* Dull, prosy, dronish, stupid, wearisome, tiresome, dry, dreary.

**Humid,** *a.* Wet, moist, damp, dank.

**Humidity,** *n.* Moisture, dampness.

**Humiliate,** *v. a.* Mortify, shame, abash, put to shame, put down. See HUMBLE, 1.

**Humiliation,** *n.* 1. Humbling, abasement, mortification, degradation, crushing, putting to shame, dishonoring.

2. Humility, meekness, humbleness, lowliness, lowness, submissiveness.

**Humility,** *n.* Humbleness, meekness, submissiveness, lowliness, self-abasement, lowliness of mind, freedom from pride *or* arrogance, freedom from self-righteousness.

**Humine,** *n.* (*Chem.*) Humic acid.

**Hummock,** *n.* 1. Hillock, knoll, knob of soil.

2. Ridge, pile, hump, knob, protuberance (*in a field of ice*).

**Humor,** *n.* 1. Moisture, fluid (*of animal bodies*).

2. Cutaneous eruption.

3. Temper, disposition, bent, bias, vein, propensity, predilection, turn of mind.

4. Mood, temper, state of feeling, frame of mind.

5. Mood, fancy, whim, caprice, freak, vagary, crotchet, whimsey, maggot, wrinkle.

6. Pleasantry, facetiousness, fun, jocoseness, jocularity, kindly wit, comic *or* ludicrous feeling *or* tone.

7. Sense of the ludicrous, feeling of the comic, perception of what is funny.

**Humor,** *v. a.* 1. Indulge, gratify, give way to, consult the wishes of.

2. Favor, suit the nature of, meet the requirements of.

**Humorist,** *n.* Wag, wit, Joe Miller, droll fellow, funny fellow.

**Humorous,** *a.* Facetious, jocular, jocose, droll, funny, sportive, comical, comic, ludicrous, witty, pleasant.

**Humorsome,** *a.* 1. Petulant, peevish, snappish, waspish, crusty, captious, perverse, wayward, cross-grained.

2. Capricious, whimsical, fanciful, fitful, fantastic, odd.

**Humpback,** *n.* 1. Crooked back, crook-back.

2. Hunchback, crook-back.

**Hump-backed,** *a.* Hunch-backed, crooked-backed.

**Hunch,** *n.* 1. Hump, protuberance, knob, bunch, lump.

2. Punch, push, shove, nudge.

3. (*Colloq.*) Lump, hunk, large piece, thick slice.

**Hunch,** *v. a.* Punch, push, shove, jostle, nudge.

**Hunchback,** *n.* Humpback, crook-back.

**Hunch-backed,** *a.* Hump-backed, crooked-backed.

**Hundred,** *n.* Century.

**Hundredth,** *a.* Centesimal.

**Hung-beef,** *n.* Jerked beef, dried beef.

**Hunger,** *n.* Craving appetite (*for food*), craving for food.

**Hunger,** *v. n.* 1. Feel hunger, feel hungry, be hungry, crave food, want nourishment.

2. Long, hanker, feel longing desire, desire eagerly, pine.

**Hungry,** *a.* 1. Craving (food), of keen appetite, sharp-set, in want of food, famishing (*by hyperbole*), ravenous.

2. Longing, in painful desire, eagerly desirous.

3. Poor, barren, unfertile, unproductive.

**Hunk,** *n.* Lump, hunch, large piece, thick slice.

**Hunks,** *n.* Miser, niggard, curmudgeon, codger, lickpenny, skinflint, scrimp, screw, muckworm, sordid wretch, mean fellow.

**Hunt,** *v. a.* Chase, pursue.

**Hunt,** *v. n.* 1. Follow the chase.

2. Search, seek, look.

**Hunt,** *n.* Chase, pursuit, hunting, field-sport.

**Hunter,** *n.* 1. Huntsman.

2. Hound, hunting-dog.

3. Hunting-horse, hunting-nag, horse for the chase.

**Hunt for.** Search for, seek for, look for, hunt out.

**Hunting,** *n.* Chase. See HUNT.

**Hunting-leopard,** *n.* Chetah (*Felis jubata*).

**Hunt out.** Search for. See HUNT FOR.

**Huntsman,** *n.* Hunter.

**Hurl,** *v. a.* 1. Throw, fling, cast, pitch, send, sling, throw violently, send whirling, send whizzing.

2. Utter violently, fulminate, thunder.

**Hurl,** *n.* 1. Throw, cast, fling.

2. Tumult, commotion, turmoil, confusion, bustle, disturbance, hurly-burly, hullabaloo.

**Hurly-burly,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Hurl, hurly, turmoil, tumult, commotion, confusion, bustle, disturbance.

**Hurrah,** *interj.* HUZZA.

**Hurricane,** *n.* 1. Tornado, cyclone, typhoon.

2. Violent gale, wild storm.
**Hurried,** *a.* I. Driven (*by work*), over head and ears, pressed for time.
2. Hasty, cursory, slight, superficial.
**Hurry,** *v. a.* I. Drive, precipitate.
2. Hasten, expedite, speed, despatch, urge *or* push forward, urge *or* press on.
**Hurry,** *v. n.* I. Act precipitately, be in a flutter, be in a flurry.
2. Haste, hasten, move quickly, be in haste, be quick, be in a hurry, make haste, mend one's pace, move with celerity, lose no time, lose not a moment, wing one's way, make the best of one's way, crowd sail, clap spurs to one's horse.
**Hurry,** *n.* I. Precipitation, flurry, flutter, agitation, confusion, bustle, perturbation, hurry-skurry.
2. Haste, despatch, celerity, quickness, promptitude, expedition.
**Hurry-skurry,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Flutter, flurry, agitation, confusion, hurry, fluttering haste, great confusion.
**Hurry-skurry,** *ad.* Confusedly, pell-mell, helter-skelter, headlong, with a huddling rush, heels over head.
**Hurt,** *v. a.* I. Injure, harm, damage, mar, impair, do harm to, inflict injury upon.
2. Pain, wound, give pain to.
3. Grieve, afflict, pain, wound, give (*mental*) pain to.
**Hurt,** *n.* I. Harm, injury, damage, detriment, mischief, disadvantage.
2. Wound, bruise.
**Hurtful,** *a.* Injurious, detrimental, mischievous, pernicious, deleterious, noxious, baneful, prejudicial, disadvantageous, harmful, baleful.
**Husband,** *n.* Spouse, married man.
**Husband,** *v. a.* Save, economize, spend frugally, manage with frugality.
**Husbandman,** *n.* Agriculturist, farmer, tiller of the ground, cultivator of the soil.
**Husbandry,** *n.* I. Agriculture, farming, tillage, geoponics, cultivation of the soil.
2. Frugality, thrift, domestic economy, management of domestic affairs.
**Hush,** *v. a.* I. Still, silence, quiet, repress the cries *or* clamor of.
2. Appease, assuage, still, calm, quiet, allay, console.
**Hush,** *interj.* Silence, whist, be still, keep quiet, make no noise.
**Hush-money,** *n.* Bribe to keep silence, pay for concealment.
**Hush up.** Suppress, conceal, cover over, hide, keep secret, keep private.
**Husk,** *n.* Rind, bark, hull, glume, outer covering.
**Husk,** *v. a.* Strip off the husk from (*as from Indian-corn*).
**Husks,** *n. pl.* Hulls, glumes, chaff.
**Husky,** *a.* I. Dry, shrivelled.
2. Hoarse, rough, raucous, harsh, guttural.
**Hussar,** *n.* Light-armed dragoon, light-cavalryman.
**Hussy,** *n.* Jade, quean, base woman, sorry wench.
**Hustle,** *v. a.* Push, jostle, justle, elbow, crowd.
**Huswife,** *n.* Housewife, female economist, thrifty woman.
**Huswifely,** *a.* Thrifty, frugal, economical.
**Hut,** *n.* Cot, cabin, shed, hovel, poor cottage, mean dwelling.
**Hutch,** *n.* I. Chest, coffer, bin.
2. Trap (*as for rabbits*).
3. (*Mining.*) Box (*for coal*).
**Huzza,** *interj.* Hurrah.
**Huzza,** *n.* Shout, halloo, holla, hurrah.
**Huzza,** *v. n.* Shout, cry huzza, hurrah.
**Hyaline,** *a.* Glassy, crystalline, transparent.
**Hyaloid,** *a.* (*Anat.*) Vitriform, transparent.
**Hybrid,** *n.* Mongrel, mule, cross.
**Hybrid,** *a.* Mongrel, cross-bred, hermaphrodite.
**Hydra,** *n.* I. (*Mythol.*) Many-headed monster.
2. Spectre, hobgoblin, ogre, Gorgon, bugbear, poker, bugaboo, frightful object, raw head and bloody bones.
**Hydrant,** *n.* Discharge-pipe (*from the main of an aqueduct*), water-plug.
**Hydrargyrum,** *n.* Mercury, quicksilver.
**Hydrate,** *n.* Hydro-oxide.
**Hydraulic press.** Bramah press, hydrostatic press.
**Hydraulic ram.** Water-ram.
**Hydrocephalus,** *n.* Dropsy of the brain.
**Hydrochlorate,** *n.* Muriate.
**Hydrochloric acid.** Muriatic acid.
**Hydrocyanic acid.** Prussic acid.
**Hydrogen,** *n.* (*Chem.*) Inflammable air, phlogiston.
**Hydro-oxide,** *n.* Hydrate.
**Hydropathist,** *n.* I. Water-doctor, expert in hydropathy.
2. Believer in hydropathy, practiser of water-cure.
**Hydropathy,** *n.* Water-cure.
**Hydrophobia,** *n.* (*Med.*) Canine madness, rabies.
**Hydropthalmia,** / **Hydropthalmy,** } *n.* Dropsy of the eye.
**Hydrostatic press.** Bramah press, hydraulic press.
**Hydrosulphuric acid.** Sulphuretted hydrogen.
**Hydrous,** *a.* Watery.
**Hyemal,** *a.* Brumal, wintry, frosty, icy, cold, chilling.
**Hyena,** *n.* Tiger-wolf.
**Hygeia,** *n.* (*Mythol.*) Goddess of health.
**Hygiene,** *n.* Hygienics, science of health, sanitary science.
**Hygienics,** *n.* Hygiene, science of health, sanitary science.
**Hylobate,** *n.* Gibbon, long-armed ape.
**Hymen,** *n.* I. (*Mythol.*) God of marriage.
2. (*Anat.*) Virginal membrane, maidenhead.
**Hymeneal,** *n.* Hymenean, marriage song.
**Hymeneal,** *a.* Nuptial, connubial, matrimonial, bridal, conjugal, conjugial.
**Hymenean,** *n.* Hymeneal, marriage song.
**Hymn,** *n.* Song (*of praise*), devotional song, spiritual song, sacred song, sacred lyric.
**Hyoid bone.** (*Anat.*) Bone of the tongue.
**Hyoscyamus,** *n.* Henbane, stinking nightshade.
**Hyperbaton,** *n.* (*Rhet.*) Inversion, transposition of words.
**Hyperbole,** *n.* (*Rhet.*) Exaggeration.
**Hyperborean,** *a.* I. Most northern, far north.
2. Very cold, boreal, wintry, hyemal, brumal, frosty, icy, frigid.
**Hypercritical,** *a.* Over-critical, captiously critical.
**Hypercriticism,** *n.* Captious criticism.
**Hypnotic,** *a.* Soporific, somniferous.
**Hypnotic,** *n.* Narcotic, soporific, opiate.
**Hypnotism,** *n.* Sleepiness, lethargy.
**Hypochondria,** *n.* (*Med.*) Melancholy, spleen, vapors, depression, dejection, hypochondriasis, low spirits.
**Hypochondriac,** *n.* Seek-sorrow, self-tormentor, victim of melancholy *or* hypochondria.
**Hypochondriacal,** / **Hypochondriac,** } *a.* Melancholy, splenetic, dispirited, dejected, depressed, hipped.
**Hypochondriasis,** *n.* (*Med.*) Melancholy. See HYPOCHONDRIA.
**Hypocrisy,** *n.* I. Pharisaism, formalism, sanctimoniousness, cant, pietism, assumed piety.
2. Dissimulation, deceit, deception, imposture, pretence, false profession.

**Hypocrite,** *n.* I. Pharisee, formalist, canter.
2. Dissembler, deceiver, impostor, pretender, cheat.
**Hypocritic,** } *a.* I. Pharisaical, canting, sanc-
**Hypocritical,** } timonious.
2. Dissembling, insincere, false, hollow, deceitful, faithless.
**Hypogene rocks.** Primary rocks.
**Hypostasis,** *n.* I. Substance, subsistence.
2. Person, personality.
3. Principle, element.
**Hypostatic union.** Incarnation.
**Hypothecate,** *v. a.* Pledge (*as ship, freight, cargo, etc., without delivery*), mortgage.
**Hypothesis,** *n.* Supposition, theory.
**Hypothetic,** } *a.* Conditional, that involves an
**Hypothetical,** } hypothesis, conjectural.
**Hysteria,** *n.* (*Med.*) Hysterics.
**Hysteric,** } *a.* I. Spasmodic.
**Hysterical,** } 2. Affected with hysterics.

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**Iambic,** *n.* I. Iambus.
2. Iambic verse.
**Ibex,** *n.* Stein-boc (*Capra ibex*).
**Ibidem,** *ad.* [L.] In the same place.
**Ice,** *n.* I. Frozen water.
2. Concreted sugar, icing, frosting.
3. Ice-cream.
**Ice,** *v. a.* I. Freeze, congeal, convert into ice.
2. Coat *or* cover with ice, ice over.
3. Coat *or* cover with icing, frost.
4. Chill, make icy.
**Ice-cream,** *n.* Ice.
**Iceland-crystal,** *n.* See ICELAND-SPAR.
**Iceland-spar,** *n.* Calcareous spar, crystallized carbonate of lime, Iceland-crystal.
**Ichnography,** *n.* Ground-plan, horizontal section.
**Ichor,** *n.* I. (*Mythol.*) Blood of the gods.
2. Serous humor, watery fluid.
**Ichorous,** *a.* Serous, watery, thin.
**Ichthyocol,** } *n.* Isinglass, fish-glue, carlock.
**Ichthyocolla,** }
**Icing,** *n.* Frosting, concreted sugar (*for coating cake*).
**Iconoclasm,** *n.* Image-breaking.
**Iconoclast,** *n.* Image-breaker.
**Icterus,** *n.* (*Med.*) Jaundice.
**Icy,** *a.* I. Glacial.
2. Cold, chilling, frosty, intensely cold.
3. Frigid, indifferent, cold-hearted.
**Idea,** *n.* I. [*In the Platonic philosophy.*] Archetype (*conceived of as existing from eternity*), pattern, model, exemplar, form, essence (*common to many individual things and represented by a general term*), creative *or* self-active ideal.
2. [*In the Kantian philosophy.*] Supreme principle of pure reason, regulative first principle, highest unitary principle of thought. [*There are three such,—the Self, the Cosmic Force, and God.*]
3. [*In the Hegelian philosophy.*] Supreme principle, the Absolute, the Self-existent, as the unity of subject and object, God.
4. Universal concept, conception, notion, general *or* universal conception.
5. Object of thought, image in the mind, mental representation of an object, image in reflection, memory, *or* imagination.
6. Impression, apprehension, thought, fancy, conceit.
7. Opinion, belief, supposition, judgment, sentiment.
8. Guiding conception, organizing conception, formative notion, regulative principle.
**Ideal,** *a.* I. Intellectual, mental.
2. Imaginary, unreal, fanciful, fantastic, fancied, illusory, chimerical, visionary, shadowy.
3. Complete, perfect, consummate, filling our utmost conceptions.
**Ideal,** *n.* Imaginary standard, ideal model of perfection.
**Idealism,** *n.* Idealistic philosophy, theory that matter is the phenomenon of mind, theory that mind alone is absolute.
**Ideality,** *n.* Imagination, conception, invention, fancy.
**Idem.** [L.] The same, ditto.
**Identical,** *a.* Same, selfsame, very same, one and the same, exactly the same, not different.
**Identify,** *v. a.* I. Prove to be identical, prove to be the same, ascertain to be the same.
2. Make identical, regard as one, consider the same, take for identical, confound.
**Identify,** *v. n.* Become identical, be the same.
**Identity,** *n.* Sameness.
**Ideology,** *n.* I. Science of ideas, theory of the origin of ideas, doctrine of the evolution of ideas.
2. Sensationalism, sensualism, empiricism, sensuous theory of the origin of ideas, doctrine that all ideas are evolved from elementary sensations.
**Id est.** [L.] That is.
**Idiocrasy,** *n.* Peculiarity, idiosyncrasy, peculiar temperament.
**Idiocy,** *n.* I. Condition of an idiot, imbecility, native irrationality, congenital imbecility.
2. Foolishness, imbecility, fatuity, feebleness of intellect, want of understanding.
**Idiom,** *n.* I. Peculiar mode *or* turn of expression (*sanctioned by use in any language*).
2. Genius (*of a language*), characteristic quality.
3. Dialect.
**Idiomatic,** } *a.* Peculiar (*as respects any mode*
**Idiomatical,** } *of expression*).
**Idiosyncrasy,** *n.* Peculiarity (*of constitution*), idiocrasy, peculiar temperament.
**Idiot,** *n.* Fool, natural, natural fool, congenital imbecile, imbecile.
**Idiotic,** } *a.* I. Marked by idiocy, imbecile,
**Idiotical,** } born imbecile.
2. Pertaining to idiots, characteristic of idiots.
3. Foolish, sottish, fatuous.
**Idle,** *a.* I. Unemployed, unoccupied, unbusied, inactive.
2. Indolent, lazy, slothful, sluggish, inert.
3. Vacant, unused, leisure.
4. Useless, ineffectual, bootless, fruitless, unavailing, vain, futile, abortive.
5. Trifling, trivial, unimportant, trashy, foolish, unprofitable.
**Idle away.** Waste, spend in idleness.
**Idler,** *n.* Drone, sluggard, laggard, lounger, dawdler, trifler, doodle, slowback, inefficient person.
**Idol,** *n.* I. Pagan, deity, false god.
2. Falsity, illusion, delusion, deluding assumption.

3. Favorite, pet, darling.

**Idolater,** *n.* 1. Worshipper of idols.
2. Adorer, great admirer.

**Idolatry,** *n.* 1. Worship of idols.
2. Excessive love, extravagant fondness, excessive veneration.

**Idolize,** *v. a.* 1. Deify.
2. Adore, reverence *or* love excessively, be extravagantly fond of.

**Idyl,** *n.* [Written also *Idyll.*] 1. Bucolic, eclogue, pastoral, pastoral poem.
2. Short poem (*highly wrought*).

**If,** *conj.* 1. Suppose that, admitting that, allowing that, granting that, grant that, on the supposition that.
2. Whether, whether or not.

**Igneous,** *a.* 1. Fiery.
2. Molten, produced under the action of fire.

**Ignis fatuus.** [L.] Jack-with-a-lantern, Jack-a-lantern, Will-with-the-wisp, Will-o'-the-wisp, corpse-candle.

**Ignite,** *v. a.* Kindle, set fire to, set on fire.

**Ignite,** *v. n.* Kindle, take fire, catch fire.

**Ignoble,** *a.* 1. Plebeian, vulgar, untitled, base-born, low-born, mean, low, rustic, peasant, hedge-born.
2. Worthless, insignificant, mean, contemptible.
3. Dishonorable, disgraceful, base, unworthy, low.

**Ignominious,** *a.* 1. Dishonorable, disgraceful, shameful, infamous, scandalous, disreputable, opprobrious, full of ignominy.
2. Deserving ignominy, despicable, contemptible, base, infamous.

**Ignominy,** *n.* Dishonor, disgrace, discredit, disrepute, shame, infamy, obloquy, contempt, opprobrium, odium, scandal, abasement.

**Ignoramus,** *n.* Sciolist, smatterer, novice, wiseacre, greenhorn, simpleton, numskull. See DUNCE.

**Ignorance,** *n.* Illiteracy, nescience, darkness, blindness, want of knowledge.

**Ignorant,** *a.* Unlearned, uninstructed, uninformed, uneducated, untaught, unenlightened, blind, illiterate, unlettered, dark.

**Ignorant of.** Unaware of, unacquainted with.

**Ignore,** *v. a.* 1. Regard as unknown, shut one's eyes to, leave out of view, not recognize, not take into account, disregard, neglect, utterly overlook.
2. (*Law.*) Reject, set aside.

**Ill,** *a.* 1. Bad, evil, unfortunate, unfavorable.
2. Wicked, wrong, iniquitous, naughty.
3. Sick, diseased, ailing, disordered, very unwell, indisposed, out of health, seriously indisposed.
4. Cross, crabbed, surly, peevish, malicious, hateful.
5. Ugly, ill-favored.

**Ill,** *n.* 1. Wickedness, depravity, evil.
2. Misfortune, calamity, misery, harm, pain, evil, affliction.

**Ill,** *ad.* 1. Badly, not well.
2. With difficulty, not easily.

**Ill-advised,** *a.* Injudicious, unwise, imprudent, foolish, ill-judged.

**Illation,** *n.* Inference, deduction, conclusion.

**Illative,** *a.* Inferential, deductive.

**Ill-bred,** *a.* Impolite, uncivil, uncourteous, discourteous, uncourtly, unpolished, uncouth, rude, ill-behaved, ill-mannered.

**Ill-breeding,** *n.* Impoliteness, incivility, rudeness, discourtesy, ill manners, coarseness, uncouthness, *gaucherie.*

**Illegal,** *a.* Unlawful, illicit, unlicensed.

**Illegality,** *n.* Unlawfulness, illicitness.

**Illegible,** *a.* Unreadable, impossible to be read, undecipherable, indecipherable.

**Illegitimate,** *a.* 1. Unlawfully begotten, born out of wedlock.
2. Spurious, not genuine.
3. Unauthorized, unlawful, illicit, improper.

**Ill-fated,** *a.* Luckless, unlucky, unfortunate, ill-starred.

**Ill-favored,** *a.* Ugly, homely, plain, ill-looking.

**Ill-flavored,** *a.* Unsavory, unpalatable, disagreeable in taste.

**Ill-humor,** *n.* Fretfulness, peevishness, petulance, testiness, ill-temper.

**Illiberal,** *a.* 1. Parsimonious, stingy, miserly, niggardly, penurious, ungenerous, sordid, covetous, mean, selfish, close, close-fisted.
2. Uncharitable, narrow, narrow-minded.

**Illicit,** *a.* 1. Unlawful, illegal, illegitimate, unauthorized, unlegalized, unlicensed.
2. Improper, forbidden, wrong, guilty, criminal.

**Illimitable,** *a.* Boundless, infinite, unbounded, immense, vast.

**Illiteracy,** *n.* 1. Ignorance, want of learning, want of literary culture.
2. Inability to read and write.

**Illiterate,** *a.* 1. Uninstructed (*in books*), unlettered, unlearned, untaught, ignorant.
2. Unable to read and write.

**Ill-judged,** *a.* Unwise, injudicious, imprudent, foolish, ill-advised.

**Ill-looking,** *a.* Ugly, homely, plain, ill-favored.

**Ill-mannered,** *a.* Impolite, uncivil, uncourteous, discourteous, uncourtly, unpolished, uncouth, rude, ill-behaved, ill-bred.

**Ill-nature,** *n.* 1. Malevolence, unkindness, hatred, enmity, ill-will.
2. Moroseness, sullenness, sourness, acerbity, acrimoniousness, bitterness, ill-temper, bad temper.

**Ill-natured,** *a.* 1. Malevolent, unkind, disobliging, unfriendly, unamiable, hateful.
2. Morose, sullen, sulky, cross, churlish, crabbed, sour, perverse, wayward, crusty, petulant, cross-grained, ill-tempered, acrimonious, bitter.

**Illness,** *n.* Disease, sickness, indisposition, ailing, ailment, complaint, disorder, distemper.

**Illogical,** *a.* Inconclusive, inconsequent, fallacious, incorrect, unsound, inconsistent.

**Illogicalness,** *n.* Inconsequence, inconclusiveness, inconsistency.

**Ill-proportioned,** *a.* Misshapen, misproportioned, shapeless, ill-shaped, ill-made, awkward.

**Ill-provided,** *a.* Ill-furnished, scantily supplied, poorly equipped.

**Ill-spent,** *a.* Wasted, misspent.

**Ill-starred,** *a.* Unlucky, luckless, unfortunate, ill-fated, unhappy.

**Ill-temper,** *n.* Moroseness, sullenness, sulkiness, crabbedness, crossness, perverseness, bad temper. See ILL-NATURE.

**Ill-tempered,** *a.* Morose. See ILL-NATURED.

**Ill-timed,** *a.* Unseasonable, untimely, inopportune, inapposite, irrelevant, out of place.

**Ill-treat,** *v. a.* Maltreat, injure, abuse, ill-use.

**Ill turn.** 1. Unkind act, unkindness, wrong, unfriendly turn.
2. (*Colloq.*) Slight illness.

**Illude,** *v. a.* Mock, deceive, disappoint, cheat, balk, dupe.

**Illume,** *v. a.* (*Poetical.*) Illuminate, light up, light.

**Illuminate,** *v. a.* 1. Light, illumine, illume, supply with light.
2. Adorn with lights (*as a building*), light up.
3. Adorn with colored letters.

4. Enlighten, illumine, make wise, instruct, inspire, give insight.

**Illumine,** *v. a.* 1. Light, illuminate, illume, supply with light.

2. Enlighten. See ILLUMINATE, 4.

**Illusion,** *n.* Delusion, hallucination, deception, error, fallacy, mockery, fantasy, phantasm, chimera, false show.

**Illusive,** } *a.* Deceptive, deceitful, delusive, fal-
**Illusory,** } lacious.

**Illustrate,** *v. a.* 1. Elucidate, explain, exemplify, make clear, make plain, throw light upon.

2. Adorn with pictures.

**Illustration,** *n.* 1. Elucidation, explanation, exemplification.

2. Illustrative picture.

**Illustrative,** *a.* Explanatory, elucidative.

**Illustrious,** *a.* 1. Glorious, splendid, brilliant, bright, radiant.

2. Famous, famed, noted, distinguished, renowned, celebrated, conspicuous, eminent, signal, remarkable.

**Ill-will,** *n.* Malevolence, unkindness, malice, enmity, hate, hatred, rancor, uncharitableness, ill-nature, envy, grudge.

**Image,** *n.* 1. Statue.

2. Idol, object of worship.

3. Likeness, effigy, figure, similitude, resemblance, picture, representation of an object (*real* or *fancied*).

4. Trope, figurative expression.

**Image,** *v. a.* 1. Form an image of.

2. Fancy, picture. See IMAGINE.

**Imagery,** *n.* 1. Phantasm, phantom, vision, dream, fanciful forms.

2. Tropes, figures of speech, figurative language.

**Imaginable,** *a.* Conceivable.

**Imaginary,** *a.* 1. Visionary, ideal, fancied, fanciful, chimerical, dreamy, unreal, illusory, illusive, shadowy, wild, Quixotic, Utopian.

2. Hypothetical, supposed, assumed.

**Imagination,** *n.* 1. Conception (*united with the faculty of recombining ideas so as to form a new creation*), invention, ideality, creative power, plastic power, fancy, fantasy.

2. Imaginative faculty, faculty of original conception, faculty of invention, esemplastic faculty, power to mould the manifold of experience into new unities.

3. Imaging power, vision of the past as present *or* of the possible as actual, reproductive perception, anticipative perception.

4. Mental image, idea, conception, notion.

5. Contrivance, scheme, device, plot.

6. Illusion, arbitrary notion *or* supposition, fanciful opinion, fancy.

**Imaginative,** *a.* Inventive, creative, plastic, poetical, esemplastic.

**Imagine,** *v. a.* 1. Conceive, image, fancy, picture, picture to one's self, figure to one's self.

2. Devise, contrive, project, frame, invent, mould, create.

3. Suppose, assume, take for hypothesis, make the hypothesis.

4. Think, believe, suppose, apprehend, deem.

**Imagine,** *v. n.* Suppose, think, opine, believe, deem, assume, fancy, dream, take it into one's head, have a notion.

**Imbecile,** *a.* 1. Weak, feeble, infirm, helpless, decrepit.

2. Foolish, witless, drivelling, idiotic, fatuous.

**Imbecile,** *n.* 1. Dotard, feeble person.

2. Idiot, natural, congenital imbecile.

**Imbecility,** *n.* 1. Weakness, feebleness, debility, infirmity, helplessness.

2. Foolishness, childishness, idiocy, fatuity.

**Imbibe,** *v. a.* 1. Absorb, take in, suck in, suck up, swallow up.

2. Receive, gather, acquire, gain, get, pick up.

**Imbitter,** *v. a.* [Written preferably *Embitter.*]

1. Make bitter.

2. Make unhappy *or* grievous.

3. Exasperate, madden, enrage, anger.

**Imbosom,** *v. a.* [Written preferably *Embosom.*]

1. Hold in the bosom.

2. Enclose, surround.

**Imbricate,** } *a.* (*Bot.*) Overlapping,
**Imbricated,** }

**Imbroglio,** *n.* [It.] 1. Intricate plot.

2. Complication, complexity, entanglement, embarrassing situation, complicated misunderstanding.

**Imbrue,** *v. a.* Wet, moisten, steep, soak, drench.

**Imbrute,** *v. a.* Brutify, brutalize.

**Imbue,** *v. a.* 1. Tinge, dye, stain, tint, tincture, color.

2. Tincture deeply, pervade, infuse, steep, bathe, impregnate, inoculate.

**Imitate,** *v. a.* 1. Copy, follow, pattern after.

2. Mimic, ape, mock, personate, impersonate, take off.

3. Parody, travesty, burlesque, turn into burlesque.

**Imitation,** *n.* 1. Copying, imitating.

2. Copy, resemblance, likeness.

3. Mimicry, mocking.

4. Parody, travesty, burlesque.

**Imitative,** *a.* 1. Imitating, copying.

2. Mimicking, aping, apish.

**Imitator,** *n.* Copyist.

**Immaculate,** *a.* 1. Spotless, unspotted, stainless, unsullied, unsoiled, untainted, unblemished, untarnished, undefiled, clean, pure.

2. Innocent, guiltless, sinless, faultless, pure, saintly, stainless, holy, untainted by sin.

**Immanence,** *n.* Inherence, indwelling.

**Immanent,** *a.* 1. Intrinsic, inherent, internal, indwelling.

2. (*Met.*) Empirical, remaining within the bounds of experience, belonging to the world of sense.

**Immaterial,** *a.* 1. Incorporeal, unbodied, unfleshly, spiritual, supersensible.

2. Unimportant, insignificant, unessential, non-essential, of no importance, of no consequence.

**Immateriality,** } *n.* Spirituality, incorporeity.
**Immaterialness,** }

**Immature,** *n.* 1. Unripe, crude, green, raw, unformed, unprepared, rudimental, imperfect, unfinished.

2. Premature, hasty, untimely, unseasonable, out of season.

**Immatureness,** } *n.* Unripeness, crudeness, crud
**Immaturity,** } ity, incompleteness, greenness, rawness.

**Immeasurable,** *a.* Illimitable, limitless, boundless, unbounded, measureless, immense, infinite.

**Immediate,** *a.* 1. Proximate, close, near, next.

2. Direct, without other agency, unmediated.

3. Instantaneous, instant, present.

**Immediately,** *ad.* 1. Closely, proximately.

2. Directly, without any intervention.

3. Instantly, forthwith, just now, without delay, this moment, directly, *instanter.*

**Immemorial,** *a.* Beyond memory, that cannot be remembered, olden, ancient, hoary, reaching back beyond tradition.

**Immense,** *a.* 1. Illimitable, boundless, unbounded, unlimited, interminable, measureless, infinite.

2. Vast, enormous, prodigious, stupendous

huge, gigantic, colossal, Cyclopean, Herculean, very great.

**Immensity,** *n.* 1. Infinity, infinitude, boundlessness, illimitableness.

2. Vastness, hugeness.

3. Infinite extension, boundless space, space.

**Immerge,** *v. a.* See IMMERSE.

**Immerge,** *v. n.* Plunge out of sight, disappear, enter within a bound. [Opposite of *Emerge.*]

**Immerse,** *v. a.* 1. Dip, plunge, immerge, submerge, overwhelm, sink, douse, souse, duck.

2. Involve, engage, absorb, sink.

**Immersion,** *n.* 1. Dipping, plunging, immersing.

2. Engagement, absorption.

3. (*Astron.*) Disappearance, occultation.

4. Baptism by dipping *or* immersion.

**Immersionist,** *n.* Baptist, believer in immersion.

**Immesh,** *v. a.* Entangle (*as in the meshes of a net*), ensnare.

**Immethodical,** *a.* Unsystematic, irregular, unmethodical, confused, desultory, disorderly.

**Immethodically,** *ad.* Irregularly, confusedly, unsystematically, in a desultory fashion, in a disorderly manner, pell-mell, helter-skelter.

**Imminent,** *a.* 1. Impending, threatening, impendent, near at hand.

2. Threatening harm, perilous, dangerous, alarming.

**Immitigable,** *a.* Not to be mitigated, that cannot be mitigated, unappeasable, that cannot be allayed *or* assuaged.

**Immobile,** *a.* 1. Fixed, motionless, steadfast, stable, inflexible, immovable.

2. Rigid, stiff, expressionless, without play of features, dull, stolid.

**Immobility,** *n.* 1. Unmovableness, immovableness, immovability, fixity, fixedness, movelessness, steadfastness, stability.

2. Inflexibility, rigidity, stiffness, lack of expression, lack of play in features, dulness, stolidity.

**Immoderate,** *a.* Inordinate, excessive, unreasonable, extravagant, exorbitant, intemperate.

**Immodest,** *a.* 1. Indelicate, indecorous, shameless, gross, coarse.

2. Bold, forward, brazen, impudent, destitute of proper reserve.

3. Impure, obscene, indecent, smutty, lewd, unchaste, filthy, coarse, gross, broad.

**Immodesty,** *n.* 1. Indelicacy, indecorum, grossness, coarseness, shamelessness, impudicity.

2. Boldness, forwardness, brass, impudence, want of proper reserve, impudicity.

3. Impurity, obscenity, lewdness, unchastity, smuttiness, indecency, impudicity.

**Immolate,** *v. a.* Sacrifice, offer up, offer in sacrifice, kill as a victim.

**Immolation,** *n.* 1. Sacrifice, sacrificing, act of sacrifice.

2. Sacrifice (*offered*).

**Immoral,** *a.* 1. [*Said of actions.*] Wrong, wicked, vicious, sinful, corrupt, loose.

2. [*Said of persons.*] Bad, wicked, unprincipled, depraved, loose in behavior, profligate, dissolute, vicious.

3. [*Said of habitual conduct.*] Loose, depraved, unprincipled, dissolute.

**Immorality,** *n.* 1. Wickedness, vice, sin, sinfulness, depravity, corruption, corruptness, demoralization, criminality, profligacy, want of principle.

2. Immoral action, sin, vice, wrong, wrong act.

**Immortal,** *a.* 1. Undying, deathless, ever-living, imperishable, incorruptible, unfading, indestructible, indissoluble, never-dying.

2. Eternal, everlasting, endless, perpetual, ceaseless, never-ending.

3. [*By hyperbole.*] Lasting, enduring, permanent, abiding, lasting through all time *or* as long as the world endures.

**Immortality,** *n.* 1. Exemption from death, deathlessness, indestructibility, incorruptibility, incorruption.

2. Perpetuity, unlimited existence, endless life, eternal continuance.

3. Perpetual fame, exemption from oblivion.

**Immortalize,** *v. a.* 1. Exempt from death, make immortal.

2. Perpetuate, make everlasting.

3. Perpetuate in memory, exempt from oblivion, make forever famous.

**Immortelle,** *n.* [Fr.] Cudweed, everlasting, goldylocks.

**Immovable,** *a.* 1. Fixed, firm, stable, not to be moved.

2. Steadfast, unshaken, unalterable, unchangeable.

3. (*Law.*) Real.

**Immunity,** *n.* 1. Freedom, exemption, release, exoneration.

2. Privilege, prerogative, right, liberty, charter, franchise.

**Immure,** *v. a.* 1. Confine, shut up.

2. Imprison, incarcerate.

**Immutability,** *n.* Unchangeableness, changelessness, invariableness, invariability, constancy, permanence, stability.

**Immutable,** *a.* Unchangeable, invariable, unalterable, undeviating, inflexible, constant, permanent, stable, fixed.

**Imp,** *n.* Sprite, hobgoblin, flibbertigibbet, little demon *or* devil, malignant spirit.

**Impact,** *n.* 1. Impulse, shock, impression, stroke.

2. Collision, impinging, contact, striking.

**Impact,** *v. a.* Pack together, pack close, press close together, drive firmly together.

**Impair,** *v. a.* 1. Deteriorate, injure, vitiate, make worse, harm.

2. Lessen, diminish, decrease, make less.

3. Weaken, enfeeble, enervate.

**Impale,** *v. a.* 1. Thrust upon a stake, kill by impaling.

2. Fence, surround with palings, enclose with palisades.

**Impalpable,** *a* 1. Intangible, very fine, delicate, attenuated, not palpable, not to be felt, not perceptible by the touch.

2. Imperceptible, shadowy, indistinct, inapprehensible, unsubstantial.

**Impanation,** *n.* Consubstantiation, Lutheran doctrine of the Eucharist.

**Imparadise,** *v. a.* Put in paradise, enrapture, raise to bliss, transport, enravish, ravish, exalt to supreme felicity.

**Impart,** *v. a.* 1. Give, grant, bestow. See CONFER.

2. Communicate, divulge, disclose, reveal, tell, make known.

**Impartial,** *a.* Unbiassed, unprejudiced, candid, disinterested, equitable, just, fair, honorable, even-handed.

**Impartiality,** *n.* Disinterestedness, candor, equitableness, justice, fairness, honor, honorableness, fair play.

**Impassable,** *a.* Impervious, impermeable, impenetrable, pathless, affording no passage, that cannot be travelled.

**Impassibility,** *n.* 1. Impassiveness, insensibility, impassivity, lack of feeling, indifference.

2. Incapability of suffering, insusceptibility to pain *or* grief, impassivity, impassiveness, sover-

eign omnipotence, unconditioned existence, self-activity.

**Impassible,** *a.* 1. Impassive, insensible, indifferent, insusceptible.

2. Incapable of suffering from external conditions, self-active, omnipotent, above pain *or* grief.

**Impassioned,** *a.* Passionate, vehement, impetuous, glowing, intense, excited, animated, fervid, fervent, zealous, warm, ardent.

**Impassive,** *a.* See IMPASSIBLE.

**Impatience,** *n.* 1. Disquietude, restlessness, uneasiness.

2. Vehemence, impetuosity, haste, eagerness, precipitation.

3. Lack of forbearance, want of patience, irritability, irritableness, heat, violence of temper.

**Impatient,** *a.* 1. Unquiet, uneasy, restless.

2. Hasty, precipitate, vehement, impetuous, eager.

3. Without forbearance, irritable, hot, violent, vehement, testy, fretful.

**Impawn,** *v. a.* Pawn, pledge, put in pawn.

**Impeach,** *v. a.* 1. Arraign, accuse, indict.

2. Arraign for malfeasance in office, accuse of maladministration.

3. Discredit, asperse, call in question, censure, denounce, disparage, criminate, impair, lessen.

**Impeccability,** *n.* Sinlessness, faultlessness, immaculateness, innocence, purity, incapability of wrong.

**Impeccable,** *a.* Sinless, faultless, immaculate, stainless, incapable of wrong.

**Impede,** *v. a.* Hinder, obstruct, stop, clog, check, retard, delay, interrupt, thwart, restrain, block, encumber.

**Impediment,** *n.* Hindrance, obstruction, obstacle, check, bar, difficulty, stumbling-block, encumbrance.

**Impel,** *v. a.* 1. Drive, push, urge, put in motion, press on, urge forward

2. Induce, move, persuade, influence, instigate, incite, actuate, stimulate, set on, stir up.

**Impend,** *v. n.* 1. Threaten, hang over, be imminent, be in store, stare one in the face.

2. Be near, draw near, approach, be at hand.

**Impendent,** *a.* Impending, threatening, imminent, near at hand.

**Impenetrable,** *a.* 1. Not to be penetrated, not to be pierced.

2. Dull, obtuse, senseless, insensible, indifferent, impassive, unsympathetic, stolid, cold.

3. Unfathomable, reticent, that keeps his own counsel, not to be found out.

**Impenitence,** } *n.* Obduracy hardness of heart,
**Impenitency,** } stubborn sinfulness, want of repentance, refusal to repent, lack of contrition.

**Impenitent,** *a.* Uncontrite, unrepentant, obdurate, hardened, seared, recusant, relentless, incorrigible, irreclaimable.

**Imperative,** *a.* 1. Commanding, authoritative, peremptory.

2. Binding, obligatory.

**Imperceptible,** *a.* 1. Invisible, undiscernible, not to be perceived.

2. Fine, minute, very small, impalpable.

**Imperfect,** *a.* 1. Defective, incomplete, faulty, not entire.

2. Weak, frail, erring.

**Imperfection,** *n.* 1. Defectiveness, faultiness, incompleteness, want of perfection.

2. Defect, lack, fault, blemish, stain.

3. Weakness, frailty, liability to err, limitation.

4. Weakness, frailty, foible, failing, vice.

**Imperial,** *a.* 1. Belonging *or* relating to an empire.

2. Kingly, regal, royal, sovereign.

3. Majestic, grand, exalted, magnificent, noble, great, regal, royal, kingly *or* queenly, supreme, sovereign, consummate.

**Imperious,** *a.* Dictatorial, magisterial, domineering, tyrannical, despotic, overbearing, lordly, haughty, arrogant.

**Imperishable,** *a.* Indestructible, everlasting, unfading, eternal, perennial, immortal, never-ending, incorruptible.

**Impermeable,** *a.* Impervious, impenetrable, impassable.

**Impersonate,** *v. a.* 1. Personate, take *or* act the part of, act, enact, imitate, ape, mimic, mock, take off.

2. Incarnate, personify, invest with personality.

**Impersonation,** *n.* 1. Incarnation, personification, bodily manifestation, investment with personality.

2. Impersonating, personating, enacting, representation, imitation, mimicking.

**Impertinence,** } *n.* 1. Irrelevance, irrelevancy.
**Impertinency,** }

2. Rudeness, intrusiveness, impudence, insolence, incivility, sauciness, forwardness, boldness, presumption, effrontery, pertness, assurance, face, front, brass, brazen face.

3. Impertinent action, piece of impertinence, piece of rudeness, etc.

**Impertinent,** *a.* 1. Irrelevant, inapposite, inapplicable, not to the point, not pertaining to the matter in hand, non-pertinent.

2. Intrusive, meddling, officious, insolent, rude, impudent, saucy, forward, pert, bold, malapert, unmannerly.

**Imperturbability,** *n.* Calmness, coolness, composure, collectedness, equanimity, placidity, self-possession, freedom from agitation.

**Imperturbable,** *a.* Calm, cool, composed, unmoved, undisturbed, tranquil, unruffled, collected, placid, inexcitable, sedate, not to be disturbed.

**Impervious,** *a.* Impermeable, impenetrable, impassable.

**Impetuosity,** *n.* Vehemence, violence, fury, precipitancy, precipitation, haste, headlong energy *or* force.

**Impetuous,** *a.* Vehement, violent, furious, fierce, passionate, precipitate, hasty, hot, over-zealous, headlong.

**Impetus,** *n.* Momentum, force, propulsive force.

**Impiety,** *n.* 1. Irreverence, ungodliness, irreligion, profanity.

2. Ungodliness, wickedness, unrighteousness, sin, sinfulness, iniquity, unholiness.

3. Act of impiety, sin, iniquity.

4. Unfilial character, lack of filial devotion.

**Impinge,** *v. n.* Strike, hit, fall against, strike against, dash against, clash upon, collide with.

**Impious,** *a.* Irreverent, ungodly, irreligious, blasphemous, wicked, sinful, unrighteous, unholy, iniquitous, profane.

**Implacability,** *n.* Vindictiveness, rancor, inexorableness, relentlessness, inappeasableness, mercilessness.

**Implacable,** *a.* Vindictive, inexorable, unrelenting, relentless, rancorous, unappeasable, inappeasable, merciless, pitiless.

**Implacableness,** *n.* See IMPLACABILITY.

**Implant,** *v. a.* 1. Ingraft, infix, set, put, place.

2. Instil, infuse, inculcate.

**Implement,** *n.* Instrument, tool, utensil.

**Implicate,** *v. a.* 1. Infold, entangle.

2. Involve, entangle, make participator, bring into connection with.

3. Prove to be concerned *or* participant in, show to be privy to *or* an abettor of.

**Implication,** *n.* 1. Involution, entanglement.

2. Tacit inference, necessary conclusion.

**Implicit,** *a.* I. Implied, inferred, understood, tacit.
2. Unreserved, unhesitating, firm, undoubting, steadfast, unshaken.
**Implicitly,** *ad.* I. Impliedly, virtually, tacitly, by inference, by implication.
2. Unreservedly, with unshaken confidence, without hesitation.
**Implore,** *v. a.* I. Entreat, supplicate, beseech, pray, pray to.
2. Crave, solicit, beg, pray for, petition for.
**Imply,** *v. a.* Involve (*as a consequence*), include (*by implication*), import, signify, mean.
**Impolicy,** *n.* Imprudence, indiscretion, folly, bad policy, ill-judgment, inexpediency.
**Impolite,** *a.* Uncivil, uncourteous, discourteous, unpolished, rude, ungentlemanly, rough, boorish, savage, bearish, unrefined.
**Impolitic,** *a.* Imprudent, injudicious, indiscreet, ill-advised, ill-judged, inexpedient.
**Imporous,** *a.* Close, compact, dense, solid, without pores.
**Import,** *v. a.* I. Bring into (*a country from abroad*).
2. Imply, denote, purport, signify, betoken, mean.
3. Concern, be of importance to, be of consequence to, be of interest to.
**Import,** *n.* I. Signification, meaning, purport, sense, drift, gist, spirit, bearing, tenor, intention.
2. Imported merchandise.
3. Importance, consequence, weight, moment, significance.
**Importance,** *n.* I. Consequence, weight, weightiness, moment, momentousness, significance, import, concern.
2. Self-importance, consequence, pomposity.
**Important,** *a.* I. Weighty, momentous, grave, serious, material, significant, of importance, of moment, of great weight.
2. Influential, prominent, of influence, of high standing *or* station.
3. Self-important, consequential, pompous.
**Importation,** *n.* I. Importing.
2. Import, merchandise imported.
**Importunate,** *a.* Urgent, pertinacious, pressing, teasing, busy, earnestly solicitous.
**Importune,** *v. a.* Press (*by entreaty*), urge (*by repeated requests*), beset, entreat, dun, solicit earnestly.
**Importunity,** *n.* Entreaty, urgency, insistence, pressing solicitation, persistent entreaty.
**Impose,** *v. a.* I. Put, lay, set, place.
2. Prescribe, enjoin, appoint.
3. Obtrude, palm, pass off.
**Impose on.** } Deceive, cheat, chouse, trick, be-
**Impose upon.** } fool, hoax, dupe, delude, circumvent, victimize, play upon, put upon.
**Imposing,** *a.* Grand, stately, august, majestic, impressive, noble, commanding.
**Imposition,** *n.* I. Imposing, putting, placing, laying.
2. Constraint, oppression, burden, charge, injunction, levy, tax.
3. Deception, fraud, trickery, artifice, cheating. See IMPOSTURE.
**Impossibility,** *n.* I. Impracticability, inconceivability, inability to be *or* occur *or* be done.
2. What cannot be, thing impossible.
**Impossible,** *a.* I. Impracticable, unfeasible, unattainable, unachievable, out of the question.
2. Inconceivable, unthinkable, that cannot be, incapable of occurring *or* of being so, absurd, self-contradictory.
**Impost,** *n.* Tax, duty, custom, excise, toll, tribute, rate.
**Imposthume,** *n.* Abscess, gathering, ulcer, fester, sore, pustule.
**Impostor,** *n.* Deceiver, pretender, cheat, rogue, trickster, tricker, knave, hypocrite, Pharisee, quack, charlatan, mountebank, double-dealer.
**Imposture,** *n.* Cheat, trick, deception, imposition, hoax, fraud, delusion, artifice, ruse, dodge, wile, deceit, stratagem, chouse, crafty device.
**Impotence,** *n.* I. Inability, disability, incapacity, incapability, incompetence, powerlessness, helplessness, inefficiency, weakness, feebleness, imbecility, infirmity, frailty.
2. Lack of procreative power.
**Impotent,** *a.* I. Powerless, unable, incapable, incompetent, disabled, incapacitated, imbecile, weak, feeble, infirm, frail, inefficient.
2. Unable to procreate, incapable of begetting offspring.
**Impound,** *v. a.* I. Put into a pound.
2. Confine, encage, imprison, shut up, coop up.
**Impoverish,** *v. a.* I. Make poor, bring to want, reduce to poverty, reduce to indigence.
2. Exhaust the fertility of, make sterile, render barren *or* unfertile.
**Impracticability,** *n.* Impossibility, infeasibility, impracticableness.
**Impracticable,** *a.* I. Impossible, unfeasible, not practicable.
2. Hard to deal with, hard to get along with, obstinate, recalcitrant, unmanageable, untractable, stubborn, thorny.
3. Impassable (*as a road*)
**Impracticableness,** *n.* Impracticability.
**Imprecate,** *v. a.* I. Invoke (*a curse* or *some evil*), call down.
2. Curse, maledict, execrate, anathematize.
**Imprecation,** *n.* I. Invocation (*of evil*).
2. Curse, malediction, execration, denunciation, anathema.
**Imprecatory,** *a.* Maledictory, execrating, cursing, conveying curses.
**Impregn,** *v. a.* (*Poetical.*) See IMPREGNATE.
**Impregnable,** *a.* I. Unassailable, inexpugnable, not to be taken by assault, not to be stormed, secure from capture, tenable against all odds.
2. Unassailable, invulnerable, invincible, immovable, not to be shaken, irrefragable.
**Impregnate,** *v. a.* I. Fecundate, make pregnant, get with child, get with young, cause to conceive.
2. Imbue, infuse, saturate, fill, tincture.
3. (*Bot.*) Fertilize, make prolific.
**Impregnation,** *n.* I. Fecundation, fertilization, getting with young, causing to conceive.
2. Infusion, saturation, tincture.
**Impress,** *v. a.* I. Stamp, print, imprint, mark by pressure.
2. Affect, strike, move.
3. Inculcate, fix deeply.
4. Press, force into public service.
**Impress,** *n.* I. Print, imprint, stamp, impression, mark, seal.
2. Device (*as upon a seal*), motto, cognizance, symbol, emblem.
**Impressibility,** *n.* I. Susceptibility to impression.
2. Sensitiveness, sensibility, susceptibility.
**Impressible,** *a.* I. Susceptible of impression, capable of an imprint, that can be indented.
2. Sensitive, susceptible, easily affected.
**Impression,** *n.* I. Printing, imprinting, stamping.
2. Mark, stamp, impress, brand.
3. Sensation, influence, effect.
4. Notion, opinion, idea, fancy, indistinct recollection.

5. Edition (*of a book*), number (*of copies*) printed at once.

**Impressive,** *a.* Affecting, touching, moving, stirring, powerful, striking, overpowering.

**Imprimatur,** *n.* [L.] License to print.

**Imprimis,** *ad.* [L.] In the first place, first of all, first in order, first.

**Imprint,** *v. a.* I. Print, stamp, mark by pressure.
2. Impress, inculcate, fix deeply.

**Imprison,** *v. a.* Incarcerate, immure, confine, commit, shut up, put in duress *or* durance, place in confinement.

**Imprisonment,** *n.* Incarceration, confinement, commitment, restraint, constraint, duress, durance.

**Improbability,** *n.* Unlikelihood.

**Improbable,** *a.* Unlikely, not probable.

**Improbity,** *n.* Dishonesty, unfairness, knavery, faithlessness, bad faith, fraud, fraudulence, want of probity, lack of integrity.

**Impromptu,** *a.* Extempore, unpremeditated, off-hand, improvised.

**Impromptu,** *ad.* Extempore, off-hand, without premeditation.

**Impromptu,** *n.* Improvisation, extemporaneous effusion.

**Improper,** *a.* I. Unsuitable, unsuited, unfit, unapt, inapposite, inappropriate, unadapted, not proper.
2. Unseemly, unbecoming, indecent, indecorous.
3. Inaccurate, incorrect, erroneous, wrong.

**Impropriety,** *n.* I. Unsuitableness, unfitness, inappositeness, inappropriateness.
2. Unseemliness, indecorum, indecorousness.
3. Inaccuracy, incorrectness.

**Improve,** *v. a.* I. Amend, mend, better, meliorate, ameliorate, make better, rectify.
2. Use, make use of, turn to account, avail one's self of.
3. Make a good use of, turn to good account, employ advantageously, make productive.

**Improve,** *v. n.* I. Mend, gain, become better, get better, get on, gain ground, pick up.
2. Make progress, take a step forward.
3. (*Com.*) Increase, rise, be enhanced.

**Improvement,** *n.* I. Improving, amending, meliorating, melioration, ameliorating, amelioration, bettering.
2. Amendment, melioration, amelioration, betterment, progress, proficiency, advancement.
3. Good use, beneficial employment.

**Improve on.** Make better, make improvement in, bring nearer to perfection.

**Improvidence,** *n.* Thriftlessness, unthrift, unthriftiness, imprudence, want of forethought, carelessness of the future, neglect of preparation.

**Improvident,** *a.* Thriftless, unthrifty, imprudent, prodigal, wasteful, without forecast, without foresight, careless of the future.

**Improvisate,** *v. a.* and *v. n.* Improvise, poetize extempore.

**Improvisation,** *n.* I. Improvising.
2. Impromptu.

**Improvise,** *v. a.* and *v. n.* Improvisate, compose *or* poetize extempore.

**Imprudence,** *n.* I. Indiscretion, rashness, inconsiderateness, incaution, incautiousness, carelessness, heedlessness.
2. Improvidence (*which see*).

**Imprudent,** *a.* I. Indiscreet, inconsiderate, incautious, injudicious, unadvised, ill-advised, ill-judged, rash, careless, heedless.
2. Improvident (*which see*).

**Impudence,** *n.* Insolence, assurance, presumption, boldness, shamelessness, effrontery, rudeness, impertinence, sauciness, pertness, flippancy, brass, front, face.

**Impudent,** *a.* Insolent, insulting, presumptuous, bold, shameless, impertinent, rude, saucy, pert, flippant, cool (*colloq.*), brazen, forward, bold-faced, brazen-faced.

**Impudicity,** *n.* See IMMODESTY.

**Impugn,** *v. a.* Attack (*by words* or *arguments*), assail, oppose, resist, contradict, gainsay, call in question.

**Impulse,** *n.* I. Thrust, push, impetus, impelling force.
2. Passion, instinct, appetite, inclination, proclivity.
3. Incitement, instigation, motive, influence, sudden thought *or* feeling.

**Impulsive,** *a.* I. Impelling, moving, propulsive.
2. Passionate, rash, quick, hot, hasty.

**Impunity,** *n.* I. Exemption from punishment.
2. Exemption from injury.

**Impure,** *a.* I. Foul, unclean, dirty, filthy, feculent, defiled, polluted.
2. Unchaste, unclean, lewd, loose, gross, coarse, indelicate, immodest, smutty, obscene, indecent, ribald, bawdy.
3. Mixed, adulterated, admixed with foreign matter *or* elements.

**Impurity,** *n.* I. Foulness, uncleanness, feculence, defilement, pollution.
2. Unchastity, lewdness, looseness, grossness, coarseness, indelicacy, immodesty, impudicity, smuttiness, obscenity, indecency, ribaldry.
3. Admixture with foreign matter, adulterated condition.

**Imputable,** *a.* Attributable, referrible *or* referable, chargeable, traceable, owing, to be imputed, to be charged, to be attributed.

**Imputation,** *n.* I. Imputing, attributing, charging.
2. Charge, accusation, censure, reproach, blame.

**Impute,** *v. a.* Ascribe (*especially to some evil cause*), attribute, refer, charge, consider as due.

**Inability,** *n.* I. Want of ability (*to*), lack of power, being unable.
2. Incapacity, incapability, impotence, incompetence, incompetency, inefficiency, want of power, want of capacity.
3. Disability, disqualification.

**In a box.** In a perplexity, in a difficulty, in a dilemma, in an embarrassing position, in an awkward predicament, in a bad fix.

**Inaccessible,** *a.* I. Unapproachable, not to be reached.
2. Unattainable.

**Inaccuracy,** *n.* I. Incorrectness, impropriety erroneousness, inexactness.
2. Mistake, error, blunder.

**Inaccurate,** *a.* Incorrect, inexact, erroneous, improper.

**Inaction,** *n.* See INACTIVITY.

**Inactive,** *a.* I. Inert, destitute of activity, without inherent energy.
2. Inert, inoperative, not in action, not in force.
3. Inert, lazy, indolent, idle, slothful, supine, torpid, sluggish, dronish, lumpish, passive, Fabian, dilatory.

**Inactivity,** *n.* Inaction, inertness, laziness, indolence, idleness, sloth, supineness, torpor, torpidity, sluggishness, dilatoriness, Fabian policy.

**Inadequacy,** *n.* I. Insufficiency, inadequateness.
2. Incompleteness, defectiveness, imperfection.

**Inadequate,** *a.* I. Insufficient, unequal, disproportionate.
2. Incomplete, defective, imperfect.

**Inadequateness,** *n.* See INADEQUACY.

**Inadmissible,** *a.* Not to be admitted, not to be allowed.

**In advance.** 1. Before, in front, ahead, at the head.
2. Beforehand.
3. To be credited for money advanced.

**Inadvertence,** } *n.* 1. Inattention, inconsiderate-
**Inadvertency,** } ness, carelessness, thoughtlessness, heedlessness, negligence.
2. Oversight, slip, blunder, error from inattention.

**Inadvertent,** *a.* Inattentive, thoughtless, careless, heedless, inconsiderate, unobservant, negligent.

**Inadvertently,** *ad.* 1. Thoughtlessly, inconsiderately, carelessly, heedlessly, negligently, in an unguarded moment.
2. By inattention, without thinking, without intention, unintentionally, by accident, by a slip.

**Inalienable,** *a.* Not to be alienated, not transferable.

**Inane,** *a.* 1. Empty, void.
2. Vain, frivolous, trifling, puerile, worthless, empty.

**Inane,** *n.* [With *The* prefixed.] Void, vacuity, vacuum, empty space.

**Inanimate,** *a.* 1. Destitute of life, inorganic, mineral.
2. Deprived of life, dead, breathless, extinct.
3. Lifeless, dead, inert, soulless, spiritless.

**Inanition,** *n.* 1. Emptiness, vacuity, inanity.
2. Exhaustion from hunger, innutrition.

**Inanity,** *n.* 1. Emptiness, vacuity, inanition.
2. Vanity, frivolousness, puerility, folly, worthlessness.

**In an under tone.** Softly, with bated breath, in a low voice, in a low tone, *sotto voce.*

**In a nut-shell.** In a small compass, *in nuce.*

**Inapplicability,** *n.* Unfitness, unsuitableness, inaptness, inaptitude.

**Inapplicable,** *a.* Unfit, unsuitable, irrelevant, inapt. See INAPPOSITE.

**Inapposite,** *a.* 1. Irrelevant, inapplicable, impertinent, non-pertinent, out of place, not to the purpose *or* point.
2. Unfit, unsuitable, inappropriate, out of keeping, out of place.

**Inappreciable,** *a.* Not appreciable, not to be appreciated, imperceptible, impalpable, trifling, very little, very small.

**Inappropriate,** *a.* Unfit, unsuited, unsuitable, unadapted, unbecoming, inapposite, out of character, out of keeping, out of place, in bad taste.

**Inapt,** *a.* 1. Unfit, unsuitable, unapt. See INAPPOSITE.
2. Unapt, dull, slow, stupid, stolid, clumsy.

**Inaptitude,** } *n.* Unfitness, unsuitableness, inap-
**Inaptness,** } propriateness, inapplicability.

**Inarticulate,** *a.* 1. Indistinct.
2. (*Zoöl.*) Inarticulated, not jointed.

**Inarticulated,** *a.* (*Zoöl.*) Inarticulate, not jointed.

**Inartificial,** *a.* 1. Natural, not made by art.
2. Artless, ingenuous, guileless, sincere, simple, simple-minded, single-minded, *naïve.*

**Inasmuch as.** Since, seeing that, considering that.

**Inattention,** *n.* 1. Want of attention, wandering of attention, wandering of mind.
2. Inadvertence, heedlessness, thoughtlessness, inconsiderateness, carelessness, neglect, absence of mind.

**Inattentive,** *a.* 1. Lacking in attention, wandering, not attentive.
2. Unobservant, unobserving, unmindful, inadvertent, heedless, thoughtless, regardless, careless, negligent, remiss, unwatchful, inconsiderate, absent, absent-minded, caught napping.

**Inaudible,** *a.* 1. Not audible, not to be heard too low to be heard.
2. Still, silent, mute, noiseless.

**Inaugurate,** *v. a.* 1. Install, invest with an office, introduce into an office, induct into office.
2. Celebrate the institution of, introduce with fitting ceremonies.
3. Commence, begin, set in action, set going, initiate, originate.

**Inauguration,** *n.* 1. Investiture, installation, ceremony of induction *or* of consecration.
2. Ceremony of institution, ceremony of initiation.
3. Commencement, beginning, institution, initiation, origination, formal opening.

**Inauspicious,** *a.* Unpropitious, unfavorable, unlucky, unfortunate, untoward, unpromising, ill-omened.

**In bad odor.** In disgrace, out of favor, in disrepute.

**In black and white.** In writing (*or* in print), set down distinctly.

**Inborn,** *a.* Innate, inherent, inbred, natural, instinctive, congenital, ingrained, in the grain, bred in the bone, implanted by nature.

**In brief.** Concisely, briefly, in short, in a few words.

**In bulk.** 1. In a mass, in an entire state.
2. Loose in the hold, not in packages.

**Incage,** *v. a.* [Written also *Encage.*] 1. Put into a cage.
2. Confine, impound, imprison, shut up, coop up.

**Incalculable,** *a.* Not to be calculated, not to be reckoned, beyond calculation, enormous, immense, innumerable, beyond computation.

**Incalescence,** } *n.* Calefaction, warmth, incipient
**Incalescency,** } heat.

**Incandescence,** *n.* White heat, glowing whiteness.

**Incandescent,** *a.* White-hot, glowing white.

**Incantation,** *n.* Conjuration, sorcery, charm, spell, enchantment, magic, necromancy, witchery, witchcraft.

**Incapability,** *n.* Incapacity, inability, disability, incompetence

**Incapable of.** 1. Without capacity for, unable to, incompetent for, not capable of, disqualified for.
2. Not susceptible of, not admitting of.
3. Not base enough for, too good *or* great for, utterly above.

**Incapacious,** *a.* Narrow, scant, of small capacity, not ample, not capacious.

**Incapacitate,** *v. a.* 1. Disable, make incapable.
2. Disqualify, unfit, make unfit.

**Incapacity,** *n.* 1. Inability, incapability, disability, incompetency.
2. Disqualification, unfitness.

**Incarcerate,** *v. a.* Imprison, put in prison, place in confinement, put in duress, place in durance, immure, confine, commit, send to jail.

**Incarceration,** *n.* Imprisonment, immuring, jailing, putting in duress, durance, *or* jail, confinement, commitment.

**Incarnate,** *v. a.* Clothe with flesh, embody in flesh.

**Incarnation,** *n.* 1. Incarnating.
2. Hypostatic union.
3. Impersonation, personification, exemplification, bodily manifestation.

**Incautious,** *a.* 1. Unwary, indiscreet, uncircumspect, imprudent, impolitic.
2. Inconsiderate, thoughtless, careless, heedless, negligent, neglectful, headlong, reckless.

**Incendiary,** *a.* Inflammatory, seditious, factious.

**Incendiary,** *n.* 1. Burner of buildings.

2. Firebrand, political agitator.

**Incense,** *v. a.* Enrage, exasperate, inflame, irritate, provoke, anger, chafe, heat, excite, make angry.

**Incense,** *n.* 1. Perfume (*exhaled by a burning substance*).

2. Admiration, applause, laudation, adulation.

**Incentive,** *n.* Incitement, inducement, stimulus, impulse, spur, provocative, goad, motive, cause, encouragement.

**Inception,** *n.* Beginning, commencement, inauguration.

**Inceptive,** *a.* Inchoative, that denotes a beginning.

**Incertitude,** *n.* Uncertainty, doubtfulness, ambiguity.

**Incessant,** *a.* Ceaseless, unceasing, uninterrupted, unremitting, continual, perpetual, constant, eternal (*colloq.*), everlasting (*colloq.*).

**Inch,** *n.* Twelfth part of a foot.

**Inchoate,** *a.* Beginning, commencing, incipient.

**Inchoative,** *a.* Inceptive, that denotes a beginning.

**Incident,** *a.* 1. Happening, liable to happen.

2. Belonging, pertaining, appertaining, relating, natural, naturally liable to befall.

3. (*Optics.*) Falling, impinging.

**Incident,** *n.* Event, occurrence, circumstance.

**Incidental,** *a.* 1. Accidental, casual, fortuitous, contingent.

2. Occasional, adventitious, extraneous, non-essential.

**Incinerate,** *v. a.* Burn to ashes, reduce to ashes.

**Incipience,** } **Incipiency,** } *n.* Beginning, commencement.

**Incipient,** *a.* Beginning, commencing, inchoate.

**Incised,** *a.* 1. Cut, gashed.

2. Cut, carved, graved, engraved, graven.

**Incision,** *n.* Cut, gash.

**Incisive,** *a.* 1. Cutting.

2. Sharp, acute, sarcastic, satirical, severe, biting.

3. Sharp-cut, clear, distinct, trenchant, penetrating, acute, going straight to the heart of the matter.

**Incisor,** *n.* Cutting tooth.

**Incite,** *v. a.* Rouse (*to action*), arouse, animate, provoke, stimulate, impel, prompt, urge, encourage, spur, goad, excite, set on, spur on, stir up, work up.

**Incitement,** *n.* Inducement, stimulus, impulse, spur, provocative, incentive, motive, encouragement, goad.

**Incivility,** *n.* 1. Discourtesy, discourteousness, rudeness, impoliteness, uncourteousness, uncourtliness, inurbanity, unmannerliness, disrespect, ill-breeding, ill manners.

2. Act of rudeness, discourtesy, piece of ill-breeding.

**Inclemency,** *n.* 1. Severity, rigor, harshness, boisterousness, storminess, tempestuousness, roughness.

2. Want of clemency, harshness, unmercifulness, severity.

**Inclement,** *a.* 1. Severe, rigorous, harsh, boisterous, stormy, rough, not mild.

2. Unmerciful, harsh, severe, destitute of clemency.

**Inclination,** *n.* 1. Inclining, leaning, slope, slant.

2. Trending, verging, oblique direction.

3. Disposition, predilection, predisposition, bent, bias, proneness, proclivity, tendency, leaning, aptitude, propensity, *penchant*.

4. Desire, wish, partiality, fondness, liking.

**Incline,** *v. n.* 1. Lean, slope, slant.

2. Trend, verge, tend obliquely.

3. Be disposed, have a disposition, have a desire, feel a propensity.

4. Tend, go naturally, tend by nature, have a propensity, proclivity, leaning, bent, bias, *or* predisposition.

**Incline,** *v. a.* 1. Give a direction toward.

2. Dispose, predispose, turn, bias.

3. Bend, bow.

**Inclose,** *v. a.* [Written also *Enclose.*] 1. Encircle, surround, encompass, imbosom, circumscribe, shut in, fence in.

2. Cover, envelop, wrap.

**Include,** *v. a.* 1. (*Rare.*) Hold, contain.

2. Comprise, comprehend, contain, embrace, embody, take in.

**Inclusive,** *a.* 1. Inclosing, encircling.

2. Including both, both being included.

**Inclusive of.** Comprehending, embracing, taking in, including.

**Incog,** *a.* and *ad.* (*Colloq.*) See INCOGNITO.

**Incogitable,** *a.* Unthinkable, unintelligible, incapable of being made coherent.

**Incognito,** *a.* and *ad.* [It.] Unknown (*in one's true character*), disguised, in disguise, in an assumed character.

**Incognito,** *n.* 1. Disguised person, person under an assumed name.

2. Concealment, disguise, state of concealment.

**Incognizable,** *a.* Indistinguishable, unnoticeable, unobservable, incognoscible.

**Incoherence,** } **Incoherency,** } *n.* 1. Looseness (*of parts*), want of cohesion.

2. Incongruity, inconsistency, inconsequence, want of connection, want of agreement.

**Incoherent,** *a.* 1. Loose, detached, non-adhesive, non-cohesive.

2. Incongruous, inconsistent, inconsequential, without connection, disconnected.

3. Unintelligible, irrational, confused, wild, rambling.

**Incombustible,** *a.* Not to be burned, that will not burn, indestructible by fire.

**Income,** *n.* Revenue, profits, gains.

**Incommensurable,** *a.* Without a common measure.

**Incommensurate,** *a.* 1. Disproportionate.

2. Inadequate, insufficient, unequal.

**Incommode,** *v. a.* Disturb, annoy, trouble, discommode, inconvenience, put to inconvenience.

**Incommodious,** *a.* 1. Inconvenient, cumbersome, cumbrous, unhandy, awkward, unwieldy, unsuitable, not affording convenience, unmanageable.

2. Disadvantageous, troublesome, annoying, vexatious, harassing, irritating, provoking.

**Incommunicable,** *a.* Not to be communicated, that cannot be communicated *or* imparted.

**Incommunicative,** *a.* Reserved, unsociable, unsocial.

**Incomparable,** *a.* Transcendent, peerless, matchless, unrivalled, unequalled, unparalleled, inimitable, surpassing.

**Incompatibility,** *n.* Inconsistency, incongruity, unsuitableness, want of agreement, want of adaptation, contrariety, contradictoriness, irreconcilable opposition.

**Incompatible,** *a.* Inconsistent, incongruous, unsuitable, unadapted, contradictory, irreconcilable, incapable of agreement *or* coexistence.

**Incompetence,** } **Incompetency,** } *n.* 1. Incapacity, inability.

2. Insufficiency, inadequacy.

3. Disqualification, unfitness.

**Incompetent,** *a.* 1. Unable, incapable, not competent.

2. Insufficient, inadequate.

3. Disqualified, incapacitated, unfit, unfitted.

**Incomplete,** *a.* I. Defective, deficient, imperfect, partial.
2. Unfinished, uncompleted, unaccomplished, unexecuted, not completed, left undone.
**Incomposite,** *a.* I. Uncompounded, unmixed, simple.
2. (*Arith.*) Prime.
**Incomprehensibility,** *n.* I. Inconceivableness, incomprehensibleness, inexhaustibleness, unfathomableness, unimaginable character.
2. Unthinkableness, incogitability, unintelligibility, inability to be understood.
**Incomprehensible,** *a.* I. Inconceivable, unimaginable, not to be comprehended, past finding out, unfathomable, inexhaustible.
2. Inconceivable, unthinkable, incogitable, unintelligible, incapable of being made coherent.
**Incomprehensibleness,** *n.* Inconceivableness, See INCOMPREHENSIBILITY.
**Incompressibility,** *n.* Incompressibleness.
**Incompressible,** *a.* Not to be compressed, not compressible.
**Incompressibleness,** *n.* Incompressibility.
**Incomputable,** *a.* Not to be computed, that cannot be computed, incalculable, past calculation, beyond estimate, enormous, immense, prodigious, innumerable.
**Inconceivable,** *a.* I. Unimaginable.
2. Unthinkable. See INCOMPREHENSIBLE.
**Inconceivableness,** *n.* Incomprehensibleness, incomprehensibility (*which see*).
**Inconclusive,** *a.* Unconvincing, indecisive, not conclusive.
**Incongruity,** *n.* Unsuitableness, inconsistency, unfitness, inappropriateness, discrepancy, incompatibility, incoherence, absurdity, contrariety, contradiction, contradictoriness.
**Incongruous,** *a.* Inconsistent, unfit, inappropriate, incompatible, incoherent, discrepant, absurd, unsuitable, contrary, contradictory.
**In conscience.** I. Conscientiously, in justice, in honesty, in fairness.
2. Truthfully, sincerely, in sincerity, in truth.
**Inconsequence,** *n.* Inconclusiveness, illogicalness, inconsistency, disconnection.
**Inconsiderable,** *a.* Unimportant, insignificant, small, slight, trivial, trifling, petty, immaterial, of no consequence, of no moment.
**Inconsiderate,** *a.* I. Unthoughtful, uncharitable, intolerant, lacking in calmness and candor.
2. Thoughtless, careless, heedless, inattentive, inadvertent, negligent, imprudent, indiscreet, rash, hasty, giddy, headlong, hare-brained, giddy-brained, light-headed.
**Inconsistency,** *n.* I. Incongruity, incompatibility, unsuitableness, incoherence.
2. Contrariety, contradiction.
3. Unsteadiness, vacillation, changeableness, inconstancy, lack of steadfast and consistent character, lack of stability, instability.
**Inconsistent,** *a.* I. Incongruous, incompatible, unsuitable, incoherent, irreconcilable, discrepant.
2. Contrary, contradictory.
3. Unstable, unsteady, changeable, variable, vacillating. See INCONSTANT.
**Inconsolable,** *a.* Disconsolate, woe-begone, comfortless, heart-broken, broken-hearted, forlorn, crushed, hopeless.
**Inconstancy,** *n.* I. Changeableness, fickleness, vacillation, wavering, unsteadiness.
2. Unstableness, instability, mutability, variableness.
**Inconstant,** *a.* [*Said of persons.*] I. Changeable, mutable, variable, unsettled, fickle, capricious, vacillating, wavering, unsteady, volatile, mercurial, like a weathercock.
2. [*Said of things.*] Unstable, mutable, variable, unsettled, uncertain.
**Incontestable,** *a.* Indisputable, incontrovertible, unquestionable, undeniable, indubitable, irrefragable, certain, not to be disputed, beyond all question, beyond a doubt, past dispute.
**Incontinence,** *n.* I. Non-retention, inability to retain.
2. Lewdness, lasciviousness, indulgence of lust.
**Incontinent,** *a.* Lewd, lustful, lascivious, unchaste.
**Incontrovertible,** *a.* Indisputable, unquestionable. See INCONTESTABLE.
**Inconvenience,** *n.* I. Annoyance, vexation, molestation, disturbance, trouble, disadvantage.
2. Awkwardness, cumbersomeness, unwieldiness, incommodiousness.
3. Unfitness, unsuitableness, unseasonableness.
**Inconvenient,** *a.* I. Troublesome, annoying, vexatious, disadvantageous
2. Cumbersome, cumbrous, unwieldy, awkward, unmanageable, unhandy, incommodious.
3. Unfit, unsuitable, unseasonable, inopportune, untimely.
**Inconvertibility,** *n.* I. Unchangeableness, inconvertibleness.
2. Unexchangeableness for coin.
3. (*Log.*) Irreversibleness, inability to be converted.
**Inconvertible,** *a.* I. Unchangeable, not transmutable, not convertible.
2. Not exchangeable for coin.
3. (*Log.*) Not convertible, not to be inverted.
**Inconvertibleness,** *n.* See INCONVERTIBILITY.
**Incorporate,** *v. a.* I. Unite, combine, mix, blend, merge, consolidate, form into one body.
2. Form into a corporation, form into a body politic.
3. Incarnate, embody.
**Incorporate,** *a.* I. Incorporeal, immaterial, supernatural, spiritual.
2. Non-corporate, not incorporated.
3. Intimately united, consolidated, blended, merged.
**Incorporation,** *n.* I. Combination, union, blending, mixture, intimate union, consolidation.
2. Association (*as a body politic*).
**Incorporeal,** *a.* Immaterial, spiritual, bodiless, supernatural, incorporate.
**Incorporeity,** *n.* Spirituality, immaterialness, immateriality.
**Incorrect,** *a.* I. Inexact, inaccurate, erroneous, false, untrue.
2. Ungrammatical, faulty.
**Incorrectness,** *n.* Inaccuracy, inexactness, error, mistake.
**Incorrigible,** *a.* I. Irremediable, remediless, irreparable, irretrievable, irreversible, irremediable, irrecoverable, helpless, hopeless, incurable, past cure, past mending, beyond help.
2. Obdurate, hardened, lost, shameless, graceless, recreant, irreclaimable, reprobate.
**Incorruptibility,** *n.* I. Imperishableness, incorruptibleness, incorruption, indestructibility, immortality, deathlessness, perpetuity of being.
2. Superiority to corruption, unpurchasableness, inflexible honesty, incorruptible integrity.
**Incorruptible,** *a.* I. Imperishable, incapable of decay, indestructible, immortal, undying, deathless, everlasting.
2. Of inflexible honesty, not to be bribed.
**Incorruptibleness,** *n.* See INCORRUPTIBILITY.
**Incorruption,** *n.* See INCORRUPTIBILITY, I.
**Increase,** *v. n.* I. Grow, augment, enlarge, greaten, be augmented, become greater *or* larger.
2. Multiply, be fruitful.

**Increase,** *v. a.* I. Augment, enlarge, greaten, make greater, make larger.
2. Enhance, raise, advance, heighten, add to.
3. Extend, prolong.
4. Aggravate, intensify.

**Increase,** *n.* I. Augmentation, enlargement, extension, expansion, growth, addition, accession, increment.
2. Product, produce, gain, profit.
3. Offspring, issue, progeny, descendants.

**Incredible,** *a.* Impossible to believe, inadmissible, beyond belief.

**Incredulity,** *n.* Incredulousness, distrust, scepticism, want of belief, indisposition to believe.

**Incredulous,** *a.* Unbelieving, sceptical, disposed to doubt, indisposed to believe.

**Increment,** *n.* Augmentation, addition, increase, enlargement.

**Incriminate,** *v. a.* I. Accuse, impeach, charge, inculpate, blame, criminate.
2. Criminate, involve in guilt, make out guilty.

**Incrust,** *v. a.* Cover with a crust, coat over.

**Incrustation,** *n.* I. Incrusting.
2. Crust, coating.

**Incubate,** *v. n.* Brood.

**Incubus,** *n.* I. Nightmare.
2. Demon of nightmare, nightmare-fiend.
3. Encumbrance, clog, impediment, oppression, load, burden, hindrance, drag weight, dead weight.

**Inculcate,** *v. a.* Impress, enforce, instil, infuse, infix, ingraft, implant.

**Inculcation,** *n.* Enforcement, etc.

**Inculpable,** *a.* Unblamable, irreprehensible, irreprovable, irreproachable, blameless, faultless, sinless, innocent.

**Inculpate,** *v. a.* Accuse, charge, impeach, criminate, incriminate, blame, censure, impute guilt to, involve in guilt.

**Inculpation,** *n.* Crimination, incrimination, blame, charge, impeachment, censure.

**Inculpatory,** *a.* Incriminating, criminatory, tending to criminate *or* inculpate, tending to establish guilt, involving in guilt.

**Incumbent,** *a.* I. Obligatory, binding, devolving, devolved, laid.
2. Leaning, reclining, bearing down, pressing down, resting, weighing down, prone.

**Incumbent,** *n.* Holder, occupant (*of a benefice* or *office*).

**Incumbrance,** *n.* [Written also *Encumbrance.*]
1. Load, burden, clog, impediment, incubus, hindrance, dead weight, drag weight.
2. Debt, claim, liability.

**Incur,** *v. a.* I. Contract, become liable to *or* for, become subject to.
2. Bring on.

**Incurable,** *a.* I. Immedicable, irremedicable, cureless, remediless, hopeless, irrecoverable, past cure, beyond recovery, beyond medical skill, beyond the help of medicine, beyond the reach of the physician's art.
2. Irremediable, irretrievable, remediless, irreparable, hopeless, helpless, past mending, not to be got rid of, that cannot be avoided, incorrigible.

**Incurious,** *a.* Uninquisitive, inattentive, unobservant, careless, heedless, indifferent, uninterested, destitute of curiosity.

**Incursion,** *n.* Inroad, irruption, foray, raid, descent, partial invasion.

**Incursive,** *a.* Hostile, aggressive, raiding, predatory.

**Incurvate,** *v. a.* Bend, bow, crook, curve, make crooked.

**Incurvate,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Hooked, curved, bowed, crooked, aduncous, arcuate.

**Indebted,** *a.* I. Owing, in debt.
2. Obliged, beholden, under obligation.

**Indecency,** *n.* I. Indecorum, impropriety, unseemliness, offensiveness, outrageousness.
2. Indelicacy, coarseness, grossness, immodesty, impurity, obscenity, foulness, filthiness, vileness.

**Indecent,** *a.* I. Indecorous, improper, unbecoming, unseemly, offensive, outrageous.
2. Indelicate, coarse, gross, immodest, impure, obscene, filthy, unchaste, lewd.

**Indeciduous,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Evergreen, not deciduous.

**Indecipherable,** *a.* I. Illegible, unreadable, undecipherable.
2. Impossible to make out, inexplicable, unintelligible, undiscoverable, hopelessly obscure, incapable of interpretation, undecipherable.

**Indecision,** *n.* Irresolution, vacillation, hesitation, unsteadiness, inconstancy, changeableness, fickleness.

**Indecisive,** *a.* I. Inconclusive, not decisive.
2. Unsettled, wavering, vacillating, irresolute, hesitating, undecided.

**Indeclinable,** *a.* Undeclinable, uninflected, without declension, without case-endings.

**Indecorous,** *a.* Unbecoming, improper, unseemly, gross, rude, coarse, indecent, uncivil, impolite.

**Indecorousness,** *n.* See INDECORUM.

**Indecorum,** *n.* I. Indecorousness, indecency, impropriety, grossness, rudeness, incivility, impoliteness, violation of propriety, ill-breeding, ill manners, want of decorum, impropriety of behavior.
2. Act of indecorum, breach of decorum, breach of propriety, violation of propriety, unseemly act.

**Indeed,** *ad.* I. Truly, really, veritably, verily, positively, absolutely, certainly, in fact, in truth, in reality.
2. Strictly, strictly speaking, to tell the truth, in point of fact, in fact, in fine, as a matter of fact.

**Indeed,** *interj.* Really, is it so, you don't say so, who'd have thought it, is it possible, Heaven save the mark.

**Indefatigable,** *a.* Unwearied, untiring, unflagging, persevering, persistent, sedulous, assiduous, unremitting, never-tiring.

**Indefeasible,** *a.* Irreversible, unalterable, irrevocable, immutable, that cannot be defeated *or* thwarted, that cannot be abrogated, that cannot be made void.

**Indefensible,** *a.* I. Untenable, that cannot be defended.
2. Inexcusable, unjustifiable, unwarrantable, censurable, faulty, wrong.

**Indefinite,** *a.* I. Indeterminate, undefined, undetermined, indistinct, confused.
2. Vague, obscure, doubtful, uncertain, equivocal, unsettled, unfixed, loose.

**Indelible,** *a.* Ineffaceable, ingrained, not to be blotted out.

**Indelicacy,** *n.* I. Want of delicacy, lack of refined feeling, rudeness, intrusiveness, want of regard for the delicacy of others.
2. Indecorum, unseemliness, impropriety, offensiveness, coarseness, grossness, vulgarity.
3. Immodesty, indecency, lewdness, unchastity (*of expression*), foulness, obscenity, coarseness, grossness, vulgarity.

**Indelicate,** *a.* I. Wanting in delicacy, lacking in refined feeling, rude, intrusive, deficient in regard for the delicacy of others, deficient in proper reserve.
2. Indecorous, unbecoming, unseemly, coarse, gross, rude.
3. Immodest, indecent, unchaste *or* lewd (*in expression*), coarse, gross, broad, vulgar, foul, obscene.

**In demand.** In request.

**Indemnification,** *n.* I. Indemnifying, security (*against loss, injury,* or *penalty*).

2. Compensation (*for loss* or *injury*), remuneration, reimbursement, indemnity, reparation.

**Indemnify,** *v. a.* I. Secure (*against loss, injury,* or *penalty*), save harmless.

2. Compensate (*for loss* or *injury*), remunerate, reimburse, requite, make good.

**Indent,** *v. a.* I. Notch, jag, make notches in, bruise, make dents *or* bruises in.

2. Indenture, bind, bind by indenture.

3. (*Printing.*) Set in, begin farther in.

**Indentation,** *n.* Notch, jag, dent, bruise, depression.

**Indenture,** *n.* I. Written contract, document, instrument, legal instrument.

2. Indented state, indentation.

**Indenture,** *v. a.* Indent, bind by indenture.

**Independence,** *n.* I. Freedom, liberty, self-direction, exemption from arbitrary control.

2. Non-dependence, distinctness, separation, unconditioned state.

3. Competence (*of income*), easy circumstances, ease.

**Independent,** *a.* I. Free, self-directing, unrestricted, unrestrained, absolute, voluntary, exempt from arbitrary control.

2. [*Said of persons.*] Unconstrained, unconventional, self-reliant, bold.

3. [*Said of circumstances.*] Easy, unconstrained, competent.

**Independent of.** I. Unconnected with, unrestricted by, not related to, not dependent upon.

2. Irrespective of.

**Indescribable,** *a.* Inexpressible, ineffable, unutterable, that cannot be described, that beggars description.

**Indestructible,** *a.* Imperishable, incorruptible, undecaying, abiding, enduring, fadeless, everlasting, that cannot be destroyed.

**Indeterminate,** *a.* Indefinite, unfixed, undetermined, uncertain, not settled, not precise.

**Index,** *n.* [L. *pl. Indices,* Eng. *pl. Indexes.*]

I. Pointer, hand, director.

2. Alphabetical table of references, table of contents.

3. Exponent.

4. Characteristic (*of a logarithm*), integral part.

5. (*Anat.*) Fore-finger.

**Indian-corn,** *n.* Maize (*Zea mays*).

**Indian-fig,** *n.* I. Banian (*Ficus Indica*).

2. Prickly-pear.

**Indian-file,** *n.* Single file.

**Indian-grass,** *n.* Wood-grass (*Sorghum nutans*).

**Indian-millet,** *n.* Doura, Guinea corn, negro-corn (*Sorghum vulgare*).

**Indian-oak,** *n.* Teak-tree (*Tectona grandis*).

**Indian-poke,** *n.* White hellebore (*Veratrum viride*).

**Indian-red,** *n.* Red ochre.

**Indian-sage,** *n.* Boneset, thoroughwort, feverwort, ague-weed (*Eupatorium perfoliatum*).

**Indian-tobacco,** *n.* Lobelia (*North American species, — Lobelia inflata*).

**India-rubber,** *n.* Caoutchouc, gum-elastic.

**Indicate,** *v. a.* I. Show, denote, betoken, mark, designate, signify, point out, shadow forth, be the sign of.

2. Show, point out, designate, specify.

**Indication,** *n.* I. Indicating. See preceding verb.

2. Sign, mark, token, note, index, symptom, manifestation, hint, suggestion.

**Indicative,** *a.* I. Significant, to be taken as a sign.

2. (*Gram.*) Affirmative, declarative.

**Indicative of.** That indicates, that points out, that shows, that is a sign of, significant of, denoting, indicating, showing, signifying, betokening, marking.

**Indices,** *n. pl.* Exponents.

**Indicolite,** *n.* (*Min.*) Indigolite, blue tourmaline, blue shorl.

**Indict,** *v. a.* (*Law.*) Accuse (*formally, by finding of grand jury*), present.

**Indictable,** *a.* Liable to indictment, open to prosecution.

**Indictment,** *n.* I. (*Law.*) Indicting, presentment.

2. Accusation, charge, arraignment, crimination, impeachment.

**Indifference,** *n.* I. Neutrality, impartiality, disinterestedness, freedom from bias *or* prejudice.

2. Unconcernedness, unconcern, apathy, coolness, coldness, carelessness, negligence, heedlessness, inattention, want of interest.

3. Triviality, unimportance, insignificance.

4. Inferiority, mediocre character, indifferent quality.

**Indifferent,** *a.* I. Neutral, impartial, disinterested, unbiassed.

2. Unconcerned, unmoved, apathetic, cool, cold, inattentive, dead, heedless, regardless, unmindful, uninterested.

3. Equal, all the same, just the same, all one, the same thing.

4. Passable, tolerable, middling, ordinary, so-so, mediocre, neither bad nor good, rather poor.

**Indigence,** *n.* Poverty, penury, destitution, want, need, necessity, privation, distress, pauper state, pauperism.

**Indigenous,** *a.* Native, aboriginal, autochthonous, home-grown, not exotic.

**Indigent,** *a.* Poor, destitute, needy, necessitous, pinched, reduced, penniless, moneyless, insolvent, distressed, short of money, out of money, out of cash, out of pocket, in need, in want.

**Indigested,** *a.* I. Unconcocted, undigested, not digested.

2. Crude, ill-judged, ill-advised, not well considered.

3. Disorderly, confused, ill-arranged, immethodical, unmethodized, in confusion, in disorder.

**Indigestibility,** *n.* Indigestibleness.

**Indigestible,** *a.* That cannot be digested.

**Indigestibleness,** *n.* Indigestibility.

**Indigestion,** *n.* Dyspepsia, dyspepsy, difficulty of digestion, difficult digestion.

**Indignant,** *a.* Angry, incensed, provoked, irate, exasperated, wrathful, wroth, ireful, roused (*with the sense of wrong and injustice*).

**Indignation,** *n.* Anger, wrath, ire, resentment, fury, rage, choler, exasperation (*at wrong and injustice*).

**Indignity,** *n.* Insult, affront, outrage, slight, disrespect, dishonor, contumely, obloquy, opprobrium, reproach, abuse.

**Indigolite,** *n.* (*Min.*) Indicolite, blue tourmaline, blue shorl.

**Indirect,** *a.* I. Circuitous, tortuous, roundabout.

2. Roundabout, oblique, collateral, not directly to the point.

3. Unfair, dishonest, dishonorable.

4. Mediate, secondary, subordinate, remote.

**Indiscernible,** *a.* Undiscernible, imperceptible, invisible, undiscoverable, indistinguishable, not to be discerned.

**Indiscerpible,** *a.* See INDISSOLUBLE.

**Indiscerptible,** *a.* See INDISSOLUBLE.

**Indiscipline,** *n.* 1. Lack of discipline, lax discipline, laxity, insubordination.
2. Lack of instruction, defective instruction, want of training.

**Indiscreet,** *a.* Imprudent, injudicious, unwise, inconsiderate, foolish, rash, incautious, reckless, heedless, headlong.

**Indiscretion,** *n.* 1. Imprudence, inconsiderateness, rashness, folly.
2. Mistake, misstep, indiscreet act, act of indiscretion, *faux pas*.
3. Slip from virtue, false step, decline from chastity, imprudence, act of folly, misstep, *faux pas*.

**Indiscriminate,** *a.* 1. Undiscriminating, undistinguishing.
2. Confused, mixed, mingled, undistinguishable, promiscuous.

**Indispensable,** *a.* Necessary, essential, requisite, needful, needed, not to be dispensed with.

**Indispose,** *v. a.* Disincline, render averse, make unfavorable, render reluctant.

**Indisposed,** *a.* 1. Disinclined, unwilling, reluctant, averse, loath, backward, not disposed.
2. Ill, unwell, ailing, sick, out of health, out of sorts.

**Indisposition,** *n.* 1. Disinclination, unwillingness, reluctance, dislike, aversion, backwardness.
2. Illness, sickness, ailment, poor health.

**Indisputable,** *a.* Incontestable, incontrovertible, unquestionable, undeniable, indubitable, irrefragable, evident, obvious, certain, not to be disputed, beyond all question, beyond a doubt, past dispute.

**Indissoluble,** *a.* 1. Inseparable, never to be sundered, impossible to be sundered *or* broken.
2. Indissolvable, that cannot be dissolved, that cannot be liquefied.
3. Indestructible, incorruptible, indiscerpible, indiscerptible, imperishable, lasting, abiding, stable, firm, enduring, not to be broken.

**Indissolvable,** *a.* See INDISSOLUBLE, in all its senses. [In *Indissoluble*, the sense 2 is unusual, while in *Indissolvable*, it is the natural and predominant meaning.]

**Indistinct,** *a.* 1. Undefined, ill-defined, indefinite, undistinguishable, confused, imperfectly distinguished.
2. Obscure, dim, vague, imperfect, faint.
3. Ambiguous, uncertain, doubtful.

**Indistinguishable,** *a.* 1. Undistinguishable, that cannot be distinguished *or* discriminated.
2. Imperceptible, unobservable, unnoticeable, not to be made out, indiscernible.
3. Confused, indistinct, chaotic, vague, obscure, dim.

**Indite,** *v. a.* 1. Compose, write, pen.
2. Dictate.

**Individual,** *a.* 1. Particular, special, separate, single, one, unique.
2. Peculiar to one alone, one's own, peculiar, personal.
3. Full of character, positive, decided, self-guided, unconventional, independent, unique, *sui generis*.

**Individual,** *n.* 1. Person, personage, character, being, somebody, some one.
2. Unit, single instance, particular one *or* object.
3. Person (*in the high* or *emphatic sense*), person full of character, self-directed being, self-determined being.

**Individuality,** *n.* 1. Personality, distinct existence.
2. Decision of character, self-direction, originality, unique quality, self-engendered character, self-determination.

**Individualize,** *v. a.* 1. Particularize, consider individually, specify, name with precision.
2. Make individual, invest with fulness of character, render unique *or* original, render self-directing *or* self-determined, individuate.

**Individuate,** *v. a.* See INDIVIDUALIZE.

**Indivisible,** *a.* 1. Inseparable, that cannot be divided *or* separated into parts.
2. Inseparable, indissoluble, that cannot be sundered, not to be broken *or* dissolved.
3. (*Math.*) Incommensurable, destitute of common divisor *or* measure.

**Indocibility,** *n.* Unteachableness, indocibleness, indocility.

**Indocible,** *a.* Unteachable, indocile.

**Indocibleness,** *n.* See INDOCILITY.

**Indocile,** *a.* Unteachable, intractable, stubborn, perverse, unruly, headstrong, refractory, obstinate, dogged, mulish, unmanageable, ungovernable, cantankerous, contumacious, froward.

**Indocility,** *n.* Unteachableness, indocibleness, indocibility, intractableness, stubbornness, obstinacy, mulishness.

**Indoctrinate,** *v. a.* Teach, instruct, initiate, give instruction to, ground, ground in doctrine *or* in the doctrines of.

**Indoctrination,** *n.* Instruction, initiation, grounding.

**Indolence,** *n.* Laziness, slothfulness, sloth, inertness, idleness, sluggishness.

**Indolent,** *a.* 1. Lazy, slothful, inert, sluggish, inactive, listless, supine, lumpish, habitually idle.
2. Slowly operative, slow, sluggish, inactive, inert, acting slowly.

**Indomitable,** *a.* Unyielding, unconquerable, invincible, not to be subdued.

**In doors.** Within the house, under cover.

**Indorse,** *v. a.* [Written also *Endorse*.] 1. Superscribe, write on the back of.
2. Sanction, approve, confirm, ratify, vouch for.

**Indubitable,** *a.* Unquestionable, indisputable, incontestable, undeniable, incontrovertible, evident, certain, beyond all question, beyond a doubt, past dispute.

**Induce,** *v. a.* 1. Influence, impel, move, prompt, actuate, instigate, persuade, urge, incite, spur, act upon, set on, weigh with, prevail on, prevail upon.
2. Cause, produce, effect, bring on.

**Inducement,** *n.* 1. Inducing. See the verb.
2. Motive, reason, cause, consideration, incitement, incentive, stimulus, spur, influence, impulse.

**Induct,** *v. a.* Introduce (*into office*), install, inaugurate.

**Induction,** *n.* 1. Introduction (*into office*), installation, inauguration, institution.
2. Conclusion (*from many facts*), inference, generalization, tentative inference, inductive method, Baconian method.
3. (*Phys.*) Influence of proximity.

**Indue,** *v. a.* Supply, invest, clothe, endue, endow.

**Indulge,** *v. a.* 1. Gratify, satisfy, yield to, give free scope to, give a loose rein to, give way to, give one's self up to.
2. Humor excessively *or* to excess, yield to the wishes of, pamper, humor, favor, cocker, allow to follow one's appetites *or* caprices.
3. Allow, permit, suffer, harbor, foster, cherish.

**Indulge,** *v. n.* Indulge one's self.

**Indulgence,** *n.* 1. Gratification, humoring, pampering, cockering.

2. Favor, liberality, lenity, lenience, kindness, tenderness.
3. (*Theol.*) Remission, absolution (*from canonical penance*).

**Indulgent,** *a.* 1. Yielding, compliant.
2. Lenient, mild, clement, tolerant, gentle, forbearing, kind, tender, not severe.

**Indurate,** *v. a.* 1. Harden, render hard, make hard.
2. Make obdurate, make unfeeling, sear.

**Induration,** *n.* 1. Hardening.
2. Obduracy, hardness of heart.

**Industrial,** *a.* 1. Pertaining *or* relating to industry, productive, relating to toil *or* handiwork, of the products of labor, of industries.
2. For labor, for instruction in labor.

**Industrious,** *a.* 1. Diligent, assiduous, laborious, notable, hard-working, diligently employed, busily engaged, up and stirring, busy as a bee, brisk as a bee.
2. Busy, brisk, persistent, persevering, sedulous.

**Industry,** *n.* 1. Assiduity, assiduousness, activity, diligence, habitual devotion to labor.
2. Persistence, perseverance, sedulousness, assiduity, busy vigor.
3. Labor, toil, effort; labors, efforts, endeavors, results.
4. Industrial art, form of productive effort.

**Inebriate,** *v. a.* Intoxicate, make drunk.

**Inebriation,** *n.* Intoxication, drunkenness, inebriety.

**Inebriety,** *n.* See INEBRIATION.

**Ineffable,** *a.* Unspeakable, unutterable, inexpressible, indescribable, that cannot be spoken, beyond expression.

**Ineffaceable,** *a.* Indelible, ingrained.

**In effect.** In fact, in truth, really, in reality.

**Ineffective,** *a.* Inefficacious. See INEFFECTUAL.

**Ineffectual,** *a.* 1. Inefficacious, ineffective, unavailing, fruitless, useless, abortive, bootless, to no purpose, without effect.
2. Powerless, weak, impotent, feeble, inefficient.

**Ineffectualness,** *n.* Inefficacy.

**Inefficacious,** *a.* Ineffective, unavailing. See INEFFECTUAL.

**Inefficacy,** *n.* Ineffectualness.

**Inefficiency,** *n.* Inefficacy, want *or* lack of efficiency.

**Inefficient,** *a.* Ineffective, lacking in efficiency, weak, feeble.

**Inelegant,** *a.* 1. Ungraceful, awkward, ungainly, uncouth, homely, clumsy, rude, coarse.
2. Unpolished, uncourtly, unrefined, ungraceful, rough, homespun, uncouth, ungainly, awkward.
3. Plain, homely, awkward-looking.
4. Stiff, constrained, harsh, crude, bald, cramped, abrupt.

**Ineligible,** *a.* 1. Not eligible, disqualified (*for office*).
2. Inexpedient, unadvisable, objectionable, undesirable.

**Inept,** *a.* 1. Improper, unfit, unsuitable, inappropriate, inapposite, unapt.
2. Useless, worthless, void, null.
3. Foolish, silly, nonsensical, senseless, stupid, pointless.

**Ineptitude,** *n.* 1. Unfitness, unsuitableness, inaptitude, inappropriateness, impropriety, inappositeness.
2. Uselessness, worthlessness, emptiness, nullity.
3. Folly, foolishness, nonsense, silliness, senselessness, stupidity, pointlessness.

**Inequality,** *n.* 1. Disparity, difference, diversity
2. Unevenness, irregularity, roughness.
3. Unfairness, injustice, inequitable character.
4. Inadequacy, insufficiency, incompetency.
5. (*Alg.*) Inequation.

**Inequation,** *n.* (*Alg.*) Inequality.

**Inequitable,** *a.* Unjust, unfair, destitute of equity.

**Inert,** *a.* 1. Inactive, lifeless, passive, motionless, dead.
2. Dull, indolent, torpid, sluggish, slothful, lazy, idle, supine, lumpish, dronish.

**Inertia,** *n.* 1. Passivity, passiveness, inertness, lack of activity.
2. Inertness, sluggishness, indisposition to move.
3. (*Phys.*) *Vis inertiæ*, tendency to continuance (*whether of rest or of motion*), resistance to change.

**In esse.** [L.] In being, actually existing, in actual existence *or* operation.

**Inestimable,** *a.* Invaluable, priceless, that cannot be estimated, above all price, precious, extremely valuable.

**Inevitable,** *a.* Unavoidable, necessary, not to be escaped, that must be suffered.

**Inevitably,** *ad.* Unavoidably, certainly, surely.

**Inexact,** *a.* Incorrect, inaccurate, without precision.

**Inexcusable,** *a.* Unpardonable, indefensible, unjustifiable, irremissible, incapable of excuse.

**Inexhaustible,** *a.* Exhaustless, unfailing, that cannot be exhausted.

**Inexistence,** *n.* Non-existence, nonentity.

**Inexorable,** *a.* 1. Unrelenting, relentless, implacable, pitiless, merciless, unmerciful, uncompassionate, hard, cruel.
2. Unyielding, inflexible (*to supplication*), unbending, immovable (*by prayers*), firm, steadfast, sternly just, severe.

**Inexpedient,** *a.* Unadvisable, disadvantageous, injudicious, imprudent, indiscreet, ill-judged.

**Inexperience,** *n.* Rawness, greenness, ignorance, want of experience.

**Inexperienced,** *a.* Unpractised, untrained, uninitiated, unschooled, raw, unversed, unconversant, undisciplined, unskilled, green, without experience.

**Inexpert,** *a.* Unskilful, unskilled, awkward, clumsy, unhandy, inapt, bungling, maladroit, without dexterity.

**Inexpiable,** *a.* 1. Unpardonable, irremissible, unatonable, not to be atoned for, that admits of no satisfaction.
2. Implacable, unappeasable, inexorable, not to be appeased, irreconcilable.

**Inexplicable,** *a.* Unaccountable, unintelligible, incomprehensible, inscrutable, mysterious, strange, enigmatical, not to be explained.

**Inexpressible,** *a.* 1. Unutterable, unspeakable, indescribable. See INEFFABLE.
2. Surpassing, boundless, infinite.

**Inexpressibles,** *n. pl.* [*Comic euphemism.*] Unmentionables, breeches, trousers, pantaloons.

**Inexpressive,** *a.* Unexpressive, characterless, blank.

**Inexpugnable,** *a.* 1. Impregnable, unassailable, not to be taken by assault, not to be stormed, secure from capture, tenable against all odds.
2. Unconquerable, invincible, not to be subdued.
3. Incontrovertible, irrefragable, impregnable, unassailable, unanswerable.

**Inexsuperable,** *a.* Insurmountable.

**In extenso.** [L.] In full, to the full extent, at length, in full detail.

**Inextinguishable,** *a.* Unquenchable, that cannot be extinguished.

**In extremis.** [L.] In one's last moments, at the point of death, in the very act of death, moribund.

**Inextricable,** *a.* Intricate, perplexed, entangled, that cannot be disentangled, not to be unravelled.

**In fact.** I. Really, truly, in truth, in reality, indeed.
2. As a matter of fact, in point of fact, indeed, to tell the truth.
3. Actually, as a mere fact, *de facto*

**Infallibility,** *n.* I. Infallibleness, exemption from liability to err, incapability of error, absolute perfection of judgment.
2. Certainty.

**Infallible,** *a.* I. Unerring, not liable to err, incapable of error.
2. Certain, sure, unfailing, not liable to fail.

**Infallibleness,** *n.* See INFALLIBILITY.

**Infallibly,** *ad.* Certainly, surely, unfailingly, without fail.

**Infamous,** *a.* I. Disreputable, of ill repute, ill spoken of.
2. Disgraceful, dishonorable, shameful, shameless, odious, detestable, scandalous, outrageous, ignominious, base, vile, nefarious, villanous, heinous, atrocious, wicked, dark, damnable.

**Infamy,** *n.* I. Dishonor, disgrace, discredit, disrepute, shame, ignominy, obloquy, opprobrium, odium, scandal, abasement.
2. Disgracefulness, dishonorableness, shamefulness, odiousness, detestableness, scandalousness, wickedness, atrocity, villany.

**Infancy,** *n.* I. Babyhood, first part of life, early childhood.
2. Beginning, commencement, first age, early period of existence.
3. (*Law.*) Minority, nonage, pupilage, childhood.

**Infant,** *n.* I. Babe, baby, nursling, suckling, chit, brat, bantling, little child, little one, bairn (*Scotch*)
2. (*Law.*) Minor.

**Infanticide,** *n.* I. Child-murder.
2. Murderer of an infant, slayer of infants.

**Infantile,** } *a.* I. Childish, young, tender.
**Infantine,** }
2. Childish, babyish, weak.
3. Childlike, babylike.

**Infantry,** *n.* Foot-soldiers, foot.

**Infatuate,** *v. a.* I. Befool, besot, stultify, delude, make foolish, deprive of reason, deprive of sound judgment *or* common-sense.
2. Prepossess extravagantly, carry beside one's self, absorb in an uncontrollable passion.

**Infatuation,** *n.* Folly, foolishness, stupefaction, besottedness, arrant folly, passionate absorption, senseless prepossession.

**In favor of.** Favorable to, inclined to approve, willing to support.

**In favor with.** Favored by, in the good graces of.

**Infeasibility,** *n.* Impracticability, infeasibleness, unfeasibleness.

**Infeasible,** *a.* Impracticable, unfeasible, that cannot be accomplished, not to be done.

**Infeasibleness,** *n.* See INFEASIBILITY.

**Infect,** *v. a.* I. Taint with disease, affect with contagious matter.
2. Pollute, contaminate, vitiate, poison, defile, corrupt.

**Infection,** *n.* I. Contagion.
2. Contamination, taint, bane, pest, poison, pollution, vitiation, defilement, corruption.
3. (*Med.*) Contagium, virus.

**Infectious,** *a.* I. Contagious, pestilential, pestiferous, catching.
2. Contaminating, corrupting, vitiating, poisoning, defiling, polluting.

**Infecund,** *a.* Unfruitful, infertile, unproductive, unprolific, sterile, barren.

**Infecundity,** *n.* Unfruitfulness, barrenness, unproductiveness, sterility, infertility.

**Infelicitous,** *a.* I. Unhappy, wretched, miserable, unfortunate, calamitous.
2. Unfavorable, unpropitious, inauspicious.
3. Inappropriate, unhappy, ill-chosen, unfitting, in bad taste.

**Infelicity,** *n.* I. Unhappiness, wretchedness, misery, misfortune, calamity, ill-luck.
2. Unfavorableness, unfortunate state.
3. Inappropriateness, unsuitableness, unfitness, awkwardness, bad taste.

**Infer,** *v. a.* Deduce, conclude, collect, gather, consider probable.

**Inferable,** *a.* [Written also *Inferrible.*] Deducible, to be inferred *or* concluded.

**Inference,** *n.* I. Conclusion, deduction, consequence, corollary.
2. Process of reasoning, process of inference.
3. Generalization, induction.

**Inferior,** *a.* I. Lower.
2. Subordinate, secondary.
3. Poor, indifferent.
4. Poorer, less good, less valuable, of lower quality *or* grade.

**Inferiority,** *n.* I. Lower state *or* condition.
2. Subordination.
3. Mediocrity, poor quality.
4. Deficiency, imperfection, lower quality, lower worth.

**Infernal,** *a.* I. Hellish, Tartarean, Stygian, of hell.
2. Diabolical, devilish, demoniacal, fiendish, fiendlike, satanic, atrocious, nefarious, dark, damnable, accursed, abominable.

**Inferrible,** *a.* [Written also *Inferable.*] Deducible, to be inferred *or* concluded.

**Infertility,** *n.* Unfruitfulness, unproductiveness, barrenness, sterility, infecundity.

**Infest,** *v a.* I. Throng, overrun, beset, take complete possession of, swarm in.
2. Disturb, annoy, vex, tease, harass, plague, torment, trouble, molest, worry.

**In few.** (*Poetical.*) Briefly, in short, in a few words.

**Infidel,** *n.* I. Unbeliever, atheist, disbeliever in God, denier of religious obligation.
2. (*Historical sense.*) Mahometan, Turk, defiler of the Holy Sepulchre.
3. (*Historical sense.*) Christian, denier of Islam, blasphemer of Mahomet.
4. (*Historical sense.*) Freethinker, denier of miracles and miraculous revelation, denier of revealed religion, deist.

**Infidelity,** *n.* I. Unbelief, disbelief, scepticism.
2. Faithlessness (*in the marriage relation*), unfaithfulness.
3. Faithlessness (*generally*), bad faith, disloyalty.

**Infiltrate,** *v. n.* Soak (*into a porous substance*), be absorbed, pass by filtration.

**Infinite,** *a.* I. Unbounded, boundless, unlimited, illimitable, limitless, immeasurable, interminable.
2. Immense, enormous, vast, stupendous, very great, very large.
3. Unconditioned, absolute, self-determined, self-existent, eternal.

**Infinite,** *n.* [With *The* prefixed.] The Absolute, the Eternal. See GOD.

**Infinitesimal,** *a.* Infinitely small.

**Infinitesimal,** *n.* Infinitely small quantity, quantity converging to zero, infinitely diminishing quantity, quantity whose limit is zero, vanishing fluxion.

**Infinitude,** *n.* I. Boundlessness, infinity.
2. Immensity, vastness, infinity.

3. Infinite number, boundless multitude.

**Infinity,** *n.* I. See INFINITUDE.
2. Unlimited degree, infiniteness.
3. Absoluteness, self-determination, self-existence, eternity.

**Infirm,** *a.* I. Weak, feeble, enfeebled, frail, weakened, debilitated.
2. Irresolute, vacillating, wavering, faltering.
3. Insecure, unstable, unsound.

**Infirmity,** *n.* I. Weakness, feebleness, debility, frailness, frailty.
2. Foible, fault, failing, defect, weakness.

**Infix,** *v. a.* I. Fasten, plant, set, fix.
2. Implant, ingraft, instil, inculcate, infuse.

**Inflame,** *v. a.* I. Excite, stimulate, enkindle, incite, fire, rouse, arouse, animate, inspirit, set on, work up, stir up.
2. Exasperate, irritate, nettle, provoke, anger, enrage, incense, madden, infuriate.

**Inflame,** *v. n.* I. Take fire.
2. Become excited, grow angry.
3. Grow red, feverish, and angry.

**Inflammability,** *n.* Inflammableness, combustibility, combustibleness.

**Inflammable,** *a.* I. Combustible.
2. Excitable.

**Inflammable air.** Hydrogen.

**Inflammableness,** *n.* See INFLAMMABILITY.

**Inflammation,** *n.* I. Burning, conflagration, setting on fire.
2. (*Med.*) Swelling and redness.
3. Excitement, anger, animosity, turbulence, heat, violence, rage.

**Inflammatory,** *a.* I. Inflaming, fiery.
2. Incendiary, seditious.
3. (*Med.*) Tending to inflammation.

**Inflate,** *v. a.* I. Swell (*by blowing*), distend, expand, bloat, blow up.
2. Puff up, make conceited.
3. Enlarge, increase.

**Inflated,** *a.* I. Distended (*with air*), swollen, bloated, puffed up.
2. Tumid, turgid, bombastic, grandiloquent, altiloquent, magniloquent, stilted, declamatory, rhetorical, sophomorical, high-flown.

**Inflation,** *n.* I. Swelling (*by air*), distension, expansion, blowing up.
2. Conceit, conceitedness, self-conceit, self-sufficiency, self-complacency, self-importance, vain-gloriousness, vain-glory.
3. Increase, enlargement.
4. (*Com.*) Over-enlargement (*of currency*), over-issue.

**Inflect,** *v. a.* I. Bend, bow, curve, turn from a direct line.
2. (*Gram.*) Decline (*a noun* or *an adjective*), conjugate (*a verb*), vary the terminations of.

**Inflection,** *n.* I. Bending, curvature, bend, curvity, flexure, crook.
2. (*Gram.*) Variation (*in declension* or *in conjugation*), accidence; declension, conjugation, and comparison.
3. (*Music and Elocution.*) Modulation (*of the voice*).

**Inflexibility,** *n.* I. Stiffness, inflexibleness.
2. Pertinacity, doggedness, stubbornness, obstinacy.
3. Firmness, resolution, perseverance, tenacity of purpose.

**Inflexible,** *a.* I. Stiff, rigid.
2. Pertinacious, dogged, stubborn, obstinate, unyielding, refractory, headstrong, wilful, cantankerous, intractable, heady, obdurate, cross-grained.
3. Firm, resolute, steadfast, immovable, persevering.
4. Inexorable, unyielding, immovable by entreaties.

**Inflexibleness,** *n.* See INFLEXIBILITY.

**Inflict,** *v. a.* Impose, lay on.

**Infliction,** *n.* I. Inflicting, imposition.
2. Punishment, judgment.

**Inflorescence,** *n.* I. Flowering, blossoming, blooming.
2. Mode of flowering.

**Influence,** *n.* I. Authority, sway, control, predominance, ascendency, power of impelling *or* directing, controlling power, directing agency.
2. Reputation, credit, weight of character.
3. Influx, inflow, inflowing.
4. Mystic power, unseen *or* mysterious agency.

**Influence,** *v. a.* I. Control, sway, bias, lead, direct, modify, affect.
2. Move, induce, impel, instigate, persuade, actuate, incite, rouse, arouse, work upon, prevail upon.

**Influential,** *a.* I. Potent, powerful, controlling.
2. Of influence, of authority.

**Influx,** *n.* Introduction, flowing in.

**Infold,** *v. a.* [Sometimes written *Enfold.*] I. Inwrap, enclose, wrap, fold, envelop.
2. Clasp, embrace.

**Inform,** *v. a.* I. Animate, inspire, quicken, give life to.
2. Acquaint, apprise, advise, tell, notify, make known to, mention to, give notice to, signify to, send word to, write word to.

**Inform against.** Give information against (*by way of accusation*), denounce.

**Informal,** *a.* I. Irregular, out of the usual course, not according to the prescribed form.
2. Unconventional, unceremonious.
3. Simple, natural, familiar, easy.

**Informality,** *n.* I. Irregularity, want of conformity to (the) prescribed rule.
2. Absence of ceremony, unconventionality, unceremoniousness.
3. Simplicity, naturalness, ease, familiarity.

**Informant,** *n.* I. Informer.
2. Accuser, complainant, informer.

**Information,** *n.* I. Intelligence, notice, advice.
2. Knowledge, knowledge of facts.
3. (*Law.*) Accusation, complaint, denunciation.

**Informer,** *n.* I. Informant.
2. Accuser, complainant, informant.

**Infraction,** *n.* Breaking, breach, infringement, violation, transgression, disobedience, non-observance.

**Infrangible,** *a.* I. That cannot be broken.
2. Not to be violated, that may not be infringed.

**Infrequency,** *n.* Uncommonness, rarity, rareness.

**Infrequent,** *a.* Uncommon, rare, unfrequent, unusual, seldom occurring.

**Infringe,** *v. a.* Break, violate, transgress, disobey, break through, trench upon, set at nought.

**Infringement,** *n.* Breaking, breach, infraction, violation, transgression, disobedience, non-observance.

**Infringe upon.** Invade, trespass upon, encroach upon, intrude upon.

**Infundibular,** / **Infundibuliform,** } *a.* (*Bot.*) Tunnel-shaped.

**Infuriate,** / **Infuriated,** } *a.* Enraged, raging, incensed, furious, wild with anger.

**Infuse,** *v. n.* I. Instil, ingraft, implant, inspire, breathe into, introduce, inculcate.
2. Introduce, diffuse, shed.
3. Steep (*in liquor*), macerate.

**Infusion,** *n.* I. Introduction, inculcation, instillation.

2. Infusing, steeping, macerating.
3. Steeped liquor.

**Infusoria,** *n. pl.* Animalcules, animalcula.

**Ingathering,** *n.* Harvest.

**In general.** 1. Generally, in the main, for the most part, in most cases, with few exceptions.
2. Generally, upon the whole, speaking generally, to sum up, in a general way, to speak summarily.

**Ingenious,** *a.* 1. Inventive, gifted, able, sagacious, clever, bright, ready.
2. That shows invention, exhibiting ingenuity.

**Ingenuity,** *n.* Inventiveness, ingeniousness, acuteness, skill, readiness, ability, capableness, capacity, faculty, aptitude, aptness, cleverness, knack, turn, gift, genius.

**Ingenuous,** *a.* Artless, frank, open, candid, sincere, guileless, honest, downright, straightforward, truthful, simple-minded, single-minded, open-hearted, transparent, childlike, *naïve.*

**Ingenuousness,** *n.* Artlessness, frankness, candor, sincerity, honesty, truthfulness, openness, guilelessness, single-mindedness, open-heartedness, childlikeness, *naïveté.*

**Inglorious,** *a.* 1. Obscure, mean, lowly, humble, unknown, undistinguished, nameless, unmarked, unnoted, unhonored.
2. Shameful, disgraceful, humiliating, scandalous, ignominious.

**Inglariousness,** *n.* 1. Obscurity, meanness, humbleness, lowliness, namelessness, want of fame, lack of distinction.
2. Abasement, discredit, disrepute, dishonor, disgrace, ignominy, ignominiousness, obloquy, shame, infamy, opprobrium, odium, humiliation.

**In good case.** In good condition, in good health, well, sound, hearty, hale.

**Ingraft,** *v. a.* 1. Graft.
2. Infix, implant, instil, infuse, inculcate.

**Ingrain,** *v. a.* 1. Dye in the grain.
2. Imbue, impregnate.

**Ingratiate one's self.** Commend one's self, get one's self into favor.

**Ingratitude,** *n.* Unthankfulness, thanklessness.

**Ingredient,** *n.* Element, constituent, component, component part.

**Ingress,** *n.* Entrance, entry.

**Inguinal,** *a.* (*Anat.*) Of the groin.

**Ingulf,** *v. a.* [Written also *Engulf.*] Absorb, swallow up, overwhelm, whelm.

**Inhabit,** *v. a.* Occupy, dwell in, live in, reside in.

**Inhabit,** *v. n.* Dwell, reside, sojourn, live, abide.

**Inhabitable,** *a.* Habitable.

**Inhabitant,** } *n.* Dweller, resident, denizen, citi-
**Inhabiter,** } zen.

**Inhalation,** *n.* Inspiration, inhaling.

**Inhale,** *v. a.* Inspire, breathe in, draw into the lungs.

**Inharmonic,** }
**Inharmonical,** } *a.* Inharmonious.

**Inharmonious,** *a* Discordant, unmusical, inharmonic, unharmonious, out of tune.

**Inhere,** *v. n.* 1. Stick, stick fast, be fixed.
2. Exist (*as a part*), be fixed (*as a quality*), belong, pertain, be immanent.

**Inherent,** *a.* 1. Sticking fast, adhering.
2. Innate, native, natural, inborn, inbred, ingrained, essential, inseparable.

**Inherit,** *v. a.* Get from ancestors, receive by inheritance, come into possession of as an heir.

**Inheritance,** *n.* 1. Inheriting.
2. Heritage, patrimony.

**Inheritor,** *n.* Heir.

**Inhibit,** *v. a.* 1. Restrain, hinder, check, repress, obstruct, bar, debar, stop.
2. Prohibit, forbid, interdict.

**Inhibition,** *n.* 1. Restraint, hindrance, impediment, obstacle, obstruction, check.
2. Prohibition, interdiction, interdict, disallowance, embargo.

**Inhibitory,** *a.* Prohibitory.

**In high feather.** In good health, in good spirits, in good condition.

**Inhospitable,** *a.* 1. Unfriendly (*to strangers*), unkind, not hospitable.
2. Ungenerous, narrow, illiberal, unreceptive, intolerant, bigoted, prejudiced.

**Inhospitality,** *n.* Want of hospitality.

**Inhuman,** *a.* Barbarous, brutal, savage, cruel, ruthless, pitiless, remorseless, merciless, fell, ferocious, unfeeling.

**Inhumanity,** *n.* 1. Barbarity, brutality, savageness, cruelty, ferocity.
2. Hard-heartedness, hardness of heart, unkindness.

**Inhume,** *v. a.* Bury, inter, entomb, deposit in the earth.

**Inimical,** *a.* 1. Hostile, unfriendly, antagonistic.
2. Adverse, unfavorable, opposed, contrary, repugnant, hurtful, harmful, noxious, pernicious.

**Inimitable,** *a.* Unparalleled, unequalled, unexampled, incomparable, unrivalled, unmatched, unparagoned, matchless, peerless, above imitation, surpassing imitation, supreme, consummate, beyond compare.

**Iniquitous,** *a.* Unjust, unrighteous, unfair, inequitable, wrong, wicked, sinful, nefarious, heinous, flagitious.

**Iniquity,** *n.* 1. Injustice, unrighteousness, wickedness, sin, sinfulness.
2. Sin, crime, misdeed, wicked act, offence

**Initial,** *a.* 1. First, at the beginning, at the head.
2. Incipient, commencing, beginning, in the first stages

**Initial,** *n.* First letter (*of a name*).

**Initiate,** *v. a.* 1. Introduce, give entrance to.
2. Indoctrinate, instruct, teach
3. Begin, commence, open, inaugurate, enter upon.

**Initiation,** *n.* 1. Introduction, admission, entrance.
2. Instruction, indoctrination.
3. Beginning, inauguration, commencement, opening.

**Initiative,** *a.* Inceptive, initiatory.

**Initiative,** *n.* 1. Beginning, first step.
2. Power to begin, power to originate.

**Initiatory,** *a.* Initiative, inceptive

**Inject,** *v. a* Throw in, dart in.

**Injection,** *n.* 1. Injecting.
2. Clyster, enema, lavement.

**In jest.** In joke, in sport, jestingly, sportively, not in earnest.

**In joke.** See IN JEST.

**Injudicious,** *a.* Unwise, indiscreet, imprudent, inconsiderate, foolish, rash, incautious, hasty, ill-judged, ill-advised.

**Injunction,** *n.* Command, order, precept, mandate.

**Injure,** *v. a.* 1. Maltreat, wrong, abuse, do wrong to, do an ill office to, treat unjustly.
2. Harm, hurt, damage, spoil, impair, mar, disfigure, do harm to.

**Injurious,** *a.* 1. Wrongful, iniquitous, unjust, inequitable.
2. Hurtful, detrimental, prejudicial, pernicious, deleterious, noxious, deadly, baneful, mischievous, damaging, disadvantageous, destructive, ruinous, fatal.
3. Contumelious, detractory, libellous, slanderous.

**Injury,** *n.* 1. Wrong, injustice.

2. Hurt, damage, harm, detriment, mischief, prejudice.

**Injustice,** *n.* I. Unfairness, unjust *or* inequitable nature *or* character.

2. Wrong, grievance, piece of injustice.

**Inkhorn,** *n.* Inkstand.

**Inkling,** *n.* Hint, intimation, whisper, suggestion.

**Inkstand,** *n.* Inkhorn.

**Inky,** *a.* Black, atramentous.

**Inlaid,** *a.* Decorated with inlaying *or* inlaid work.

**Inland,** *a.* I. Interior, internal.

2. Domestic, not foreign, home.

**Inlay,** *v. a.* Decorate with inserted material.

**Inlet,** *n.* I. Entrance, passage, place of ingress.

2. Bay, bight, cove, creek.

**In limine.** [L.] At the outset, at the beginning, on the threshold.

**In little.** In miniature, on a small scale.

**In loco.** [L.] In the proper *or* natural place.

**Inmate,** *n.* Occupant, dweller, denizen.

**In memoriam.** [L.] In memory, to the memory of.

**Inmost,** *a.* Innermost, deepest, most inward.

**Inn,** *n* Tavern, hotel, cabaret, public-house, house of entertainment

**Innate,** *a.* Inborn, inbred, native, natural, inherent, organic.

**Inner,** *a.* Interior, internal.

**Innermost,** *a.* Inmost, deepest, most inward.

**Innkeeper,** *n.* Innholder, host, landlord, tavern-keeper.

**Innocence,** *n.* I. Harmlessness, inoffensiveness, innocuousness, innoxiousness.

2. Guiltlessness, sinlessness, blamelessness, guilelessness, purity, simplicity, stainlessness.

**Innocent,** *a.* I. Harmless, inoffensive, innocuous, innoxious

2. Guiltless, sinless, faultless, blameless, immaculate, spotless, pure, clean, clear, guileless, upright, unfallen.

3. Not guilty, free from the guilt (*of a particular crime*).

**Innocuous,** *a.* Harmless, inoffensive, innoxious, innocent.

**Innovate,** *v. n.* Introduce novelties, make changes, make innovations.

**Innovation,** *n.* I. Change, introduction of novelty.

2. Novelty, radically new measure, violent departure from established precedent.

**Innoxious,** *a.* Harmless, inoffensive, innocuous, innocent.

**In nuce.** [L.] In a nutshell, in a small compass.

**Innuendo,** *n.* Insinuation, remote intimation, indirect allusion, oblique hint, sly suggestion.

**Innumerable,** *a.* Numberless, countless, not to be counted, that cannot be numbered.

**Inoculate,** *v. a.* I. Bud.

2. Vaccinate.

**Inoculation,** *n.* I. Budding.

2. Vaccination.

**Inodorous,** *a.* Scentless, without odor *or* smell.

**Inoffensive,** *a.* Harmless, unoffending, innocuous, innoxious, innocent.

**In one's cups.** Drunk, drunken, intoxicated, inebriated, tipsy, fuddled, muddled, maudlin, disguised, mellow, in liquor, half-seas-over, three sheets in the wind, has had a drop too much.

**Inoperative,** *a.* I. Inactive, inefficacious, ineffectual, of no effect

2. Out of force, not in force.

**Inopportune,** *a.* Unseasonable, untimely, ill-timed, not opportune.

**Inordinate,** *a.* Immoderate, extravagant, excessive.

**Inorganic,** / **Inorganical,** *a.* Unorganized, inanimate.

**Inosculate,** *v. n.* (*Bot. and Anat.*) Anastomose, unite at the ends (*as veins* or *arteries*).

**Inosculate,** *v. a.* Unite by apposition *or* contact.

**Inosculation,** *n.* (*Bot. and Anat.*) Anastomosis.

**In part.** Partly, in some degree.

**In posse.** [L.] Possible, in possibility, potentially existent, germinal, in germ.

**In print.** Printed, published, issued.

**In propria personâ.** [L.] In one's own person.

**In puris naturalibus.** [L.] Quite naked.

**Inquest,** *n.* I. Inquisition, judicial inquiry (*especially by a coroner*).

2. Jury (*particularly a coroner's jury*).

**Inquietude,** *n.* Uneasiness, disquiet, disquietude, restlessness, anxiety.

**Inquire,** *v. n.* [Written also *Enquire.*] I. Ask, question, seek information (*by questioning*), make inquiry.

2. Make investigation, make examination.

**Inquire,** *v. a.* [Written also *Enquire.*] Ask about, make inquiry about, ask.

**Inquire into.** Examine, investigate, sift, canvass, follow up, look into.

**Inquirer,** *n.* Searcher, investigator.

**Inquiry,** *n.* I. Interrogation, question, query, interrogatory.

2. Investigation, examination, research, scrutiny, study, exploration.

**Inquisition,** *n.* Inquest, judicial inquiry.

**Inquisitive,** *a.* I. Curious, inquiring, scrutinizing, given to research, fond of investigation.

2. Curious, prying, intrusively curious.

**Inroad,** *n.* Irruption, foray, incursion, raid, encroachment, partial invasion, predatory incursion.

**Insalubrious,** *a.* Unhealthy, unwholesome, unhealthful, noxious, unfavorable to health

**Insane,** *a.* Deranged, crazy, crazed, lunatic, mad, distracted, demented, delirious, out of one's mind, out of one's head, out of one's senses, out of one's wits.

**Insanity,** *n.* Derangement, lunacy, craziness, dementia, mania, madness, delirium, aberration of mind, alienation of mind, loss of reason.

**Insatiability,** *n.* Insatiableness.

**Insatiable,** *a.* I. Insatiate, unappeasable, not to be satisfied, that cannot be sated.

2. Greedy, voracious, rapacious.

**Insatiableness,** *n.* Insatiability.

**Insatiate,** *a.* See INSATIABLE.

**Inscribe,** *v. a.* I. Write, engrave.

2. Imprint, impress.

3. Address (*as a literary work*), dedicate.

**Inscrutability,** *n.* See INSCRUTABLENESS.

**Inscrutable,** *a* Undiscoverable, unsearchable, impenetrable, incomprehensible, inexplicable, unfathomable, hidden, mysterious, past comprehension, above comprehension, not to be understood.

**Inscrutableness,** *n.* Inscrutability, impenetrability, incomprehensibility, incomprehensibleness, unfathomableness, mysteriousness, mystery, inexplicability, unsearchableness.

**Insecure,** *a.* I. Uncertain, not sure, risky.

2. Uncertain, not confident.

3. Unsafe, unprotected, ill-protected, exposed, exposed to risk *or* danger, in danger.

4. Dangerous, hazardous, perilous.

5. Unstable, infirm, weak, shaking, tottering.

**Insecurity,** *n.* I. Uncertainty, risk, riskiness.

2. Danger, hazard, peril.

3. Dangerousness, hazardousness, perilousness.

4. Instability, weakness, tottering condition *or* character.

**Insensate,** *a.* I. Dull, torpid, indifferent, insensible.

2. Stupid, senseless, foolish, destitute of sense.
3. Inanimate, insentient, unconscious, insensible, unperceiving, non-percipient, destitute of sensation *or* perception.

**Insensibility,** *n.* 1. Torpor, lethargy, dulness, want of sensibility.
2. Apathy, indifference, insusceptibility.
3. Dulness, stupidity.
4. Unconsciousness, suspension of consciousness, loss of sensibility, suspension of feeling.

**Insensible,** *a* 1. Imperceptible, imperceivable, not discoverable.
2. Insensate, dull, stupid, torpid, brutish, senseless, without sensibility.
3. Unfeeling, apathetic, phlegmatic, unsusceptible, unimpressible.

**Insensibly,** *ad.* Imperceptibly.

**Insentient,** *a.* Inert, senseless, non-sentient. See INSENSATE, 3.

**Inseparability,** *n.* Inseparableness.

**Inseparable,** *a.* 1. Indivisible, not to be separated.
2. Indissoluble, not to be severed *or* sundered.
3. Extremely intimate, constantly together, always in each other's company.

**Inseparableness,** *n.* Inseparability.

**Insert,** *v. a.* Set in, place in, put in.

**Insessores,** *n. pl.* [L.] (*Ornith.*) Perchers, perching birds.

**Insessorial,** *a.* (*Ornith.*) Perching.

**Inside,** *n.* Interior, interior part, inner part.

**Inside,** *a.* Interior, internal, inner, intimate.

**Inside,** *prep.* Within, inside of, in the interior of.

**Insidious,** *a.* 1. Artful, sly, wily, guileful, arch, crafty, cunning, subtle, intriguing, designing, deceitful, treacherous, crooked, trickish, tricky, foxy, snaky, diplomatic, Machiavelian.
2. Secret, deceptive, that creeps upon one unawares, delusively gradual.

**Insight,** *n.* 1. Deep view, thorough knowledge, discerning look, intelligent grasp.
2. Discernment, penetration, penetrating vision *or* judgment, spontaneous understanding, quick perception.

**Insignia,** *n. pl.* [L.] Badges of office, marks of distinction.

**Insignificance,** *n.* Unimportance, paltriness, triviality, emptiness, nothingness.

**Insignificant,** *a.* 1. Without meaning, not significant.
2. Unimportant, paltry, petty, empty, trivial, trifling, immaterial, unessential, of little consequence, of little account, of no moment.

**Insincere,** *a.* False, faithless, truthless, untrue, disingenuous, uncandid, dishonest, hollow, hypocritical, pharisaical, double-tongued, double-faced, dissimulating, dissembling.

**Insincerity,** *n.* Duplicity, hypocrisy, dissimulation, deceitfulness, disingenuousness, dishonesty, falseness, faithlessness, bad faith.

**Insinuate,** *v. a.* 1. Introduce gently.
2. Ingratiate, push artfully.
3. Instil (*artfully*), infuse, inculcate.
4. Hint, suggest, intimate, hint *or* suggest remotely (*something unfavorable* or *discreditable*).

**Insinuation,** *n.* 1. Infusion, instillation, gentle introduction.
2. Ingratiating one's self, getting one's self into favor.
3. Disrespectful *or* calumnious hint, suggestion, intimation, *or* innuendo.

**Insipid,** *a.* 1. Tasteless, gustless, savorless, vapid, mawkish, stale, flat.
2. Spiritless, lifeless, heavy, stupid, dull, frigid, tame, prosaic, prosy, uninteresting, unentertaining.

**Insipidity,** } *n.* 1. Tastelessness, vapidness,
**Insipidness,** } mawkishness, unsavoriness, staleness, flatness, lack of zest.
2. Dulness, lifelessness, stupidity, tameness, prosiness, heaviness, lack of interest, uninteresting character.

**Insist on.** Urge, press earnestly, persist in demanding, insist upon.

**Insistence,** *n.* Urging, urgency, importunity, solicitousness, persistent urgency.

**Insist upon.** See INSIST ON.

**In situ.** [L.] 1. (*Min.*) In the original position, as originally deposited *or* formed.
2. In its proper place.

**Insnare,** *v. a.* [Written also *Ensnare.*] 1. Entrap, catch.
2. Inveigle, allure, seduce.
3. Entangle, embarrass, perplex, confound, bewilder.

**Insolate,** *v. a.* 1. Expose to the rays of the sun.
2. Dry in the sun.

**Insolation,** *n.* 1. Exposure to the rays of the sun.
2. Drying in the sun.
3. Sun-stroke, siriasis, *coup-de-soleil.*

**Insolence,** *n.* 1. Insulting rudeness, overbearing contempt, haughty disrespect, contumely.
2. Impertinence, impudence, sauciness, pertness, malapertness.
3. Contumacy, frowardness, impudent disrespect, insulting disobedience *or* insubordination.

**Insolent,** *a.* 1. Rude, abusive, overbearing, domineering, contemptuous, insulting, contumelious.
2. Impertinent, impudent, saucy, pert, malapert.
3. Insultingly disobedient *or* insubordinate, impudently *or* outrageously disrespectful (*to superiors*), froward, contumacious.

**Insolubility,** *n.* Insolubleness.

**Insoluble,** *a.* 1. That cannot be dissolved *or* melted *or* liquefied, indissoluble, indissolvable.
2. Insolvable, inexplicable, that cannot be solved, not to be explained.

**Insolubleness,** *n.* Insolubility. See preceding adjective.

**Insolvable,** *a.* Inexplicable, that cannot be solved, not to be explained.

**Insolvency,** *n.* Bankruptcy.

**Insolvent,** *a.* Bankrupt.

**Insomnia,** *n.* [L.] (*Med.*) Wakefulness, sleeplessness, indisposition to sleep, inability to sleep.

**Inspect,** *v. a.* 1. Examine, scrutinize, investigate, look into, pry into.
2. Superintend, supervise, oversee.

**Inspection,** *n.* 1. Examination, scrutiny, investigation.
2. Superintendence, supervision, oversight.

**Inspector,** *n.* 1. Examiner, censor, critic, visitor.
2. Superintendent, supervisor, overseer, boss.

**Inspiration,** *n.* 1. Inhalation, breathing in.
2. Afflatus, supernatural influence.
3. Divine influence *or* afflatus, theopneusty.
4. Inspired state *or* character, divine authority *or* authorization.
5. Elevation, inspiriting, elevating influence.
6. Exaltation, lofty mood, enthusiasm, enthusiastic impulse, elevating sentiment.
7. Supreme *or* extraordinary insight, genius.

**Inspire,** *v. n.* Inhale air, draw in the breath.

**Inspire,** *v. a.* 1. Inhale, breathe in.
2. Breathe into, fill with the breath.
3. Infuse, instil.
4. Animate, inspirit, enliven, cheer.
5. Affect by supernatural influence, fill with supernatural knowledge, endow with superhuman insight.
6. Endow with extraordinary insight, fill *or* endow with genius.

7. Elevate, exalt, stimulate to aspiration, fill with enthusiasm.
8. Animate, imbue, inform, quicken, enliven, fill.

**Inspirit,** *v. a.* Animate, invigorate, enliven, encourage, enhearten, hearten, embolden, cheer, comfort, stimulate, incite, quicken, rouse, arouse, fire, give new life to.

**Inspissate,** *v. a.* Thicken, make thick.

**Inspissate,** *a.* Thick, inspissated.

**In sport.** In jest, not in earnest, sportively, jestingly.

**Instable,** *a.* [Written preferably *Unstable.*] 1. Unsettled, insecure, liable to fall, not stable, not permanent, not firm, tottering.
2. Mutable, variable, changeable, liable to change.
3. Inconstant, fickle, changeable, volatile, mercurial.

**Install,** *v. a.* Inaugurate, induct, introduce into office.

**Installation,** *n.* Inauguration, investiture, instalment, ceremony of induction.

**Instalment,** *n.* [Written also *Installment.*] 1. See INSTALLATION.
2. Successive portion, partial payment.

**Instance,** *n.* 1. Solicitation, request, prompting, instigation, incitement, impulse.
2. Urgency, urgent solicitation, importunity, persistent pressure.
3. Example, exemplification, illustration, case.

**Instance,** *v. a.* Mention (as an instance), bring forward as an example, cite, specify.

**Instant,** *a.* 1. Pressing, urgent, importunate, earnest.
2. Immediate, quick, instantaneous.
3. Current, present, now passing.

**Instant,** *n.* 1. Moment, second, twinkling, flash, trice, jiffy, twinkling of an eye, smallest conceivable point of time.
2. Time, particular time, hour, moment.

**Instantaneous,** *a.* Immediate, quick, instant.

**Instantaneously,** } *ad.* Immediately, forthwith,
**Instantly,** } *instanter*, in an instant, on the instant, in a moment, right away, without a moment's delay, all at once, on the moment, on the spur of the moment, in less than no time, quick as thought, quick as lightning, before one can say "Jack Robinson."

**Instanter,** *ad.* [L.] See INSTANTANEOUSLY, INSTANTLY.

**Instar omnium.** [L.] Like all, a specimen of the whole, an example for all.

**In statu quo.** [L.] In the same state as before, in the existing condition.

**Instauration,** *n.* Restoration, renewal, re-establishment, reinstatement, renovation, reconstruction, redintegration, reconstitution, rehabilitation.

**Instead,** *ad.* In lieu, in the room, in (the) place.

**Instigate,** *v. a.* [*In a bad sense.*] Incite, prompt, impel, move, urge, provoke, stimulate, rouse, actuate, persuade, influence, encourage, set on, prevail upon, stir up, spur on.

**Instigation,** *n.* Incitement, urgency, encouragement, prompting, influence, solicitation, instance.

**Instil,** *v. a.* [Written also *Instill.*] 1. Infuse, insinuate.
2. Inculcate, impress, enforce, implant, ingraft.

**Instillation,** *n.* Infusion, insinuation, gentle introduction.

**Instinct,** *n.* Natural impulse, blind impulse, native tendency, innate *or* inborn proclivity.

**Instinct,** *a.* Alive, quick, animated, informed, alert.

**Instinctive,** *a.* 1. Natural, spontaneous, involuntary, prompted by instinct.
2. Impulsive, unreflecting, not deliberate.

**Instinct with.** Moved by (*as an internal impulse*), animated by, alive with, quick with, informed with *or* by, quickened by, alert with.

**Institute,** *v. a.* 1. Establish, found, originate, appoint, settle, fix, set up.
2. Enact, ordain, establish, pass.
3. Begin, commence, set in operation, set going, set on foot.
4. Invest with a sacred office, invest with the care of souls.

**Institute,** *n.* 1. Doctrine, dogma, precept, maxim, principle, tenet.
2. Scientific body, literary *or* philosophical society.
3. School, academy, gymnasium, seminary, place of education, institution of learning, institution.

**Institution,** *n.* 1. Establishing, founding, foundation, enactment, etc. See INSTITUTE, *v. a.*, 1 and 2.
2. Establishment, organized society.
3. Investiture.
4. Established custom, organized relation, organized *or* established practice.
5. Institute, school, academy, seminary, gymnasium, college, university, place of education.

**Instruct,** *v. a.* 1. Teach, inform, enlighten, indoctrinate, exercise, train, school, educate.
2. Direct, command, order, enjoin, prescribe to.

**Instruction,** *n.* 1. Teaching, information, education, indoctrination, training, schooling, discipline, tuition, nurture, breeding.
2. Advice, counsel, precept.
3. Direction, order, command, mandate.

**Instructor,** *n.* Teacher, tutor, preceptor, master, school-master, educator.

**Instrument,** *n.* 1. Tool, implement, utensil.
2. Medium, agent, means.
3. Writing, document, charter, deed, indenture.
4. Musical instrument.

**Instrumental,** *a.* 1. Conducive, subservient, serviceable, helping, helpful, assisting, auxiliary, ancillary, subsidiary, ministerial.
2. Of (*musical*) instruments.

**Instrumentality,** *n.* Agency, mediation, intervention.

**Insubordinate,** *a.* Disobedient, unruly, mutinous, riotous, seditious, disorderly, turbulent, ungovernable, refractory.

**Insubordination,** *n.* 1. Disobedience, revolt, insurrection, mutiny, riotousness, sedition.
2. Indiscipline, lax discipline, laxity.

**Insufferable,** *a.* 1. Intolerable, insupportable, unbearable, unendurable, that cannot be borne *or* endured.
2. Outrageous, disgusting, detestable, abominable, execrable.

**Insufficiency,** *n.* Inadequateness, inadequacy, incompetence, deficiency, lack, defectiveness, dearth.

**Insufficient,** *a.* 1. Inadequate, incompetent, deficient.
2. Unsuited, unfitted, incapable, unqualified.

**Insular,** *a.* 1. Surrounded by water, with the characteristics of an island.
2. Of islands, belonging to islands, characteristic of islands.
3. Narrow, contracted, prejudiced, petty, illiberal, limited, restricted.

**Insulate,** *v. a.* Detach, isolate, separate, disconnect, disunite, disengage.

**Insulation,** *n.* Isolation, separation, disconnection, disengagement.

**Insulator,** *n.* (*Phys.*) Non-conductor.

**Insult,** *n.* Affront, offence, indignity, outrage, abuse, contumely.

**Insult,** *v. a.* Affront, offend, abuse, treat with insolence, offer an indignity to, show *or* display insolence toward, commit an indignity upon.

**Insulting,** *a.* Insolent, abusive, vituperative, grossly abusive, contumelious.

**Insuperable,** *a.* 1. Insurmountable, impassable.

2. Insurmountable, too great to be overcome, that cannot be got over.

**Insupportable,** *a.* Intolerable, unbearable, unendurable, insufferable.

**Insuppressible,** *a.* 1. Uncontrollable, irrepressible, not to be kept down, that cannot be held in check.

2. Impossible to conceal *or* suppress, that cannot be covered up.

**Insurance,** *n.* Assurance, security against loss.

**Insure,** *v. a.* [Written also *Ensure.*] 1. Make secure, make sure *or* certain.

2. Assure, secure against loss, agree to indemnify for loss.

**Insure,** *v. n.* Underwrite, furnish insurance.

**Insurer,** *n.* Underwriter.

**Insurgent,** *a.* Rebellious, seditious, insubordinate, disobedient, mutinous.

**Insurgent,** *n.* Rebel, revolter.

**Insurmountable,** *a.* See INSUPERABLE.

**Insurrection,** *n.* Rebellion, revolt, sedition, mutiny, rising, uprising.

**Insurrectionary,** *a.* Rebellious, seditious, mutinous, insubordinate.

**Insusceptible,** *a.* 1. Insensible, unimpressible, insusceptive, not susceptible.

2. Incapable, incapable of receiving, not admitting, that does not admit.

**Insusceptive,** *a.* See INSUSCEPTIBLE, 1.

**Intact,** *a.* 1. Untouched, uninjured, unhurt, unharmed, scathless.

2. Undiminished, unbroken, whole, entire, without a fracture.

**Intangibility,** *n.* Intangibleness.

**Intangible,** *a.* 1. Impalpable, that cannot be touched, that cannot be felt.

2. Impalpable, imperceptible, indefinite, vague, dim.

**Intangibleness,** *n.* Intangibility. See preceding adjective.

**Integer,** *n.* Whole number.

**Integral,** *a.* Whole, entire, total.

**Integral,** *n.* (*Math.*) Fluent.

**Integrity,** *n.* 1. Wholeness, entireness, entirety, completeness.

2. Rectitude, uprightness, probity, honesty, virtue, goodness, principle, moral soundness.

**Integument,** *n.* Covering, envelope, tegument.

**Intellect,** *n.* Understanding, reason, mind, sense, brains, thinking principle, reasoning faculty, rational faculty, discursive faculty, intellectual powers, intellectual faculties, cognitive faculty, cognitive powers, power of cognition.

**Intellection,** *n.* 1. Apprehension, cognition, cognizance, knowing.

2. Thinking, comprehending, comprehension, understanding.

**Intellectual,** *a.* 1. Mental, of the intellect, of the understanding, pertaining *or* relating to the intellect.

2. Of intellect, marked by intellect, of marked intellect, full of intellect *or* intelligence.

**Intelligence,** *n.* 1. Information, knowledge, acquired knowledge.

2. News, tidings, advice, notice, notification, instruction.

3. Spirit, spiritual being.

4. Penetration, acumen, quickness, brightness, quick understanding, discernment, clear apprehension.

**Intelligent,** *a.* 1. Instructed, enlightened, well-informed.

2. Astute, acute, quick, alert, knowing, clever, bright, apt, shrewd, discerning, clear-sighted, keen-sighted, quick-sighted, sharp-sighted, sharp-witted, keen-eyed, long-headed, clear-headed.

**Intelligibility,** *n.* Comprehensibility, intelligibleness.

**Intelligible,** *a.* Clear, plain, distinct, comprehensible, that may be understood.

**Intelligibleness,** *n.* See INTELLIGIBILITY.

**Intemperance,** *n.* 1. Excess (*in any action* or *in any indulgence*), want of moderation.

2. Habitual excess in drinking intoxicating liquors.

**Intemperate,** *a.* 1. [*Said of things.*] Excessive, inordinate, immoderate, uncontrolled, extravagant, extreme.

2. [*Said of persons.*] Wanting in moderation, inconsiderate, extreme, extravagant.

3. Given to excess in drinking intoxicating liquors.

**Intend,** *v. a.* Mean, design, purpose, meditate, contemplate, propose to one's self, have in view, think of, aim at, drive at.

**Intendant,** *n.* Superintendent, overseer, supervisor, inspector.

**Intense,** *a.* 1. Close, strict, intent, severe, strained, stretched.

2. Extreme, very great, of high *or* great degree.

3. Forcible, energetic, vigorous, powerful.

4. Ardent, vehement, earnest.

**Intenseness,** *n.* Intensity.

**Intensify,** *v. a.* Strengthen, deepen, quicken, make intense, make more intense.

**Intensity,** *n.* 1. Intenseness, closeness, strictness, severity.

2. Excess, vehemence, extremity, violence, high degree, extreme degree.

3. Vigor, strength, power, activity, force, energy.

4. Ardor, earnestness, vehemence.

**Intensive,** *a.* 1. Intensifying, emphatic, serving to add force.

2. Capable of intensification.

**Intent,** *a.* 1. Eager, earnest, close, closely fixed.

2. Bent, resolutely bent, set.

**Intent,** *n.* Design, purpose, intention, aim, end, meaning, drift, purport, object, scope, mark, purview.

**Intention,** *n.* Design, purpose. See INTENT.

**Intentional,** *a.* Designed, intended, premeditated, contemplated, preconcerted, studied, deliberate.

**Inter,** *v. a.* Bury (*with funeral rites*), inhume, entomb, inurn, commit to the earth.

**Intercalate,** *v. a.* Interpolate, insert.

**Intercede,** *v. n.* 1. Mediate, arbitrate, interpose.

2. Plead, make intercession.

**Interceder,** *n.* Mediator, intercessor.

**Intercept,** *v. a.* 1. Stop on the way, seize on the passage.

2. Interrupt, obstruct, cut off.

**Intercession,** *n.* 1. Mediation, interposition, intervention.

2. Pleading, supplication, entreaty, prayer.

**Intercessor,** *n.* Mediator, interceder.

**Interchange,** *v. a.* Exchange, change reciprocally, give and take mutually.

**Interchange,** *n.* 1. Exchange, reciprocity, reciprocation.

2. Alternation, alternate succession.

**Interchangeability,** *n.* Interchangeableness.

**Interchangeable,** *a.* That may be interchanged, mutually exchangeable.

**Interchangeableness,** *n.* Interchangeability.
**Interchangeably,** *ad.* Alternately, by interchange, by reciprocation.
**Intercourse,** *n.* Communication, commerce, converse, communion, connection, mutual exchange.
**Interdependence,** *n.* Mutual *or* reciprocal dependence.
**Interdict,** *v. a.* Forbid, prohibit, inhibit, proscribe.
**Interdict,** *n.* I. Prohibition, interdiction.
2. (*Eccles.*) Ban, suspension of religious privileges.
**Interdiction,** *n.* I. Interdicting.
2. Prohibition, interdict.
**Interest,** *v. a.* I. Concern, affect, touch, be of importance to.
2. Engage, enlist, attract.
**Interest,** *n.* I. Good, benefit, profit, weal, advantage.
2. Share, portion, part, participation.
3. Concern, regard, sympathy, pleased attention.
4. Authority, influence.
5. Selfishness, self-interest, private interest.
6. Premium (*for the use of money*), profit (*from money loaned*)
**Interested,** *a.* I. Partial, biassed, prejudiced.
2. Selfish, self-seeking.
**Interesting,** *a.* Engaging, attractive, pleasing, entertaining.
**Interest one's self.** Take an interest, feel an interest, be engaged, be concerned.
**Interfere,** *v. n.* I. Intermeddle, meddle, interpose, put in one's oar.
2. Clash, conflict, be opposed, come into collision.
**Interference,** *n.* I. Intermeddling, interposition, interposal.
2. Clashing, opposition, interfering, collision.
**Interfering,** *n.* Clashing, interference, opposition, collision.
**Interim,** *n.* Interval, intermediate time, meantime.
**Interior,** *a.* I. Internal, inner, inward.
2. Inland, remote (*from the shore* or *the frontier*).
3. Home, domestic (*opposed to foreign* or *external*).
**Interior,** *n.* Inside, inner part, interior part.
**Interjacent,** *a.* Intervening, intermediate, interposed.
**Interject,** *v. a.* Insert, put between, throw in between.
**Interjection,** *n.* I. Exclamation.
2. Exclamatory particle.
**Interlace,** *v. a.* Intertwine, interweave, inweave, intwine, twine together.
**Interlard,** *v. a.* Mix, intersperse, intertwine, diversify, vary.
**Interline,** *v. a.* I. Write between the lines of.
2. Write in alternate lines.
**Interlineal,** / **Interlinear,** } *a.* Interlined.
**Interlink,** / **Interlock,** } *v. a.* Interchain, join closely together.
**Interlocution,** *n.* Dialogue, colloquy, conference, interchange of speech.
**Interlocutor,** *n.* Speaker (*in a dialogue*), respondent, companion in conversation.
**Interlope,** *v. n.* Intrude, meddle, intermeddle.
**Interloper,** *n.* I. Intermeddler, meddler.
2. Intruder.
**Intermeddle,** *v. n.* Interfere, meddle, take part officiously.
**Intermediate,** *a.* Intervening, interposed, interjacent.
**Interment,** *n.* Burial, inhumation, sepulture.
**Interminable,** *a.* I. Illimitable, unlimited, boundless, unbounded, limitless, endless, infinite.
2. Wearisomely protracted, tediously long, long-drawn, that seems as if it would never end.
**Intermingle,** *v. a.* and *v. n.* Blend, mingle, commingle, intermix, commix, mix, mix together.
**Intermission,** *n.* Remission, suspension, suspense, stoppage, stop, interruption, pause, rest, respite.
**Intermit,** *v. a.* I. Suspend, interrupt, stop for a while *or* for a time.
2. Discontinue, cease, stop, leave off, give over.
**Intermit,** *v. n.* Cease, abate, subside, be suspended, be interrupted, cease for a time.
**Intermittent,** *a.* Intermitting, remittent.
**Intermittent,** *n.* Intermittent fever, remittent fever, fever and ague.
**Intermix,** *v. a.* and *v. n.* Blend, mix, commix, mingle, commingle, mix together.
**Internal,** *a.* I. Interior, inner, inward, inside.
2. Spiritual, incorporeal, mental, in the mind *or* heart.
3. [*Said of meaning* or *sense.*] Inner, interior, under, hidden, deeper, higher, spiritual, secret, metaphorical, emblematic, symbolical.
4. Intrinsic, real, genuine, true.
5. Domestic, home, interior (*as opposed to foreign*).
**International,** *a.* Between nations.
**Internecine,** *a.* Mortal, deadly, exterminating, exterminatory, mutually destructive, interneciary, internecinal, internecive.
**Inter nos.** [L.] Between ourselves.
**Interpellate,** *v. a.* Question, interrogate, question imperatively.
**Interpellation,** *n.* I. Interruption (*of one who is speaking*).
2. Intercession, interposition.
3. Official questioning *or* interrogation (*of a minister by the legislative body*).
**Interplay,** *n.* Reciprocal action, interaction.
**Interpolate,** *v. a.* I. Insert (*wrongfully*), foist in.
2. (*Math.*) Introduce, intercalate (*terms to complete a series*).
**Interpose,** *v. a.* I. Intrude, thrust in.
2. Put in, insert, set *or* place between.
3. Offer (*or* bring in *or* to bear) by way of mediation.
**Interpose,** *v. n.* I. Mediate, intercede, arbitrate.
2. Remark (*by way of interruption*).
3. Interfere, intermeddle.
4. Interfere, go *or* come to the rescue, bring succor.
**Interposition,** *n.* Mediation, intervention, interpellation, intercession.
**Interpret,** *v. a.* I. Explain, expound, decipher, elucidate, unfold, define, make out, make clear, explain the meaning of.
2. Construe, translate, render.
**Interpretation,** *n.* I. Explanation, exposition, elucidation.
2. Rendering, translation, version, construction.
3. Meaning, sense, signification.
**Interpreter,** *n.* Expounder, expositor.
**Interrogate,** *v. a.* Question, catechise, examine, ask, inquire of, put questions to, interpellate.
**Interrogation,** *n.* I. Interrogating, questioning, catechising, examining, examination, interpellation.
2. Question, inquiry, interrogatory, query.
**Interrogative,** *a.* Interrogatory.
**Interrogator,** *n.* Questioner, examiner.
**Interrogatory,** *n.* Question, inquiry, interrogation, query.
**Interrogatory,** *a.* Interrogative.

**In terrorem.** [L.] By way of threat, for a warning.

**Interrupt,** *v. a.* I. Disturb, stop, break, hinder, cause to delay, cause to cease, interfere with, break in upon, hinder from proceeding.
2. Separate, divide, break, disconnect, disunite, disjoin, sunder, dissever, sever, cut, dissolve.
3. Intermit, suspend, discontinue, break off, leave off, cease for a time.

**Interruption,** *n.* I. Hindrance, stop, stoppage, obstruction, obstacle, impediment.
2. Intermission, pause, suspension, cessation, discontinuance.
3. Separation, division, breaking, break, disconnection, disconnecting, disuniting, disunion, disjunction, sundering, severance, dissolution.

**Intersect,** *v. a.* Cross, cut.

**Intersect,** *v. n.* Cross each other, cut each other.

**Intersection,** *n.* Crossing

**Interspace,** *n* Interval. See INTERSTICE.

**Intersperse,** *v. a.* I. Scatter *or* set here and there.
2. Interlard, mix, diversify by mixture.

**Interstice,** *n.* Interval, interspace, intervening space, space between.

**Interstitial,** *a.* Intervening, intermediate.

**Intertangle,** *v. a.* Intertwist, tangle, entangle.

**Intertexture,** *n.* I. Interweaving, intertwining.
2. Interwoven condition, intertwined state.
3. Interwoven mass.

**Intertwine,** *v. a.* Interweave, interlace, intwine, inweave, twine together.

**Intertwine,** *v. n.* Interlace, be intertwined, be interlaced, be twined together, be mutually woven together.

**Intertwist,** *v. a.* Twist *or* twine together. See INTERTWINE.

**Interval,** *n.* I. Interstice, space between, intermediate space.
2. Season, spell, period, term, space of time, intermediate time, intervening time *or* period.

**Intervene,** *v. n.* I. Interfere, come between.
2. Happen (*in the mean time*), occur, befall.
3. Be intermediate *or* interjacent, come between.

**Intervening,** *a.* I. Intermediate, interjacent.
2. Interstitial.

**Intervention,** *n* I. Interposition, interference.
2. Mediation, agency

**Interview,** *n.* I. Meeting.
2. Conference, parley.

**Interweave,** *v. a.* I. Intertwine, interlace, inweave, weave together.
2. Mix, mingle, intermix, intermingle.

**Intestate,** *a.* Without a will.

**Intestinal,** *a.* Of the intestines.

**Intestine,** *a.* Internal, interior, domestic.

**Intestines,** *n. pl.* Entrails, bowels, viscera, inwards, insides, guts.

**In the family way.** Pregnant, *enceinte*, with child, on the increase.

**In the good graces of.** In favor with, favored by.

**In the long run.** Finally, in the end, as a final result.

**In the name of.** I. By authority of, on behalf of, in the stead of.
2. For the sake of, *as, qua*, as such, out of regard for the idea of, in view of the nature of.

**In the rough.** In a rude condition.

**In the straw.** Confined, lying in, in child-bed, brought to bed, in *or* during parturition.

**In the teeth of.** In spite of, in direct opposition to, despite.

**In the wind.** In preparation, going to be, going to happen.

**In the wrong.** I. Mistaken, in error, wrong.
2. Wrong, unjust, unjustifiable, to blame.

**Inthrall,** *v. a.* [Written also *Inthral*, *Enthral*, and *Enthrall*.] Enslave, reduce to servitude, put under restraint.

**Inthralment,** *n.* [Written also *Enthralment*.] Enslavement, servitude, slavery, bondage, vassalage, serfdom, thraldom, captivity.

**Intimacy,** *n.* I. Familiarity, fellowship, friendship, close acquaintance.
2. Intimate character, nearness, closeness.

**Intimate,** *a.* I. Near, close.
2. Familiar, friendly, hand and glove, hail fellow well met.
3. Familiar, close, bosom, very dear, confidential.
4. Inward, internal, interior, from within.

**Intimate,** *n.* Confidant, crony, familiar friend, intimate acquaintance, bosom friend.

**Intimate,** *v. a.* Suggest, hint, insinuate, allude to, make allusion to, give an inkling of, glance at, remind of, put in mind of.

**Intimately,** *ad.* I. Closely, nearly.
2. Familiarly, closely, confidentially.
3. Thoroughly, familiarly, through and through, to the core, to the bottom.

**Intimation,** *n* Hint, suggestion, allusion, insinuation, innuendo.

**Intimidate,** *v. a.* Frighten, affright, alarm, scare, daunt, dismay, terrify, appall, put in fear, fright (*poetical*).

**Intimidation,** *n.* I. Intimidating.
2. Fear, terror, terrorism, reign of terror.

**Intolerable,** *a.* Insufferable, insupportable, unbearable, unendurable, not to be tolerated *or* borne.

**Intolerance,** *n.* I. Bigotry, narrowness, proscriptive *or* persecuting spirit, want of toleration, want of forbearance.
2. Non-endurance, inability to bear, rejection.

**Intolerant,** *a.* I. Overbearing, supercilious, dictatorial, imperious.
2. Narrow, bigoted, proscriptive.

**Intonation,** *n.* Tone, cadence, modulation of voice.

**In toto.** [L.] Entirely, wholly.

**Intoxicate,** *v. a.* Inebriate, fuddle, muddle, make drunk, make tipsy.

**Intoxicated,** *a.* Inebriated, drunk, tipsy, drunken, fuddled, muddled, disguised, maudlin, mellow, in liquor, in one's cups, half-seas-over, three sheets in the wind.

**Intoxication,** *n.* I. Inebriation, ebriety, inebriety, drunkenness.
2. Infatuation, great excitement, great exhilaration.

**Intractability,** *n.* Stubbornness, obstinacy, perverseness, intractableness. See following adjective.

**Intractable,** *a.* Stubborn, obstinate, perverse, refractory, dogged, headstrong, unmanageable, ungovernable, indocile, obdurate, cross-grained, wilful, inflexible, unyielding, contumacious, cantankerous, froward, unruly, pig-headed, mulish.

**Intractableness,** *n.* Intractability.

**In transitu.** [L.] While passing (*as merchandise from one place to another*), during conveyance.

**Intrench,** *v. a.* I. Furrow, make furrows in.
2. Fortify with intrenchments.

**Intrenchment,** *n.* I. Intrenching.
2. Fortification (*by trenches and parapet*), earthwork.
3. Defence, protection, shelter.
4. Encroachment, inroad, invasion (*of rights*)

**Intrench on.** Invade, trespass upon, encroach upon, trench upon, intrench upon.

**Intrench upon.** See INTRENCH ON.

**Intrepid,** *a.* Bold, fearless, dauntless, undaunted, undismayed, unterrified, unappalled, unawed, brave, courageous, valorous, valiant, heroic, gallant, daring, doughty.

**Intrepidity,** *n.* Boldness, fearlessness, dauntlessness, bravery, courage, valor, prowess, gallantry, spirit, heroism, daring, contempt of danger.

**Intricacy,** *n.* Perplexity, complexity, complication, entanglement, involution, obscurity, difficulty, intricateness.

**Intricate,** *a.* Entangled, complicated, involved, perplexed, obscure, mazy, difficult.

**Intricateness,** *n.* See INTRICACY.

**Intrigue,** *n.* 1. Plot, conspiracy, cabal, machination, stratagem, manœuvre, wile, finesse, ruse.
2. Amour, love affair, *liaison*, illicit intimacy.
3. Gallantry, libertinism.

**Intrigue,** *v. n.* 1. Manœuvre, form plots.
2. Carry on an amour *or* amours.

**Intriguing,** *a.* Cunning, crafty, artful, sly, wily, subtle, insidious, designing, arch, deceitful, trickish, tricky, crooked, diplomatic, politic, foxy, snaky, Machiavelian.

**Intrinsic,** } *a.* 1. Inherent, internal, inward,
**Intrinsical,** } inborn, inbred, native, natural, ingrained, not extrinsic.
2. Real, genuine, true, essential.

**Intrinsically,** *ad.* 1. Naturally, inherently, in the nature of things, in the nature of the case, in the grain.
2. Really, truly, essentially.

**Introduce,** *v. a.* 1. Conduct, lead in, bring in, usher in.
2. Present, make acquainted.
3. Bring into notice, bring before the public, bring into use.
4. Begin, commence, be the first to take up.

**Introduction,** *n.* 1. Introducing, ushering in.
2. Presentation.
3. Preface, prelude, proem, exordium, preliminary part.
4. Introductory treatise, elementary *or* rudimentary guide.

**Introductory,** *a.* Prefatory, preliminary, precursory, proemial.

**Introspection,** *n.* Looking within, self-contemplation.

**Intrude,** *v. n.* 1. Obtrude, force one's self, thrust one's self, enter where one is not welcome, interlope.
2. Encroach, trench, infringe, trespass.

**Intrude,** *v. a.* Obtrude, force in, thrust in, press in, foist in, worm in.

**Intruder,** *n.* Interloper, intermeddler, meddler.

**Intrusion,** *n.* 1. Intruding, obtrusion.
2. Encroachment, infringement.

**Intrusive,** *a.* Obtrusive, trespassing.

**Intrust,** *v. a.* Confide, commit, consign, give in trust, deliver in trust.

**Intrust with.** Confide to (the care of), commit to (the safe-keeping of), place in one's trust.

**Intuition,** *n.* 1. Immediate perception (*by the intellect*), immediate knowledge, instinctive knowledge, direct cognition, apprehension at first sight.
2. Immediate perception (*by sense*), perception, beholding.

**Intuitive,** *a.* 1. Apprehended immediately, perceived at once (*without reasoning*).
2. Immediate, full, clear, distinct.

**Intuitively,** *ad.* By intuition.

**Intumesce,** *v. n.* Swell, expand, dilate, become tumid.

**Intumescence,** *n.* Swelling, tumefaction, turgescence, inturgescence.

**Intwine,** *v. a.* Inweave, interweave, intertwine, interlace, twine together.

**Inundate,** *v. a.* 1. Flood, deluge, submerge, overflow, overwhelm, drown.
2. Fill to superfluity, flood, deluge, glut.

**Inundation,** *n.* 1. Inundating. See the verb.
2. Flood, deluge, overflow, cataclysm.

**Inurbane,** *a.* Unpolished, uncourtly, uncourteous, uncomplaisant, uncouth.

**Inurbanity,** *n.* Uncourtliness, uncourteousness, lack of polish, want of complaisance.

**Inure,** *v. a.* Habituate, accustom, use, familiarize, train, harden.

**Inure,** *v. n.* Be applied, come into use, take effect.

**Inurn,** *v. a.* Bury, inter, entomb, inhume, lay in the grave, consign to the grave, consign to earth.

**Inutility,** *n.* Uselessness, unprofitableness.

**In vacuo.** [L.] In a vacuum.

**Invade,** *v. a.* 1. March into, enter in force, enter with an army.
2. Infringe, violate, encroach upon, trench upon.

**Invalid** (*in-val'id*), *a.* 1. Weak, of no weight, of no force.
2. (*Law.*) Void, null, of no legal force, null and void.
3. Unsound, unfounded, baseless, untrue, fallacious, that does not hold (good).

**Invalid** (*in'val-id*), *a.* Weak, feeble, infirm, sick, sickly, weakly, frail, valetudinary.

**Invalid** (*in'val-id*), *n.* Valetudinarian, feeble person, infirm person, sick person.

**Invalidate,** *v. a.* Nullify, annul, cancel, overthrow, make void, render of no effect.

**Invalidism,** *n.* Feebleness, infirmity, illness, sickness, valetudinarianism.

**Invalidity,** *n.* Unsoundness, lack of validity, nullity, baselessness, fallaciousness, fallacy, falsity.

**Invaluable,** *a.* Inestimable, priceless, very precious, above all value, above all price. See INESTIMABLE.

**Invariability,** *n.* See INVARIABLENESS.

**Invariable,** *a.* 1. Unchangeable, immutable, unalterable, changeless.
2. Constant, unchanging, uniform, changeless, unvarying.

**Invariableness,** *n.* 1. Unchangeableness, immutability, invariability, changelessness.
2. Constancy, uniformity, changelessness, unvarying character.

**Invasion,** *n.* 1. Attack, assault, aggression, incursion, irruption, inroad, foray, raid.
2. Encroachment, infringement, violation.
3. Invading. See the verb.

**Invective,** *n.* 1. Abuse, contumely, reproach, censure, railing, vituperation, sarcastic attack, rhetorical assault.
2. Satire, sarcasm, pasquinade, philippic, diatribe, fling.

**Invective,** *a.* 1. Abusive, reproachful, censorious, captious, railing, scolding.
2. Satirical, sarcastic, assailing.

**Inveigh against.** Censure, reproach, condemn, blame, denounce, declaim against, rail at, exclaim against, vituperate.

**Inveigle,** *v. a.* Entice, decoy, beguile, entrap, ensnare, lure.

**Invent,** *v. a.* 1. Contrive (*what did not before exist*), devise, be the first to contrive *or* devise.
2. Originate, create, frame, imagine, excogitate, conceive, concoct.
3. Fabricate, forge, coin.

**Invention,** *n.* 1. Inventing, origination, creation.
2. Contrivance, device, design.
3. Ingenuity, power of inventing.
4. Fabrication, forgery, fiction, coinage.

**Inventive,** *a.* Ingenious, creative, quick at contrivance, fertile in expedients.

**Inventor,** *n.* Contriver, originator, creator, father, author.

**Inventory,** *n.* List (*as of the goods of a merchant* or *of a deceased person*), roll, schedule, record, account, register. See CATALOGUE.

**Inverse,** *a.* Inverted (*as respects order* or *relation*), reversed, indirect.

**Inversion,** *n.* 1. Inverting, reversing, placing in contrary order.
2. Inverting, upsetting, turning upside down.
3. Reciprocal change of place, reversed position.
4. (*Rhet.*) Hyperbaton, transposition of words.

**Invert,** *v. a.* 1. Turn upside down.
2. Reverse, place in contrary order.

**Invertebral,** } *a.* (*Zoöl.*) Without vertebræ,
**Invertebrate,** } destitute of a backbone.

**Invest,** *v a.* 1. Clothe, dress, array.
2. Endow (*as with authority* or *power*), endue.
3. Put at interest (*as money*).
4. (*Mil.*) Enclose, surround, beset, besiege, lay siege to.

**Investigable,** *a.* That may be investigated, capable of investigation, that admits of investigation.

**Investigate,** *v. a.* Examine, scrutinize, canvass, study, sift, consider, overhaul, explore, probe, dissect, look into, search out, search into, inquire into, follow up.

**Investigation,** *n.* Examination, study, scrutiny, inquiry, research, exploration, inquisition, sifting.

**Investigator,** *n.* Inquirer, searcher, student, conductor of researches.

**Investiture,** *n.* Installation, induction, habilitation.

**Investment,** *n.* 1. Investing. See INVEST.
2. Vestment, dress, robe, garments, habiliments, clothes.
3. Money invested.
4. (*Mil.*) Siege.

**Inveteracy,** *n.* Inveterateness, obstinacy, chronic state.

**Inveterate,** *a.* 1. Obstinate, besetting, chronic, deep-seated, long established.
2. Habituated, habitual, accustomed, confirmed, hardened.

**Invidious,** *a.* Offensive, hateful, odious, likely to excite ill-will.

**Invigorate,** *v. a.* Strengthen, fortify, animate, quicken, energize, give vigor to, give life and energy to.

**Invincibility,** *n.* Unconquerableness, invincibleness.

**Invincible,** *a.* 1. Unconquerable, indomitable, unsubduable, incapable of subjugation.
2. Unconquerable, insuperable, irrepressible, ineradicable, incapable of eradication *or* suppression.
3. Insuperable, insurmountable, too great to be overcome.

**Invincibleness,** *n.* Invincibility.

**Inviolability,** *n.* Inviolableness.

**Inviolable,** *a.* Sacred, inviolate, stainless, holy.

**Inviolableness,** *n.* Inviolability.

**Inviolate,** *a.* 1. Unbroken, unviolated.
2. Unhurt, uninjured, unprofaned, unpolluted, unstained, stainless.
3. Sacred, inviolable.

**Invisibility,** *n.* Invisibleness.

**Invisible,** *a.* Imperceptible, unseen, that cannot be seen, incapable of being seen.

**Invisibleness,** *n.* Invisibility.

**Invita Minerva.** [L., With Minerva unwilling.] Without inspiration, without the touch of genius, mechanically, by effort, prosaically

**Invitation,** *n.* Solicitation, bidding, call, summons.

**Invite,** *v. a.* 1. Solicit, bid, summon, call, ask, request.
2. Allure, attract, entice, lead, draw on, prevail upon.

**Inviting,** *a.* 1. Alluring, attractive, winning, engaging, captivating, pleasing, fascinating, bewitching.
2. Prepossessing, promising.

**Invocation,** *n.* 1. Supplication, prayer, petition, orison.
2. Invoking. See INVOKE.

**In vogue.** Fashionable, modish, in fashion, having a run, the rage.

**Invoice,** *n.* List (*of articles of merchandise shipped* or *sold*), inventory, bill, schedule.

**Invoke,** *v. a.* Implore, supplicate, pray, entreat, beg, beseech, importune, solicit, conjure, adjure, call upon, pray to, appeal to, prefer a request to.

**Involuntary,** *a.* 1. Instinctive, automatic, blind, independent of volition.
2. Unwilling, reluctant, compulsory, against one's will.

**Involution,** *n.* 1. Complication, intricacy, entanglement.
2. Inwrapping, infolding, infolded state.
3. (*Math.*) Raising to a power.
4. (*Med.*) Resorption.

**Involve,** *v. a.* 1. Envelop, inwrap, wrap, cover.
2. Include (*as a consequence*), imply, comprise, embrace, contain, lead to.
3. Entangle, implicate.
4. Complicate, make intricate.
5. Join, conjoin, connect, unite, mingle, blend.
6. Twine, intwine, intertwine, interweave, interlace, inweave, intertwist, twist together.

**Invulnerability,** *n.* Invulnerableness.

**Invulnerable,** *a.* 1. Incapable of being wounded, secure from injury, that cannot be wounded.
2. Unassailable, irrefragable, invincible, incontrovertible.

**Invulnerableness,** *n.* Invulnerability.

**Inward,** *a.* Interior, internal, inner.

**Inward,** } *ad.* Within, inwardly, toward the in-
**Inwards,** } side.

**Inwards,** *n. pl.* Entrails, bowels, viscera, intestines, insides, guts.

**Inweave,** *v. a.* Intwine, interweave, intertwine, interlace, weave together.

**Inwrap,** *v a.* Infold, involve, cover, envelop, wrap, wrap up.

**Ionic,** *a.* Ionian.

**Iota,** *n.* Jot, whit, tittle, bit, grain, particle, atom, scrap, mite, scintilla, spark, glimmer, shadow, trace.

**Ipecac,**
**Ipecacuanha,** } *n.* Brazil-root.

**Ipse dixit.** [L.] Mere assertion.

**Irascibility,** *n.* Irritability, irascibleness. See following adjective.

**Irascible,** *a.* Irritable, touchy, testy, waspish, quick, snappish, splenetic, petulant, choleric, peppery, hot, hasty, like tinder, like touchwood.

**Irascibleness,** *n.* Irascibility.

**Irate,** *a.* Angry, provoked, piqued, irritated, ireful, in a passion.

**Ire,** *n.* (*Poetical.*) Wrath, anger, rage, fury, choler, indignation, resentment, passion, exasperation.

**Ireful,** *a.* Angry, raging, furious, passionate, irate, incensed.

**Iridescence,** *n.* Play of colors (*like those of the rainbow*).

**Iridescent,** *a.* Rainbow-like, irisated, nacreous, pavonine.

**Iris,** *n* 1. Rainbow.

2. (*Bot.*) Flower-de-luce, fleur-de-lis.
**Irisated,** *a.* See IRIDESCENT.
**Irish,** *a.* Of Ireland.
**Irish,** *n.* 1. Irish language.
2. Natives of Ireland.
**Irishism,** *n.* Hibernicism, Hibernianism, Irish idiom.
**Irishry,** *n.* Irish, people of Ireland, Irish people.
**Irksome,** *a.* Wearisome (*in consequence of being distasteful*), tiresome, wearying, weary, devoid of interest. See TEDIOUS.
**Ironical,** *a.* Mocking, full of irony, expressing irony.
**Iron-pyrites,** *n.* (*Min.*) Bisulphuret of iron.
**Irons,** *n. pl.* Fetters, shackles, manacles, chains, hampers, gyves.
**Irony,** *n.* Mockery (*saying one thing and meaning the opposite*).
**Irradiate,** *v. a.* Illuminate, illumine, illume, brighten, light up, make bright, shine upon, throw light upon, cast lustre upon, adorn with light.
**Irradiate,** *v. n.* Emit rays, be radiant, give out light, be luminous *or* lustrous.
**Irrational,** *a.* 1. Brutish, brute, void of reason, without reason.
2. Absurd, unreasonable, preposterous, foolish, silly, unwise, injudicious, extravagant.
3. Demented, alienated (*in mind*), crazy, lunatic, aberrant.
4. (*Math.*) Surd.
**Irrationality,** *n.* 1. Brutishness, want of reason.
2. Absurdity, folly, foolishness, unreasonableness.
**Irreclaimable,** *a.* 1. Irrecoverable, hopeless, irreparable, past cure, past hope, remediless, irretrievable, irreversible, incurable, past mending.
2. Obdurate, hardened, impenitent, incorrigible, lost, abandoned, profligate, graceless, shameless, recreant, unrepentant, reprobate
**Irreconcilable,** *a.* 1. Unappeasable, inexorable, implacable, inexpiable.
2. Inconsistent, incompatible, incongruous.
**Irrecoverable,** *a.* 1. Irretrievable, lost forever, never to be regained.
2. Irreparable, remediless, irremediable, not to be repaired, that cannot be restored, not to be remedied.
3. Incurable, immedicable, remediless, irremedicable, hopeless, past cure, past hope, past mending.
**Irrefragable,** *a.* Indisputable, incontestable, irrefutable, incontrovertible, invincible, unassailable, inexpugnable, impregnable, irresistible, unanswerable, undeniable.
**Irrefutable,** *a.* Indisputable, unanswerable. See IRREFRAGABLE.
**Irregular,** *a.* 1. Anomalous, abnormal, anomalistic, unusual, unconformable, aberrant, exceptional, eccentric, erratic, devious.
2. Uncertain, unpunctual, capricious, desultory, fitful, variable, changeable.
3. Immethodical, disordered, disorderly.
4. Unsymmetrical, uneven.
5. Disorderly, dissolute, loose, immoral, wild.
**Irregularity,** *n.* 1. Aberration, abnormity, anomaly, anomalousness, singularity.
2. Uncertainty, capriciousness, variableness, changeableness.
3. Want of method, lack of order.
4. Lack of symmetry.
5. Immorality, laxity, looseness, disorderliness, dissoluteness, wildness.
**Irrelevancy,** *n.* Inapplicability, impertinency, non-pertinency.
**Irrelevant,** *a.* Inapplicable, impertinent, aside from the point, foreign to the purpose, not bearing upon the point in question, having nothing to do with the matter, travelling out of the record.
**Irreligion,** *n.* Impiety, ungodliness.
**Irreligious,** *a.* 1. Ungodly, undevout.
2. Profane, impious, wicked.
**Irremediable,** *a.* 1. Irreparable, irrecoverable, remediless, beyond correction, beyond redress, past mending.
2. Incurable, remediless, immedicable, irremedicable, hopeless, irrecoverable, beyond cure.
**Irremissible,** *a.* Unpardonable, inexpiable, unatonable, not to be forgiven.
**Irreparability,** *n.* Irreparableness.
**Irreparable,** *a.* Irremediable, remediless, irrecoverable, irretrievable, not to be repaired.
**Irreprehensible,** *a.* Irreproachable, irreprovable, unblamable, blameless, faultless, inculpable, innocent, undeserving of blame *or* censure.
**Irrepressible,** *a.* Uncontrollable, insuppressible, not to be repressed.
**Irreproachable,** *a.* See IRREPREHENSIBLE.
**Irresistible,** *a.* 1. Overpowering, incapable of being successfully resisted, that carries all before it.
2. Irrefragable (*which see*).
**Irresolute,** *a.* Undetermined, undecided, wavering, vacillating, unsettled, unsteady, hesitating, hesitant, faltering, infirm of purpose.
**Irrespective of.** Regardless of, without regard to.
**Irresponsible,** *a.* Unaccountable.
**Irretrievable,** *a.* 1. Irrecoverable, lost forever, never to be regained.
2. Irreparable, irremediable, remediless, beyond reparation, beyond repair.
**Irreverence,** *n.* 1. Impiety, profaneness, profanity, blasphemy, want of reverence.
2. Disrespect, disesteem, slight, want of respect.
**Irreverent,** *a.* 1. Impious, profane, blasphemous.
2. Disrespectful, slighting.
**Irreversible,** *a.* 1. Unchangeable, unalterable, irrevocable, irrepealable.
2. Immutable, invariable, changeless.
**Irrevocable,** *a.* 1. Unchangeable. See IRREVERSIBLE, 1.
2. Incapable of recall *or* revocation.
**Irrigate,** *v. a.* Water, moisten, wet.
**Irrigation,** *n.* Watering.
**Irritability,** *n.* 1. Irascibility, fretfulness, testiness, peevishness, petulance, excitability, snappishness.
2. Susceptibility (*to the influence of a stimulus*).
3. Excitability, high susceptibility.
**Irritable,** *a.* 1. Irascible, fretful, testy, touchy, peevish, pettish, waspish, snappish, choleric, splenetic, captious, petulant, excitable, hot, hasty, peppery, passionate, fiery.
2. Susceptible (*to the influence of a stimulus*).
3. Excitable, highly susceptible.
**Irritate,** *v. a.* 1. Provoke, nettle, chafe, incense, exasperate, enrage, anger, fret, offend, vex, annoy, tease, gall.
2. (*Med.*) Inflame (*by friction*), excite, stimulate.
**Irritation,** *n.* 1. Irritating.
2. Exasperation, provocation, wrath, ire, anger, passion, excitement, indignation, resentment.
3. (*Med.*) Inflammation (*by friction*), excitation, stimulation.
**Irruption,** *n.* 1. Bursting in, breaking in.
2. Incursion, inroad, foray, raid, partial invasion.
**Ischiadic,** *a.* Ischiatic, of the hip.
**Ischiagra,** *n.* (*Med.*) Sciatica, gout of the hip.

**Ischiatic,** *a.* Ischiadic, of the hip.
**Isinglass,** *n.* Fish-glue, ichthyocol, ichthyocolla, carlock.
**Islam,** *n.* 1. Islamism, Mahometanism.
2. The Mahometans, the Moslems, the Musselmans.
**Islamism,** *n.* Mahometanism, Mahometan religion.
**Island,** *n.* Isle.
**Isle,** *n.* (*Poetical.*) Island.
**Islet,** *n.* Little island.
**Isochronal,** *a.* Isochronous, uniform in time, performed in equal times, of equal time, of equal duration (*as the vibrations of a pendulum*).
**Isolate,** *v. a.* Separate, dissociate, detach, insulate, segregate, place by itself, set apart.
**Isolated,** *a.* Detached, separate, solitary, single.
**Isolation,** *n.* 1. Separation, disconnection, insulation, segregation, detachment.
2. Loneliness, solitariness, solitude.
**Isomorphism,** *n.* Similarity of crystalline form.
**Isomorphous,** *a.* Of similar crystalline form.
**Isoperimetrical,** *a.* Of equal perimeters, the same in circumference.
**Israelite,** *n.* Jew, Hebrew.
**Israelitic,** } *a.* Jewish, Hebrew.
**Israelitish,** }
**Issue,** *n.* 1. Egress, exit, outlet, way out, passage out.
2. Delivering, delivery, sending out.
3. Amount issued, number printed, impression, edition.
4. Edition, copy, number.
5. Event, consequence, end, termination, conclusion, consummation, result, effect, outcome, upshot, *dénouement*, *finale*, final *or* ultimate result, final event, finishing stroke, winding up.
6. Offspring, progeny, children, posterity, lineal descendants.
7. (*Med.*) Fontanel, artificial ulcer.
8. (*Law.*) Point in dispute.
9. Antagonism, contest, controversy, controversial *or* antagonistic stand.
**Issue,** *v. a.* 1. Deliver, send out, put forth.
2. Distribute, give out.
3. Put into circulation.
**Issue,** *v. n.* 1. Flow, flow out *or* forth, spring, gush, come out, rush out.
2. Proceed, flow, emanate, arise, spring, originate, follow, ensue, come, take rise, be the effect, be derived, go forth, grow out.
3. End, terminate, result.
**Italian,** *a.* Of Italy.
**Italian,** *n.* 1. Native of Italy.
2. Language of Italy, Italian language, bastard Latin.
**Italicism,** *n.* Italian idiom, Italianism.
**Italicize,** *v. a.* Print in Italics, distinguished by Italics.
**Italics,** *n. pl.* Italic letters.
**Itch,** *n.* 1. Itching.
2. (*Med.*) Psora.
3. Teasing desire, uneasy hankering, importunate craving, burning.
**Itch,** *v. n.* 1. Tingle, feel itchy, have an itching sensation.
2. Feel an itching, have an itching sensation.
**Itching,** *n.* 1. Itch.
2. Craving, longing, teasing desire, uneasy hankering, importunate craving, burning.
**Item,** *ad.* [L.] Also, in like manner, as an additional article.
**Item,** *n.* Article, particular.
**Iterate,** *v. a.* Repeat, reiterate.
**Iteration,** *n.* Repetition, reiteration.
**Iterative,** *a.* Repeating.
**Itinerancy,** *n.* Travelling, going from place to place.
**Itinerant,** *a.* Travelling, wandering, roving, roaming, nomadic, going from place to place, unsettled.
**Itinerary,** *n.* Guide, guidebook.
**It is odds.** It is probable, it is likely.
**Ivory-black,** *n.* Bone-black (*improperly called* Ivory-black, *which is, strictly speaking, prepared from ivory*).
**Ivory-nut,** *n.* Corosso-nut.

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**Jabber,** *v. n.* Prate, chatter, prattle, gabble, talk rapidly, talk idly.
**Jabber,** *v. a.* Speak rapidly.
**Jabber,** *n.* Prate, prattle, gab, chatter, idle talk.
**Jabberer,** *n.* Prattler, chatterer, babbler, chatterbox.
**Jack-a-dandy,** *n.* Beau, fop, coxcomb, dandy, dandiprat, exquisite, popinjay, macaroni, jackanapes, man of dress, man milliner, vain fellow.
**Jack-a-lantern,** *n.* Jack-with-a-lantern, Will-o'-the-wisp, Will-with-the-wisp, ignis fatuus.
**Jackanapes,** *n.* [Written also *Jackanape.*] 1. Monkey. See APE.
2. Beau, fop, dandy. See JACK-A-DANDY.
**Jackass,** *n.* 1. Male ass.
2. Blockhead, simpleton. See DUNCE.
**Jack-at-all-trades,** } *n.* Factotum, doer of all
**Jack-of-all-trades,** } work.
**Jackdaw,** *n.* Daw (*Corvus monedula*).
**Jacket,** *n.* Jerkin, short coat.
**Jack-ketch,** *n.* Hangman, (public) executioner.
**Jack-pudding,** *n.* Buffoon, harlequin, jester, droll, zany, clown, punch, scaramouch, merry-andrew.
**Jack-snipe,** *n.* Judcock (*Scolopax gallinula*).
**Jacobin,** *n.* 1. Dominican, predicant, blackfriar, preaching friar, *frère prêcheur*.
2. Member of the Jacobin Club (*radical body in the French Revolution of* 1789).
3. Anarchist, red republican, turbulent demagogue.
**Jacobinic,** } *a.* Turbulent, revolutionary.
**Jacobinical,** }
**Jacobite,** *n.* 1. Adherent of the Stuarts *or* (*especially*) of James II.
2. Monophysite, Eutychian.
**Jaculate,** *v. a.* Dart, throw, launch, hurl, let fly.
**Jaculation,** *n.* Darting, throwing, hurling, launching.
**Jade,** *n.* 1. Hack, tired horse, worthless horse.
2. Hussy, quean, base woman, sorry wench.
3. Young woman (*in irony* or *slight contempt*).
4. Jade-stone, tremolite, nephritic stone, nephrite.
**Jade,** *v. a.* Tire, weary, fatigue, fag, exhaust, tire out.
**Jag,** *n.* Notch, denticulation, protuberant point.

**Jagged,** *a.* Notched, serrated, indented, denticulated, cleft, divided, uneven, ragged (*on the edges*).
**Jaggedness,** *n.* Unevenness, raggedness (*on the edges*).
**Jaguar,** *n.* American tiger (*Felis onça*).
**Jah,** *n.* Jehovah, Jahweh, Jahveh.
**Jahveh,** } *n.* Jehovah, Jah.
**Jahweh,** }
**Jail,** *n.* [Written also, but not commonly, *Gaol.*] Prison, penitentiary, bridewell, workhouse, house of correction.
**Jakes,** *n.* Privy, necessary, latrine, water-closet.
**Jam,** *v. a.* Press, crowd, squeeze tight.
**Jam,** *n.* 1. Conserve (*boiled in mass*), thick preserve.
2. Pressure (*from a crowd*), crowding.
3. Crowd, throng, pack, press, mass of people (*crowded together*).
**Jamb,** *n.* Side-piece (*of a fireplace, a door, a window, etc.*).
**Jamestown weed.** Thorn-apple, stramonium, stramony, jimson, apple-peru (*Datura stramonium*).
**Jangle,** *v. n.* 1. Wrangle, squabble, bicker, quarrel, dispute, spar, spat, jar, tiff, have words, have an altercation.
2. Clash and clang, sound harshly *or* discordantly.
**Jangle,** *v. a.* Sound discordantly, utter inharmoniously.
**Jangle,** *n.* 1. Discord, discordant sound.
2. Wrangling, jangling.
**Jangled,** *a.* Discordant, inharmonious, out of tune.
**Jangler,** *n.* Wrangler, quarrelsome fellow.
**Jangling,** *n.* Wrangling, bickering, quarrelling, altercation, jangle, jar.
**Janitor,** *n.* Porter, doorkeeper, *concierge.*
**Janty,** *a.* [Written also *Jaunty.*] Showy, finical, airy, fluttering, bedizened, gairish, dressy, gay, fine, pranked out.
**Japan,** *v a.* Varnish, lacquer.
**Japan earth.** Catechu, terra japonica, gambier, cutch.
**Japanese,** *a.* Of Japan.
**Japanese,** *n.* 1. Native of Japan.
2. Language of Japan, Japanese language.
**Jar,** *v. n.* 1. Vibrate harshly.
2. Clash, interfere.
3. Wrangle, contend, quarrel, bicker, spat, spar, jangle, squabble, tiff, have words, have an altercation.
**Jar,** *v. a.* Shake, agitate, jolt.
**Jar,** *n.* 1. Shake, agitation, jolt.
2. Discord, disagreement, quarrel, altercation, jarring, wrangling, bickering.
**Jargon,** *n.* 1. Gabble, gibberish, rigmarole, nonsense, balderdash, twaddle, palaver, flummery, moonshine, wishwash, trash, stuff, unintelligible talk.
2. Slang, cant.
3. Confusion, disorder, jumble, chaos, disarray.
**Jarring,** *a.* 1. Discordant, harsh.
2. Wrangling, disagreeing, at variance.
3. Conflicting, incompatible, inconsistent.
**Jarring,** *n.* 1. Clashing, collision.
2. Shaking, agitation, jar.
3. Quarrel, dispute, altercation, bickering, wrangling.
**Jaundice,** *n.* (*Med.*) Icterus.
**Jaundiced,** *a.* 1. Bilious.
2. Biassed, prejudiced.
**Jaunt,** *n.* Ramble, excursion, trip, tour, stroll, short journey.
**Jaunty,** *a.* [Written also *Janty.*] Airy, showy, finical, fluttering, bedizened, gairish, gay, fine.
**Jaw,** *n.* 1. Maxillary bone, jaw-bone.
2. (*Low.*) Vituperation, abusive talk.
3. Wall (*of a pass*), enclosing crag, throat.
**Jaw-bone,** *n.* Jaw, maxillary bone.
**Jaws,** *n. pl.* 1. Chaps, mouth.
2. Walls, enclosing walls *or* crags, craggy opening, throat.
**Jaw-tooth,** *n.* Grinder, molar.
**Jealous,** *a.* 1. Envious (*especially at being supplanted in the affections of another*), enviously suspicious, resentful at preference, suspicious in love.
2. Anxious, apprehensive, solicitous, zealous.
3. Watchful, suspiciously vigilant.
**Jealousy,** *n.* 1. Suspicion, envy, envious suspicion (*especially in matters of love*).
2. Watchfulness, vigilance, suspicious vigilance.
**Jeer,** *v. n.* Sneer, scoff, flout, mock, gibe, fleer, rail.
**Jeer,** *v. a.* Flout, taunt, deride, ridicule, mock, gibe, scoff, spurn, despise, contemn, chaff at, sneer at, jeer at, rail at, gibe at, crook the finger at.
**Jeer,** *n.* Sneer, scoff, taunt, gibe, biting jest, flout.
**Jeerer,** *n.* Scoffer, scorner, mocker, railer, ridiculer, derider, despiser.
**Jeering,** *n.* Mockery, derision, gibes.
**Jehovah,** *n.* God, Lord, Omnipotence, Omniscience, Providence, the Creator, Heaven, the Maker, the Deity, the Lord, the Godhead, the Infinite, the Eternal, the Omnipotent, the Preserver, the Trinity, the Holy Trinity, the Supreme Being, the First Cause, the Author of all things, God the Father.
**Jejune,** *a.* Barren, meagre, sterile, dry, bare, lean, uninteresting.
**Jemmy,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Spruce, trim, smart, finical, over-nice, over-neat, affectedly elegant, nice, over-much.
**Jentling,** *n.* Blue chub.
**Jeopard,** *v. a.* Hazard, imperil, peril, endanger, jeopardize, risk, put in jeopardy, put at hazard, put at risk.
**Jeopardize,** *v. a.* [*Recent.*] Hazard, endanger. See JEOPARD.
**Jeopardy,** *n.* Hazard, danger, peril, risk, venture.
**Jeremiad,** } *n.* [*Term of ridicule.*] Tale of
**Jeremiade,** } sorrow, lamentation, lament, doleful story.
**Jerk,** *v. a.* 1. Yerk, twitch, pull suddenly.
2. Throw suddenly.
**Jerk,** *n.* 1. Twitch, sudden pull.
2. Sudden throw.
**Jerkin,** *n.* Jacket, short coat.
**Jest,** *v. n.* Joke, crack a joke, perpetrate a joke.
**Jest,** *n.* 1. Joke, quip, quirk, crank, witticism, sally, *jeu d'esprit.*
2. Raillery, fun, sport.
**Jester,** *n.* 1. Joker, wag, humorist.
2. Buffoon, harlequin, zany, droll, fool, clown, punch, punchinello, scaramouch, merry-andrew, jack-pudding, pickle-herring.
**Jesuitical,** *a.* 1. Of the Jesuits.
2. [*A sense introduced by partisans hostile to the Jesuits.*] Crafty, cunning, wily, deceitful, sophistical, double, double-faced, full of chicane, Machiavelian.
**Jetty,** *n.* Mole.
**Jeu d'esprit.** [Fr.] Joke, jest, quirk, quip, crank, sally, witticism, *mot.*
**Jew,** *n.* Hebrew, Israelite.
**Jewel,** *n.* Gem, brilliant, precious stone.
**Jewelry,** *n.* [Written also *Jewellery.*] Jewels, bijoutry, trinkets.
**Jewish,** *a.* Hebrew, Judaic, Judaical, Israelitish.

**Jewry,** *n.* Judea.
**Jews-pitch,** *n.* Asphaltum.
**Jezebel,** *n.* Fury, Gorgon, brazen woman, virago, she-monster.
**Jiffy,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Instant, moment, second, twinkling, trice, flash, twinkling of an eye.
**Jigger,** *n.* I. Throw, potter's wheel.
2. (*Ent.*) Chigre (*Pulex penetrans*).
**Jiggumbob,** *n.* (*Comic.*) Trinket, toy, gimcrack, knick-knack, bawble, gewgaw.
**Jilt,** *n.* Coquette, flirt.
**Jilt,** *v. a.* Trick *or* deceive (*by playing the jilt*).
**Jilt,** *v. n.* Play the jilt.
**Jingle,** *v. n.* [Written also *Gingle*.] Tinkle.
**Jingle,** *n.* Tinkling, jingling, jingling sound, tintinnabulation.
**Jingling,** *n.* See JINGLE.
**Job,** *n.* Piece of work.
**Job,** *v. n.* Do job-work, work at jobs.
**Jobbernowl,** *n.* (*Low comic.*) Simpleton, fool. See DUNCE.
**Job-work,** *n.* Piece-work.
**Jockey,** *n.* I. Horse-jockey, dealer in horses.
2. Cheat, swindler, sharper, rogue, trickster, knave, impostor, blackleg, shark.
**Jockey,** *v. a.* Cheat, trick, deceive, gull, dupe, over-reach, cozen, chouse, outwit, bamboozle, circumvent, delude, hoodwink, beguile, mislead, inveigle, gammon, impose upon, humbug (*colloq.*).
**Jocose,** *a.* Jocular, facetious, humorous, witty, waggish, droll, funny, comical, sportive, merry.
**Jocoseness,** *n.* See JOCULARITY.
**Jocular,** *a.* See JOCOSE.
**Jocularity,** *n.* Jocoseness, facetiousness, waggishness, waggery, drollery, sportiveness, merriment, pleasantry, mirth, fun.
**Jocund,** *a.* Joyous, joyful, merry, frolicsome, blithe, blithesome, sportive, jolly, playful, airy, lively, gay, debonair.
**Jocundity,** *n.* Joyousness, joyfulness, cheerfulness, hilarity, sprightliness, exhilaration, liveliness, vivacity, sportfulness, frolicsomeness, blithesomeness, jocularity, gayety, merriment, mirth, good-humor, high spirits, high glee.
**Jog,** *v. a.* Push (*gently*), notify by a push.
**Jog,** *n.* I. Push, slight shake.
2. Notch, denticulation, jag.
**Joggle,** *v. a.* Shake (*by hitting*), jostle.
**Jog on.** Trudge, lumber, travel slowly.
**Jog-trot,** *n.* Slow pace, slow trot.
**John Bull.** (*Colloq.*) I. English nation, England.
2. Englishman.
**John-dory,** *n.* Common dory (*Zeus faber*).
**Johnny-cake,** *n.* Hoe-cake, corn-cake.
**Join,** *v. a.* I. Add, annex, attach, append.
2. Connect, couple, combine, conjoin, link, cement, unite, unite together, join together.
3. Adjoin, be adjacent to, connect with, open into, be connected with.
4. Unite with, associate one's self with, go into, take part in *or* with, take one's place in, meet, come to meet.
**Join,** *v. n.* Associate, confederate, unite, be united, league.
**Joint,** *n.* I. Juncture, union.
2. Seam, commissure.
3. (*Anat.*) Articulation.
4. (*Bot.*) Knot.
5. (*Bot.*) Internode, space between two joints.
**Joint,** *a.* United, combined, concerted.
**Joint,** *v. a.* I. (*Carpentry.*) Join, unite, fit together.
2. Disjoint, divide (*at the joints*), cut up (*as meat*).
**Jointed,** *a.* Articulated, with joints.
**Jointer,** *n.* (*Carpentry.*) Jointing-plane.
**Joint heir.** Co-heir.
**Jointing-plane,** *n.* Jointer.
**Jointly,** *ad.* Unitedly, together, conjointly, in conjunction.
**Joist,** *n.* Small floor-timber.
**Joke,** *n.* Jest, quip, quirk, crank, witticism, sally, *jeu d'esprit*.
**Joke,** *v. a.* Jest, crack a joke, perpetrate a joke.
**Joker,** *n.* Jester, wag, humorist.
**Jollification,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Conviviality, revelry, festivity, carouse, carousal, revel, compotation, potation, wassail, merry frolic, jolly time, drinking-bout, spree (*colloq.*).
**Jollity,** *n.* Merriment, gayety, mirth, fun, frolic, joviality, hilarity.
**Jolly,** *a.* I. Merry, joyous, joyful, gay, jovial, airy, mirthful, jocund, playful, frolicsome, sportive, gamesome, funny, facetious, jocular, waggish, sprightly, lively, jocund, blithe, blithesome, cheery, cheerful.
2. Plump, stout, lusty, bouncing, portly, chubby, in good case.
**Jolt,** *v. n.* Be shaken (*as a wagon by passing over rough ground*).
**Jolt,** *v. a.* Shake (*as a wagon when passing over rough ground*).
**Jolt,** *n.* Shaking, jolting.
**Jolthead,** *n.* Simpleton, fool. See DUNCE.
**Jolting,** *n.* Jolt, shaking.
**Jonathan,** *n.* People of the United States, the United States (*as a nation*), Brother Jonathan, Uncle Sam.
**Jorden,** *n.* [Written also *Jordan*.] Urinal, chamber-pot.
**Jostle,** *v. a.* [Written also *Justle*.] I. Collide, strike against, hit against.
2. Shake (*by hitting*), joggle.
**Jot,** *n.* Iota, tittle, whit, bit, grain, particle, atom, scrap, mite, ace, corpuscle, scintilla.
**Jot down.** Record, state, note, chronicle, register, set down, take down, note down, make a note of, make a memorandum of.
**Jotting,** *n.* Memorandum, note.
**Journal,** *n.* I. Diary, daily register.
2. Newspaper, magazine, periodical.
**Journalize,** *v. a.* Record, register, note, chronicle, set down, jot down.
**Journey,** *n.* Travel (*by land*), tour, excursion, trip, expedition.
**Journey,** *v. n.* I. Travel, ramble, roam, rove, take a tour, make a tour, take a trip, make an excursion.
2. Travel, go, proceed, fare.
**Journeyman,** *n.* I. Day-laborer.
2. Hired mechanic.
**Joust,** *n.* Tilt.
**Joust,** *v. n.* I. Tilt.
2. [Written also *Just*.] Jostle (*or* justle), push, jar.
**Jove,** *n.* (*Mythol.*) Jupiter.
**Jovial,** *a.* Merry, joyous, gay, airy, mirthful. See JOYFUL.
**Joviality,** *n.* Merriment, gayety, mirth, fun, frolic, jollity, hilarity.
**Joy,** *n.* I. Gladness, delight, glee, exultation, ecstasy, rapture, ravishment, transport, beatitude, beatification.
2. Happiness, felicity, bliss.
3. Cause of gladness, delight, happiness.
**Joy,** *v. n.* Exult, rejoice, be glad, be delighted, be joyful.
**Joyful,** *a.* Glad, joyous, merry, buoyant, happy, jocund, blithe, blithesome, jolly, jovial, delighted, elate, elated.
**Joyous,** *a.* Glad. See JOYFUL.

**Jubilant,** *a.* Rejoicing, exulting, exultant, triumphing, triumphant, shouting with joy.
**Jubilee,** *n.* Season of rejoicing.
**Judaic, Judaical,** *a.* Jewish, Hebrew, Israelitish.
**Judaism,** *n.* Religion of the Jews, Jewish religion.
**Judcock,** *n.* Jack-snipe, juddock (*Scolopax gallinula*).
**Juddock,** *n.* See JUDCOCK.
**Judge,** *n.* 1. Justice.
2. Arbiter, arbitrator, umpire, referee.
3. Critic, connoisseur.
**Judge,** *v. n.* Decide, determine, conclude, form an opinion, pass an opinion, pass judgment, get at the truth, arrive at the truth, sit in judgment.
**Judge,** *v. a.* 1. Try, doom, condemn, pass sentence upon.
2. Consider, regard, think, esteem, reckon, account, deem, believe, hold, suppose, imagine.
3. Appreciate, estimate, form an opinion about.
**Judgment,** *n.* 1. Discernment, understanding, intelligence, discrimination, taste, sagacity, penetration, wisdom, brains, prudence, ballast, depth, sense, mother-wit, quick parts, common-sense, good sense, long head.
2. Determination, decision, conclusion, opinion, notion, estimate.
3. (*Law.*) Sentence, award, decree.
4. (*Psychol.*) Power of judgment, intellect, faculty of comparison *or* synthesis, unitive faculty, faculty of thought.
5. (*Log.*) Sentence, proposition.
**Judgment-day,** *n.* Day of judgment, the last day, Dies Iræ.
**Judgment-seat,** *n.* Tribunal, court, bar, bench.
**Judicature,** *n.* 1. Administration of justice.
2. Jurisdiction.
**Judicial,** *a.* Juridical, forensic.
**Judiciary,** *n.* Body of judges, courts, judicial department, department of justice.
**Judicious,** *a.* Sensible, wise, prudent, discreet, considerate, rational, reasonable, enlightened, sagacious, provident, sober, sound, staid, solid, cool, politic, well-considered, well-chosen.
**Jug,** *n.* Pitcher, ewer.
**Juggle,** *v. n.* 1. Conjure, play tricks, practise jugglery, practise legerdemain.
2. Practise artifice, practise imposture, cheat.
**Juggle,** *n.* 1. Trick, piece of legerdemain.
2. Trick, imposture, imposition, deception, cheat, fraud.
**Juggler,** *n.* Prestidigitator.
**Jugglery,** *n.* 1. Legerdemain, prestidigitation, sleight of hand.
2. Trickery, imposture, deceit.
**Juice,** *n.* 1. Sap.
2. Fluid part, fluid.
**Juiceless,** *a.* 1. Sapless.
2. Dry.
**Juicy,** *a.* Succulent, moist, watery, sappy, lush, full of juice.
**Jumble,** *v. a.* Mix confusedly, throw together in disorder, confuse, mix up, huddle.
**Jumble,** *n.* Disorder, confusion, hodge-podge, hotch-potch, gallimaufry, olio, olla-podrida, confused mass, disorderly mixture.
**Jump,** *v. a.* Jump over, leap over, skip over, pass by a leap.
**Jump,** *v. n.* Leap, spring, bound, skip, hop, vault, caper.
**Jump,** *n.* Leap, spring, bound, hop, vault, caper.
**Junction,** *n.* 1. Joining, union, combination, connection, linking, coupling.
2. Juncture, joint, place of meeting.
**Juncture,** *n.* 1. Joint, junction.
2. Conjuncture, crisis, exigency.
**June-berry,** *n.* 1. Shad-bush, shad-berry (*Amelanchier Canadensis*).
2. Service-berry (*the fruit of the shad-bush*).
**Jungle,** *n.* Thicket (*of brushwood, shrubs, and woods*), brake.
**Junior,** *a.* Younger.
**Junket,** *n.* 1. Sweetmeat, delicacy.
2. Feast, entertainment.
**Junket,** *v. n.* Feast, banquet, indulge in feasting.
**Junket,** *v. a.* Feast, entertain, regale.
**Junto,** *n.* Cabal, faction, combination (*against a government*), party, coterie, clique, set, gang, league, confederacy, secret council.
**Juridical,** *a.* Judicial, forensic.
**Jurisconsult,** *n.* Jurist, civilian, counsellor, lawyer.
**Jurisdiction,** *n.* Judicature, extent of authority, legal power.
**Jurisprudence,** *n.* Science of law.
**Jurist,** *n.* Civilian, jurisconsult, lawyer, counsellor.
**Juror,** *n.* Juryman.
**Juryman,** *n.* Juror.
**Just,** *a.* 1. Equitable, right, rightful, lawful, reasonable.
2. Fair, fair-minded, candid, even-handed.
3. Honest, upright, righteous, blameless, pure, conscientious, uncorrupt, virtuous, honorable, good, straightforward.
4. Exact, true, proper, accurate, correct, normal, regular.
5. Deserved, merited, condign, suitable, due.
6. Appropriate, fit, suitable, happy.
**Just,** *ad.* Exactly, precisely.
**Justice,** *n.* 1. Equity, equitableness, right, justness, fairness, impartiality, fair play.
2. Judge, justiciary, justiciar.
**Justiciary,** *n.* Judge, justice, justiciar.
**Justifiable,** *a.* Defensible, warrantable, vindicable, right, fit, proper.
**Justification,** *n.* 1. Vindication, defence, exculpation, exoneration.
2. (*Theol.*) Absolution, remission of sin.
**Justify,** *v. a.* 1. Vindicate, warrant, defend, maintain, exculpate, excuse, exonerate, set right.
2. (*Theol.*) Absolve, acquit, free from sin, clear from guilt.
3. (*Printing.*) Adjust.
**Justle,** *v. a.* [Written also *Jostle.*] 1. Collide, strike against, hit against.
2. Shake (*by hitting*), joggle.
**Justness,** *n.* 1. Justice, equity, equitableness, fairness, right.
2. Propriety, fitness, suitableness.
3. Exactness, accuracy, precision.
**Just now.** Very recently, a moment ago.
**Jut,** *v. n.* Project, protrude, stand out, jut out.
**Jut out.** Project. See JUT.
**Juvenile,** *a.* 1. Young, youthful, childish, puerile.
2. Suited to youth, intended for youth.
**Juxtaposition,** *n.* Proximity, contiguity, contact, adjacency.

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**Kale,** *n.* Colewort.
**Kamachi,** *n.* Horned-screamer (*Palamedea cornuta*).
**Kamsin,** *n.* Simoon, simoom, samiel.
**Keen,** *a.* 1. Eager, zealous, ardent, earnest, fervid, vehement.
2. Sharp, acute, with a fine edge.
3. Piercing, penetrating, cutting.
4. Severe, bitter, poignant, acrimonious, caustic.
5. Shrewd, discerning, quick, sagacious, astute, keen-sighted, keen-eyed, clear-sighted, long-headed.
**Keen-eyed,** *a.* Keen, keen-sighted, sharp-sighted.
**Keenness,** *n.* 1. Ardor, vehemence, eagerness, earnestness, fervor, zest.
2. Sharpness, acuteness.
3. Severity, rigor, sternness.
4. Causticity, acrimony, asperity, bitterness, pungency.
5. Poignancy, acuteness, bitterness.
6. Shrewdness, sagacity, astuteness.
**Keen-sighted,** *a.* Keen, sharp-sighted, keen-eyed.
**Keep,** *v. a.* 1. Retain, detain, hold, hold fast.
2. Preserve, maintain, continue.
3. Restrain, withhold.
4. Guard, protect, preserve, take care of.
5. Fulfil, observe, adhere to, be faithful to, be true to, stand by.
6. Celebrate, honor, solemnize, commemorate, do honor to.
7. Sustain, support, maintain.
8. Preserve, store, store up, lay away.
**Keep,** *v. n.* 1. Continue, remain.
2. Stay, abide, lodge, dwell.
3. Endure, last.
**Keep,** *n* Stronghold, donjon.
**Keep an eye on.** Watch, mark, observe, have an eye on
**Keep dark.** Keep one's own counsel, seal the lips, not breathe a syllable about it, keep the matter to one's self, be silent, be secret.
**Keeping,** *n.* 1. Care, custody, charge, guardianship.
2. Support, maintenance, feed.
3. Harmony, conformity, congruity, consistency, agreement.
**Keep under.** Control, restrain, keep in subjection.
**Kelp,** *n.* 1. Barilla, carbonate of soda (*impure*).
2. Sea-weed (*from which barilla is made*).
**Ken,** *n.* View, cognizance, sight.
**Kennel,** *n.* 1. Dog-house.
2. Pack of hounds.
3. Hole (*of a wild animal*), haunt.
4. Gutter.
**Kennel,** *v. n.* Dwell (*as a dog*), lodge, harbor, take shelter.
**Kerosene,** *n.* Petroleum, paraffine oil, photogen, mineral oil.
**Kestrel,** *n.* Windhover, castrel, stannel (*Falco tinnunculus*).
**Key,** *n.* 1. Lock opener.
2. Clew, guide, explanation, solution, elucidation, *clavis*.
3. Tonic, key-note, fundamental note, first note of the scale
4. Wedge, clamp.
5. (*Mus.*) Lever (*in an instrument*).
**Key-note,** *n.* Tonic. See KEY, 3.
**Khan,** *n.* 1. Cham, sovereign prince (*of Tartary*).
2. See CARAVANSARY.
**Kick the beam.** Be outweighed, be overbalanced, be overpoised, be the lighter.
**Kick up a dust.** (*Colloq.*) Make a commotion, create an excitement, make a stir.
**Kid,** *n.* 1. Young goat.
2. Kit, small tub.
**Kidnap,** *v. a.* Abduct (*any human being*), carry off, steal away, run off with.
**Kidnapping,** *n.* Man-stealing, abduction.
**Kill,** *v. a.* Slay, slaughter, murder, despatch, carry off, put to death, deprive of life, make away with, give one his quietus, give a death-blow to. See ASSASSINATE.
**Kilt,** *n.* Fillibeg.
**Kin,** *n.* 1. Relationship (*by blood* or *by marriage*), consanguinity.
2. Relations, relatives, kindred, kinsfolk, connections.
**Kin,** *a.* Related, allied, kindred, akin, cognate, of the same nature, of the same kind, of the same family.
**Kind,** *a.* Benevolent, beneficent, benignant, humane, gracious, friendly, kindly, complacent, complaisant, bland, generous, obliging, bounteous, accommodating, philanthropic, compassionate, mild, benign, clement, good, amiable, charitable, gentle, lenient, indulgent, forbearing, tender, sympathetic, affectionate, loving, good-natured, tender-hearted, kind-hearted.
**Kind,** *n.* 1. Race, genus, family, breed, species, set, class.
2. Sort, nature, character, manner, description, style.
**Kind-hearted,** *a.* Tender-hearted. See KIND.
**Kind-heartedness,** *n.* See KINDNESS.
**Kindle,** *v. a.* 1. Light, ignite, enkindle, inflame, set fire to, set on fire.
2. Excite, rouse, awaken, provoke, incite, stimulate, animate, whet, stir up, foment.
3. Exasperate, excite, provoke, enrage.
**Kindle,** *v. n.* 1. Take fire.
2. Get excited, grow warm, fly into a passion.
3. Fire, glow, warm, thrill, stir, start, quicken, become impassioned.
**Kindliness,** *n.* 1. Benignity, kindness, benevolence, humanity, charity, sympathy, compassion, amiability, kind-heartedness, good-nature, good feeling, fellow-feeling.
2. Mildness, softness, gentleness.
**Kindly,** *a.* 1. Natural, homogeneal, congenial, kindred, proper, appropriate.
2. Sympathetic, benevolent, gracious. See KIND.
**Kindness,** *n.* 1. Benevolence, beneficence, benignity, humanity, generosity, philanthropy, charity, kindliness, sympathy, tenderness, amiability, fellow-feeling, clemency, good feeling.
2. Kind act, good turn, kind office, favor.
**Kindred,** *n.* 1. Relationship, affinity, consanguinity.
2. Relations, relatives, kin, kinsfolk, kinsmen, kith and kin.
**Kindred,** *a.* Related, cognate, allied, kin, akin, of the same kind, of the same nature, of the same family.

**King,** *n.* Sovereign, monarch.
**Kingbird,** *n.* Tyrant fly-catcher (*Muscicapa tyrannus* or *Tyrannus intrepidus*).
**King-crab,** *n.* 1. Horse-shoe, horse-foot, horse-shoe-crab, limulus (*Limulus polyphemus*).
2. Thornback-crab (*Maia squinado*).
**King-cup,** *n.* Buttercup, golden cup.
**Kingdom,** *n.* 1. Sovereignty, empire, dominion, supremacy, sovereign power, rule, monarchy, supreme power.
2. Dominion(s), realm(s).
3. Tract, region.
4. Division, department, realm, domain, province.
**Kingly,** *a.* 1. Royal, regal, monarchical, imperial.
2. Noble, august, imposing, splendid, magnificent, grand, majestic, regal, imperial, royal, glorious.
**King of terrors.** See DEATH.
**King's-English,** *n.* Pure English.
**King's-evil,** *n.* Scrofula, struma.
**Kingship,** *n.* Royalty, monarchy, sovereignty.
**King's-yellow,** *n.* Yellow orpiment, yellow sulphuret of arsenic.
**Kink,** *n.* 1. Twist, knot, entanglement.
2. Whim, crotchet, wrinkle.
**Kinsfolk,** *n.* Relations, relatives, kin, kindred, kinsmen, kith and kin.
**Kinsman,** *n.* Relative, relation.
**Kiss,** *v. a.* 1. Salute, greet with a kiss.
2. Caress with the lips, press one's lips upon.
**Kiss,** *n.* 1. Salute.
2. Caress (*with the lips*).
**Kit,** *n.* 1. Kid, small tub (*as for pickled mackerel*).
2. Small pail.
3. Outfit, working implements.
4. Violin (*small*), fiddle.
**Kleptomania,** *n.* Klopemania, propensity to steal, mania for stealing.
**Klopemania,** *n.* See KLEPTOMANIA.
**Knack,** *n.* 1. Toy, plaything, knick-knack, gimcrack, gewgaw, bawble, trifle, jiggumbob (*comic*).
2. Dexterity, adroitness, dextrousness, skill, skilfulness, facility, aptness, aptitude, quickness, readiness, address, expertness.
**Knag,** *n.* Knot (*in wood*).
**Knaggy,** *a.* Knotty, gnarled.
**Knarl,** *n.* Knot, knob, snag.
**Knarled,** *a.* Knotty, knotted, knurly, gnarled.
**Knave,** *n.* 1. Villain, rascal, scoundrel, rogue, cheat, caitiff, swindler, sharper, trickster, scamp, scapegrace.
2. Jack (*of cards*).
**Knavery,** *n.* Villany, rascality, fraud, knavishness, dishonesty, criminality, trickery, scoundrelism.
**Knavish,** *a.* Dishonest, unprincipled, villanous, rascally, scoundrelly, fraudulent, trickish, tricky, roguish.
**Knavishness,** *n.* Dishonesty, rascality. See KNAVERY.
**Kneepan,** *n.* Patella.
**Knell,** *n.* Death-bell, passing-bell, signal of doom *or* death.
**Knell,** *v. n.* Knoll, sound warningly, sound with doom.
**Knick-knack,** *n.* Toy, trifle, plaything, gimcrack, gewgaw, bawble, knack, jiggumbob (*comic*).
**Knight,** *n.* 1. Cavalier, chevalier.
2. Partisan, champion.
3. Lover, gallant.
**Knight-errantry,** *n.* Chivalry, knighthood.
**Knighthood,** *n.* Chivalry, knight-errantry.
**Knit,** *v. a.* Join, unite, connect.
**Knob,** *n.* 1. Protuberance, boss, bunch, hunch, stud.
2. Handle (*of a door*).
**Knock,** *n.* 1. Rap (*as at a door*), clap.
2. Blow, slap, cuff, buffet, box.
**Knock,** *v. n.* Rap (*as at a door*).
**Knock,** *v. a.* Beat, strike, hit, bump, slap.
**Knock down.** 1. Fell, prostrate.
2. Knock off (*by auction*).
**Knock under.** (*Colloq.*) Submit, yield, knuckle, give up, lower one's flag, kiss the rod, lick the dust, eat humble pie, draw in one's horns.
**Knoll,** *n.* Hillock, mound.
**Knot,** *n.* 1. Entanglement, complication.
2. Tie, connection, bond of union.
3. Joint, node, knag.
4. Tuft, bunch.
5. Group, band, clique, gang, crew, squad, cluster, set, pack.
6. Nautical mile.
**Knot,** *v. a.* Entangle, tie, complicate.
**Knot-grass,** *n.* Dog's-grass, couch-grass, twitch-grass, wheat-grass, dog-wheat (*Triticum repens*).
**Knotted,** *a.* See KNOTTY.
**Knotty,** *a.* 1. Knotted, gnarled, full of knots, knaggy, knurly.
2. Intricate, difficult, perplexing, embarrassing, hard, troublesome, involved.
**Know,** *v. a.* 1. Perceive, apprehend, comprehend, understand, discern, be aware of, be assured of, be sure *or* certain of, see through, make out.
2. Recognize.
3. Be acquainted with, have an acquaintance with, be familiar with.
4. Distinguish, discriminate
5. (*Psychol.*) Cognize.
**Know,** *v. n.* 1. Have knowledge, cognize, exercise cognition.
2. Be informed, be made aware.
3. Be sure, feel certain.
**Knowing,** *a.* 1. Intelligent, skilful, competent, qualified, experienced, accomplished, proficient, well-informed.
2. Conscious, intelligent, percipient, thinking.
3. Expressive, significant, cunning.
**Knowledge,** *n.* 1. Apprehension, comprehension, perception, understanding, discernment, judgment.
2. Learning, erudition, scholarship, enlightenment, lore, acquirements, attainments, information.
3. Cognizance, cognition, notice, information.
**Knuckle,** *v. n.* Yield (*obsequiously*), submit, cringe, stoop, crouch, give up, knock under.
**Knurly,** *a.* Knotty, knotted, gnarled.

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**Labor,** *n.* I. Toil, work, exertion, effort, pains, drudgery.
2. Travail, parturition, childbirth, delivery.
**Labor,** *v. n.* I. Toil, strive, drudge, work, exert one's self, take pains.
2. Suffer, be afflicted, be distressed.
3. Travail, be in travail, be in labor.
**Labored,** *a.* Overwrought, stiff, heavy, smelling of the lamp.
**Laborer,** *n.* Workman, operative.
**Laborious,** *a.* I. Industrious, sedulous, assiduous, toiling, hard-working, painstaking. See DILIGENT.
2. Difficult, arduous, onerous, toilsome, tiresome, wearisome, fatiguing, irksome, hard, Herculean.
**Laboriousness,** *n.* Toilsomeness, difficulty.
**Labor of love.** Gratuitous service.
**Labyrinth,** *n.* Maze, perplexity, intricacy.
**Labyrinthal,** *a.* See LABYRINTHIAN.
**Labyrinthian,** } *a.* Mazy, confused, perplexed,
**Labyrinthean,** } intricate, involved, many-winding, labyrinthal, labyrinthine.
**Labyrinthic,** } *a.* Labyrinthiform, labyrin-
**Labyrinthical,** } thine.
**Labyrinthiform,** *a.* Labyrinthic, labyrinthine.
**Labyrinthine,** *a.* I. See LABYRINTHIAN.
2. Labyrinthiform, labyrinthic.
**Lacerate,** *v. a.* I. Tear, sever, mangle, rend, lancinate, laniate, claw, tear asunder, tear to pieces.
2. Harrow, wound, torture, rend.
**Laceration,** *n.* Tearing, rending.
**Laches,** *n. pl.* (*Law.*) Negligence, remissness, neglect of duty.
**Lack,** *v. a.* Want, need, be in want of, be in need of, be destitute of, be without.
**Lack,** *v. n.* I. Be in want.
2. Be wanting.
**Lack,** *n.* Need, deficiency, destitution, want, scantiness, insufficiency, scarcity, dearth, default, defectiveness, shortness, shortcoming, deficit.
**Lackadaisical,** *a.* Sentimental, maudlin, Wertherish, die-away, languishing, affectedly pensive, lackadaisy.
**Lackadaisy,** *interj.* [Used ludicrously for *Lackaday.*]
**Lackaday,** *interj.* Alas, well-a-day, alack, woe 's the day.
**Lack-brain,** *n.* Simpleton. See DUNCE.
**Lackey,** *n.* Footman, footboy, flunky.
**Lackey,** *v. a.* Attend (*as a servant*), wait on, dance attendance on.
**Laconic,** } *a.* Short, brief, concise, succinct,
**Laconical,** } compact, sententious, terse, pithy.
**Lacquer,** *n.* Varnish (*of shellac*).
**Lacquer,** *v. a.* Varnish (*with lacquer*), japan.
**Lactescence,** *n.* I. Milkiness, milky color.
2. (*Bot.*) Bleeding, effusion of sap.
**Lad,** *n.* Boy, stripling, youngster, youth, schoolboy, younker, young man.
**Lade,** *v. a.* I. Load, freight.
2. Dip, bale.
**Lading,** *n.* Freight, cargo, load, burden.
**Lady,** *n.* I. Mistress, matron.
2. Woman of rank, woman of distinction.
3. Woman of refinement, well-bred woman.
4. Wife, spouse.
**Ladylike,** *a.* Genteel, courtly, refined, well-bred.
**Lady-love,** *n.* Sweetheart, flame.
**Lag,** *v. n.* Loiter, linger, saunter, fall behind, move slowly.
**Laggard,** *n.* Loiterer, lingerer, idler, laggard, saunterer.
**Lagger,** *n.* Loiterer, laggard.
**Lagoon,** *n.* Lake (*shallow and communicating with the sea*).
**Laic,** } *a.* Lay.
**Laical,** }
**Lair,** *n.* Couch (*of a beast*), resting-place.
**Laity,** *n.* Laymen, body of the people, the people (*as distinguished from the clergy*).
**Lamantine,** *n.* Manatee, sea-cow.
**Lamb,** *n.* Young sheep.
**Lambent,** *a.* I. Playing about (*like the tongue in licking*), touching lightly, gliding over, licking.
2. Gleaming, flickering, twinkling.
**Lambkin,** *n.* Little lamb.
**Lamb of God.** Christ. See JESUS.
**Lame,** *a.* I. Crippled, halt, hobbling.
2. Defective, imperfect.
3. Insufficient, unsatisfactory, weak, feeble, poor.
**Lame,** *v. a.* Cripple, make lame.
**Lamella,** *n.* [L.] Scale, lamina, layer, coat, flake, coating, thin plate.
**Lamellar,** *a.* Lamellate, lamellated, laminar, laminated, foliated, foliaceous, scaly, flaky, schistose.
**Lamellate,** } *a.* See LAMELLAR.
**Lamellated,** }
**Lament,** *v. n.* Mourn, grieve, weep, sorrow, wail, moan, complain.
**Lament,** *v. a.* I. Bewail, deplore, bemoan, mourn, sorrow over *or* for.
2. Regret, deplore.
**Lament,** *n.* I. Wailing, moaning, moan, lamentation, plaint, complaint.
2. Dirge, elegy, epicedium, mournful song, funeral song.
**Lamentable,** *a.* I. Deplorable, grievous, to be lamented.
2. Mournful, wailing.
3. Pitiful, contemptible, miserable, poor, low.
**Lamentation,** *n.* Wailing, moaning, moan, plaint, complaint, lament, ululation, hubbubboo.
**Lamina,** *n.* Scale, layer, coat, coating, lamella, thin plate.
**Laminar,** *a.* Laminated.
**Laminated,** *a.* Laminar. See LAMELLAR.
**Lampoon,** *n.* Pasquinade, satire, squib.
**Lampoon,** *v. a.* Satirize, ridicule, lash.
**Lanate,** } *a.* Woolly, downy, lanuginous, lanu-
**Lanated,** } ginose.
**Lance,** *n.* Spear, javelin.
**Lance,** *v. a.* I. Hurl, throw, launch, dart, send, fling, toss, pitch, jaculate, let fly.
2. Pierce, cut with a lancet.
**Lanceolate,** } *a.* Lance-shaped, lanciform.
**Lanceolated,** }
**Lance-shaped,** *a.* Lanciform.
**Lanciform,** *a.* Lance-shaped.
**Lancinate,** *v. a.* Tear, rend, sever, mangle, lacerate, laniate, claw, tear to pieces.
**Lancinating,** *a.* Piercing, darting, cutting.
**Land,** *n.* I. Ground, soil, earth.
2. Country, district, tract, region.
3. Real estate.
**Land,** *v. a.* Disembark, debark, put on shore, set on shore.

**Land,** *v. n.* Disembark, debark, go on shore, come to land.
**Landing,** *n.* I. Coming to land, disembarking, debarking.
2. Landing-place.
**Landing-place,** *n.* Landing.
**Landloper.** *n.* Wanderer, vagrant, vagabond.
**Landloping,** *n.* Wandering, vagrant, vagabond.
**Landlord,** *n.* I. Owner, proprietor.
2. Host, inn-keeper.
**Landrail,** *n.* Corn-crake, daker-hen (*Crex pratensis*).
**Landscape,** *n.* View, prospect, scene, rural scene.
**Land-waiter,** *n.* Tide-waiter.
**Lane,** *n.* Alley, narrow street, narrow passage *or* way.
**Lang-syne,** *ad.* [*Scotch.*] Long since, long ago.
**Lang-syne,** *n.* The good old time, past times, days gone by, days of yore.
**Language,** *n.* I. Speech, tongue.
2. Speech, power *or* faculty of speech, utterance.
3. Style, expression, phraseology, diction, form of expression.
4. Expression, utterance, voice.
**Languid,** *a.* I. Faint, exhausted, drooping, pining, languishing, flagging, weak, feeble.
2. Dull, torpid, listless, spiritless, heartless, heavy, inactive, slow, sluggish.
**Languidness,** *n.* I. Languor, faintness, feebleness, lassitude.
2. Dulness, listlessness, heaviness, heartlessness.
**Languish,** *v. n.* I. Droop, pine, faint, fade, wither, decline, fail, become feeble, pine away, waste away.
2. Look tender, have the air of a lover.
**Languishment,** *n.* I. Feebleness, decline, weakness, drooping, pining, withering, wasting.
2. Look of tenderness.
**Languor,** *n.* I. Feebleness, debility, languidness, faintness, languishment.
2. Dulness, torpidness, listlessness, heartlessness, heaviness, *ennui.*
**Laniate,** *v. a.* Lacerate, tear, rend, sever, mangle, lancinate, claw, tear to pieces, tear asunder.
**Lank,** *a.* Lean, thin, meagre, attenuated, slim, slender, starveling, skinny, scraggy, gaunt, emaciated.
**Lankness,** *n.* Leanness, thinness, slimness, meagreness, slenderness, attenuation, gauntness, emaciation.
**Lanuginous,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Downy, woolly, lanate, lanated, lanuginose.
**Lanuginose,** *a.* See LANUGINOUS.
**Lap,** *v. a.* I. Fold, turn over, lay over.
2. Wrap, cover, twist round.
3. Lick, lick up, take up with the tongue.
**Lap,** *v. n.* Be folded over, be laid over, reach over.
**Lapidary,** *n.* Lapidist.
**Lapidescence,** *n.* Lapidification, petrifaction.
**Lapidification,** *n.* Lapidescence, petrifaction.
**Lapidist,** *n.* Lapidary.
**Lapse,** *n.* I. Flow, gliding, flowing, smooth course.
2. Fall, decline, declension, falling off.
3. Slip, fault, error, shortcoming, misstep, indiscretion.
**Lapse,** *v. n.* I. Slip, glide, slide, sink, pass slowly.
2. Fail in duty, commit a fault, fall from innocence.
3. (*Law.*) Become void.
**Lapsus linguæ.** [L.] Slip of the tongue.
**Lapwing,** *n.* Pewit (*Tringa vanellus* or *Vanellus cristatus*).
**Larboard,** *n.* (*Naut.*) Port, left-hand side.
**Larceny,** *n.* Theft, stealing, pilfering, robbery, thievery.
**Lard,** *v. a.* I. Grease.
2. Dress with bacon.
3. Intermix, interlay, interlard.
**Large,** *a.* I. Big, great, bulky, huge, immense, vast, of great size.
2. Extensive, expanded, spacious, broad, wide.
3. Abundant, plentiful, ample, full, copious, liberal.
4. Capacious, comprehensive.
5. Comprehensive, broad, wide, liberal, generous.
**Large-bellied,** *a.* Abdominous, big-bellied, pot-bellied, paunchy.
**Largess,** *n.* Bounty, present, donation, gift, endowment, grant, bequest.
**Lariat,** *n.* Lasso.
**Larmier,** *n.* (*Arch.*) Drip, corona.
**Larum,** *n.* [Contraction of *Alarum.*] Alarm, alarum, tocsin, alarm-bell.
**Larva,** *n.* Caterpillar, grub.
**Lascivious,** *a.* Lustful, lecherous, libidinous, lickerish, salacious, concupiscent, lubric, lubricous, lewd, prurient, wanton, loose, unchaste, incontinent.
**Lash,** *n.* I. Thong (*of a whip*), scourge, whip.
2. Stroke, stripe.
**Lash,** *v. a.* I. Scourge, whip, flog, castigate, flagellate.
2. Beat, beat against.
3. Bind, tie, tie together.
4. Censure, satirize, lampoon, abuse.
**Lash the waves.** Make vain efforts, try in vain, beat the air, fish in the air.
**Lass,** *n.* Girl, damsel, maiden, lassie, miss.
**Lassie,** *n.* [*Scotch.*] Girl, lass.
**Lassitude,** *n.* Weariness, exhaustion, fatigue, prostration, languor, languidness.
**Lasso,** *n.* Lariat.
**Last,** *a.* I. Latest.
2. Hindmost.
3. Final, ultimate.
4. Highest, greatest, utmost, extreme.
**Last,** *ad.* I. The last time.
2. After all the rest.
3. Finally, in conclusion.
**Last,** *v. n.* I. Endure, remain, continue.
2. Hold out, be unexhausted, be unconsumed.
**Lasting,** *a.* Enduring, permanent, abiding, durable, of long continuance.
**Lastingness,** *n.* Permanence, durability, continuance, fixedness.
**Lastly,** *ad.* Finally, in fine, at last, at length, in the end, in conclusion.
**Late,** *a.* I. Slow, tardy, long delayed.
2. Far advanced.
3. Recently deceased.
4. Recent.
**Late,** *ad.* I. Tardily, after the proper time, at the eleventh hour, a day after the fair.
2. Recently, lately, not long ago, sometime, sometime since.
**Lately,** *ad.* Recently, latterly, late, of late, not long ago.
**Latent,** *a.* Concealed, hidden, secret, occult, veiled, unseen, abeyant.
**Lather,** *n.* Foam (*of soap and water*), froth.
**Latifoliate,** } *a.* (*Bot.*) Broad-leaved.
**Latifolious,** }
**Latin,** *a.* Of the Latins, of ancient Rome, Roman.
**Latin,** *n.* Language of ancient Rome, Latin language.
**Latinism,** *n.* Latin idiom.
**Latinity,** *n.* Latin style.
**Latitude,** *n.* I. Extent, range, scope, amplitude, compass

2. Freedom, liberty, indulgence, free play.
3. Laxity, loose interpretation, indefinite meaning.
4. (*Geog.*) Angular distance from the equator.
5. (*Astron.*) Angular distance from the ecliptic.

**Latitudinarian,** *a.* Liberal to an extreme (*in opinion*), over-liberal, loose, lax, free-thinking, over-tolerant.

**Latitudinarianism,** *n.* Extravagant liberalism, laxity, free-thinking, over-toleration.

**Latten,** *n.* Sheet tin, tinned iron plate.

**Latter,** *a.* 1. Last mentioned (*of two*).
2. Recent, modern.

**Latterly,** *ad.* Lately, recently, of late.

**Lattice,** *n.* Trellis, lattice-work.

**Lattice-work,** *n.* Lattice, trellis.

**Laud,** *v. a.* Praise, extol, celebrate, magnify.

**Laudable,** *a.* Commendable, praiseworthy.

**Laudanum,** *n.* Tincture of opium.

**Laudation,** *n.* Praise, commendation, eulogy, compliment, encomium.

**Laudatory,** *a.* 1. Commendatory, panegyrical, eulogistic, complimentary, encomiastic, adulatory, flattering.
2. Lavish *or* extravagant of praise.

**Laugh,** *n.* Laughter, cachinnation.

**Laugh,** *v. n.* Cachinnate.

**Laughable,** *a.* Comical, droll, funny, ludicrous, farcical, ridiculous.

**Laugh at.** Ridicule, deride, mock, scoff, scoff at, sneer at, laugh to scorn, make fun of, poke fun at.

**Laughing,** *a.* Merry, mirthful, gay, gleeful.

**Laughing,** *n.* Laughter.

**Laughing-gas,** *n.* Nitrous oxide, protoxide of nitrogen, exhilarating gas.

**Laughing-stock,** *n.* Butt (*of jests*), object of ridicule.

**Laughter,** *n.* Laughing, laugh.

**Laugh to scorn.** Ridicule, deride, despise, sneer at, laugh at, laugh down, treat with contempt.

**Launch,** *v. a.* 1. Throw, hurl, cast, dart, lance.
2. Slide from the stocks (*as a ship*).

**Launch,** *v. n.* Enlarge, expatiate, descant, dilate, launch out.

**Launch out.** Enlarge, launch, expatiate.

**Laundress,** *n.* Washerwoman.

**Laureate,** *n.* Poet-laureate, court-poet.

**Lave,** *v. a.* Wash, bathe.

**Lavement,** *n.* (*Med.*) Clyster, enema, injection.

**Lavish,** *a.* Profuse, prodigal, thriftless, unthrifty, wasteful, extravagant, too free, over-liberal.

**Lavish,** *v. a.* 1. Waste, squander, dissipate, spend lavishly.
2. Bestow prodigally, pour out.

**Law,** *n.* 1. Rule (*prescribed by authority*), regulation, statute, enactment, decree, ordinance, edict, order, canon, expressed command.
2. Formula, principle, form.
3. Code, body of rules.
4. Jurisprudence, science of laws, legal science.
5. [With *The* prefixed.] Mosaic code *or* dispensation, the old covenant.
6. Suit, process, litigation.
7. Controlling idea, governing principle, principle, determining rule (*of the invariable sequence of events* or *forms*).
8. Uniform and constant operation (*of any natural force under the same conditions*), method of the divine agency, God in nature, Nature.

**Lawful,** *a.* 1. Legal, legalized, legitimate, constitutional, constituted.
2. Allowable, permissible.
3. Rightful, just, proper.

**Lawfulness,** *n.* 1. Legality, conformity to law.
2. Allowableness, permissibleness, permissibility.

**Lawgiver,** *n.* Legislator, lawmaker.

**Lawsuit,** *n.* Action, suit in law.

**Lawyer,** *n.* Counsellor, counsel, advocate, attorney, attorney-at-law, solicitor, barrister, limb of the law.

**Lax,** *a.* 1. Loose, slack, relaxed.
2. Soft, flabby, drooping, relaxed.
3. Remiss, negligent, neglectful.
4. Latitudinarian (*which see*).
5. Licentious, dissolute, loose.

**Laxative,** *a.* Loosening, aperient, deobstruent, purgative.

**Laxative,** *n.* Laxative medicine, purgative, aperient, deobstruent.

**Laxity,** *n.* 1. Looseness, slackness, laxness.
2. Remissness, negligence.
3. Latitude, latitudinarianism (*which see*).
4. Dissoluteness, licentiousness.

**Laxness,** *n.* See LAX, in its various senses.

**Lay,** *v. a.* 1. Put, place, lay down.
2. Impose, assess.
3. Impute, charge, ascribe.
4. Spread (*on a surface*).
5. Prepare, set in order, get ready.
6. Contrive, scheme, devise, concoct.
7. Allay, quiet, calm, still, appease.
8. Exorcise, drive away.
9. Bet, stake, wager, risk, hazard.
10. Produce, bring forth and deposit (*as eggs*).
11. (*Naut.*) Depress, sink, sail away from so as to lose sight of.
12. (*Law.*) Allege, state, name.

**Lay,** *n.* (*Rare.*) 1. Row, stratum, layer.
2. Bet, wager, stake, pledge.
3. Song, lyric.
4. Lea, meadow, mead, pasture, grassy plain, grass land.

**Lay,** *a.* Laic, laical.

**Lay aside.** 1. Reject, discard, put away, put off, lay on the shelf.
2. Put by, store, lay by.

**Lay by.** Reserve, keep, retain, husband, reserve for future use.

**Lay down.** 1. Resign, give up, offer up, sacrifice.
2. Leave, quit, relinquish.
3. Advance, propound, assert, allege, enunciate.

**Layer,** *n.* 1. Stratum, bed. See LAY, 1.
2. Course (*as of bricks*).
3. Shoot *or* twig (*laid in the ground for propagation*).

**Lay hold of.** Seize, catch, grasp, clutch.

**Lay in.** Store, provide, lay up.

**Lay one's self forth or out.** Strive, labor, try, struggle, exert one's self, put forth all one's strength, do one's utmost.

**Lay open.** 1. Open, lance, cut open.
2. Expose, reveal, exhibit, disclose, unveil, divulge, publish, show, make known.

**Lay out.** 1. Spend, expend, disburse.
2. Plan, dispose, arrange.
3. Display, show, exhibit.
4. Prepare for burial.

**Lay over.** 1. Spread over, cover the surface of, overlay.
2. Postpone, defer, put off.

**Lay siege to.** Besiege, beset, invest.

**Lay to heart.** 1. Feel keenly, be greatly grieved at, be much troubled about, be much affected by, take to heart, take on about.
2. Consider seriously, take with serious purpose, ponder well, make matter of earnest resolve.

**Lay up.** 1. Store, provide, treasure up, lay in.
2. Confine to the bed *or* the house.

**Lay waste.** Desolate, destroy, ruin.
**Lazaretto,** *n.* Hospital, infirmary, pest-house, lazar-house.
**Lazar-house,** *n.* See LAZARETTO.
**Lazy,** *a.* I. Slothful, sluggish, sluggard, indolent, idle, inert, inactive, supine, torpid, slack, dronish, lumpish.
2. Sluggish, slow, creeping.
**Lea,** *n.* Meadow, mead, grass land, sward land, lay.
**Lead,** *v. a.* I. Guide (*by the hand* or *something connected with the hand*).
2. Conduct, direct, escort, go before as guide.
3. Head, be at the head of, precede.
4. Surpass, excel, have the lead of, take the lead of, outstrip, be in advance of.
5. Allure, entice, induce, persuade, draw, prevail on.
6. Pass, spend.
**Lead,** *v. n.* I. Show the way (*by going before*).
2. Be the commander (*as of troops*).
3. Conduce, contribute, tend, serve.
**Lead,** *n.* I. Guidance, direction, leadership.
2. Precedence.
**Lead captive.** I. Carry into captivity, capture.
2. Captivate, fascinate, overpower.
**Leader,** *n.* I. Guide, director, conductor, corypheus, choregus.
2. Chief, chieftain, commander.
3. Superior, victor, dominator, corypheus, cock of the walk, ruler of the roost, first fiddle.
**Leadership,** *n.* I. Guidance, direction, lead, conduct.
2. Primacy, supremacy, predominance, domination, hegemony.
**Leading,** *a.* I. Governing, ruling.
2. Chief, principal, capital, most important.
**Lead off.** Begin, take the lead.
**Lead the way.** Go before (*as guide*).
**Leaf,** *n.* Blade.
**Leaflet,** *n.* Small leaf.
**Leaf-stalk,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Petiole.
**League,** *n.* I. Alliance, confederation, confederacy, combination, coalition, union.
2. Three (*geographical*) miles.
**League,** *v. n.* Unite, combine, confederate, band, form a league, form an alliance.
**Leagued,** *a.* United, combined, allied, confederated, confederate, banded.
**Leak,** *n.* I. Fissure (*letting a liquid in* or *out*), chink, crevice, hole.
2. Leaking, leakage, percolation.
**Leak,** *v. a.* I. Percolate, leak in *or* out, ooze, pass slowly.
2. Let in (*water* or *other liquid*), take water, etc.
**Lean,** *v. n.* I. Incline (*from a perpendicular*), slope.
2. Recline, bear, rest, repose.
3. Tend, have a tendency.
4. Repose, rely, depend, confide, trust.
**Lean,** *v. a.* Rest, incline for support, lay.
**Lean,** *a.* I. Thin, poor, gaunt, emaciated, meagre, lank, skinny, fallen away.
2. Barren, jejune, meagre, tame, prosy, dull.
3. Scanty, slender, pitiful, inadequate, not full *or* abundant, not plentiful, not ample, not enough.
4. Free from fat, destitute of fat.
5. Barren, bare, unfertile, unproductive.
**Leaning,** *n.* Bent, inclination, bias, propensity, proneness. See TENDENCY.
**Lean-to,** *n.* Penthouse, shed.
**Leap,** *v. n.* I. Jump, bound, spring, vault.
2. Hop, frisk, gambol, caper.
**Leap,** *v. a.* Jump over, bound across.
**Leap,** *n.* I. Jump, spring, bound, vault.
2. Hop, frisk, frisking, caper, gambol.
**Leap-year,** *n.* Bissextile.
**Learn,** *v. a.* I. Get a knowledge of, acquire skill in, make one's self acquainted with, make one's self master of.
2. Be informed of, hear, hear of.
**Learn,** *v. n.* I. Get learning, acquire knowledge, gain experience, acquire information, acquire.
2. Be informed, hear.
**Learn by heart.** Memorize, commit to memory, get by heart, learn *or* get by rote.
**Learned,** *a.* I. Erudite, lettered, deep-read.
2. [With *in.*] Knowing, skilled, expert, experienced, well-informed.
**Learning,** *n.* I. Acquisition of knowledge.
2. Erudition, scholarship, acquirements, attainments, lore, large knowledge, wide information, acquired knowledge.
**Lease,** *v. a.* Let (*for a term of years*).
**Leash,** *n.* I. Thong *or* string (*for holding a dog* or *a hawk*).
2. Three (*greyhounds, etc.*).
**Leash,** *v. a.* Tie, tie together.
**Least,** *a.* Smallest, minutest.
**Least,** *ad.* In the smallest degree.
**Leathery,** *a.* Tough, coriaceous.
**Leave,** *n.* I. Permission, liberty, allowance, license.
2. Withdrawal, retirement, departure.
3. Farewell, adieu, *congé.*
**Leave,** *v. a.* I. Quit, vacate, abandon, withdraw from, depart from, go away from, retire from, get away from.
2. Abandon, forsake, desert, relinquish, renounce, put aside, lay aside, give up, give over.
3. Let alone, let be, suffer to remain undisturbed, forbear to meddle with.
4. Commit, consign, refer.
5. Stop, forbear, cease from, desist from, refrain from, leave off, break off, make an end of.
6. Permit, allow, let, give leave, give permission.
7. Bequeath, demise, devise, will, give by will.
8. Leave behind one, leave at one's death, leave remaining after death.
**Leave,** *v. n.* Desist, stop, cease, forbear, leave off.
**Leaven,** *n.* I. Yeast, ferment, barm, fermenting substance.
2. Pervading influence.
**Leaven,** *v. a.* I. Produce *or* excite fermentation in, ferment, raise, lighten.
2. Imbue, pervade, permeate, tinge, color, inspire, elevate, lift.
3. Imbue, infect, vitiate, taint.
**Leave off.** (*Active.*) Forbear, desist from, break off.
**Leave off.** (*Neuter.*) Desist, stop, leave.
**Leave out.** Omit.
**Leaves,** *n. pl.* Foliage.
**Leavings,** *n. pl.* Remains, remnants, relics, fragments, scraps, pieces, refuse, odds and ends.
**Lecherous,** *a.* Lewd, lascivious, libidinous, lustful, carnal, salacious, lickerish, concupiscent, lubric, lubricous, wanton, unchaste, incontinent.
**Lechery,** *n.* Lewdness, lasciviousness, concupiscence, lust, salacity, salaciousness, lubricity, carnal desire, brutal appetite.
**Lection,** *n.* Reading, version, interpretation.
**Lecture,** *n.* I. Discourse, prelection.
2. Censure, lesson, lecturing, reprimand, reproof, scolding.
**Lecture,** *v. a.* I. Deliver a lecture to.
2. Reprove, reprimand, scold, chide, rate.
**Ledge,** *n.* I. Shelf.
2. Ridge of rocks.
**Lee,** *a.* To leeward (*opposed to weather*).

**Lee,** *n.* Leeward, lee-side, side sheltered from the wind.
**Leer,** *v. n.* Look askance (*in contempt*).
**Lees,** *n. pl.* Dregs, sediment, settlings, precipitate, dunder.
**Leeward,** *n.* Lee, lee-side.
**Legacy,** *n.* Bequest, devise, gift by will.
**Legal,** *a.* Lawful, legitimate, legalized, authorized *or* sanctioned (*by law*), according to law.
**Legality,** *n.* Lawfulness, conformity to law.
**Legalize,** *v. a.* 1. Authorize, permit by law.
2. Sanction, legitimate, legitimize, make legal, confirm by law.
**Legate,** *n.* 1. Envoy, deputy, delegate. See AMBASSADOR.
2. Papal ambassador, pope's legate, cardinal legate.
**Legation,** *n.* Embassy, deputation, body of diplomatists.
**Legend,** *n.* 1. Fable, myth, fiction, doubtful narrative, fictitious story.
2. Motto (*round a coin* or *a medal*).
**Legendary,** *a.* Fabulous, fictitious, mythical.
**Legerdemain,** *n.* Juggle, juggling, sleight of hand.
**Legible,** *a.* 1. Readable, plain, fair, decipherable.
2. Manifest, apparent, recognizable, discoverable.
**Legion,** *n.* 1. Army, host, military force, body of troops.
2. Multitude, host, army, great number.
**Legions,** *n. pl.* Troops, battalions, squadrons, armed men, armed hordes.
**Legislate,** *v. n.* Make laws, enact laws.
**Legislate,** *v. a.* Enact, ordain, create *or* annul by law *or* legislation, speak into *or* out of (*being* or *existence*).
**Legislative,** *a.* Law-making.
**Legislator,** *n.* Lawgiver, lawmaker.
**Legislature,** *n.* Legislative body.
**Legitimacy,** *n.* 1. Legality, lawfulness, accordance with law.
2. Genuineness.
**Legitimate,** *a.* 1. Legal, lawful, in accordance with law.
2. Born in wedlock, lawfully begotten.
3. Genuine.
4. Valid, logical, warranted, warrantable, correct.
**Legitimate,** / **Legitimize,** *v. a.* Legalize, make legitimate.
**Legume,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Simple pod (*of two valves*).
**Legumes,** *n. pl.* Pulse, fruit of leguminous plants.
**Leisure,** *n.* 1. Spare hours, spare time, time to spare.
2. Convenience, ease.
3. Freedom from business, ease.
**Lend,** *v. a.* 1. Loan, accommodate with.
2. Give, grant, afford, furnish, bestow, confer, impart.
**Lend a hand.** Render assistance, put one's shoulder to the wheel, hold out a helping hand, give one a lift, give one a turn, do one a favor, help a lame dog over a stile.
**Length,** *n.* 1. Extent, longitudinal dimensions.
2. Long duration, duration, continuance.
3. Detail, amplification, fulness.
**Lengthen,** *v. a.* 1. Elongate, extend (*in space*), stretch, draw out, produce, prolong.
2. Protract, continue, prolong, extend (*in time*), spin out.
**Lengthen,** *v. n.* Become longer, grow longer, increase in length.
**Lengthways,** / **Lengthwise,** *ad.* Longitudinally.
**Lengthy,** *a.* Long, lengthened, prolonged, prolix, protracted.
**Lenience,** / **Leniency,** *n.* Clemency, mildness, lenity, mercy, tenderness, gentleness, forbearance.
**Lenient,** *a.* 1. Softening, assuasive, soothing, mitigating, mitigative, lenitive.
2. Mild, gentle, clement, merciful, tender, forbearing, long-suffering.
**Lenient,** *n.* See LENITIVE, *n.*
**Lenitive,** *a.* Soothing, assuasive, emollient, lenient, mitigative, balmy, sedative, demulcent.
**Lenitive,** *n.* Palliative, emollient, lenient, opiate, anodyne, soothing medicine.
**Lenity,** *n.* Mildness, clemency, gentleness, tenderness, mercy, kindness, forbearance, lenience, leniency.
**Lens-shaped,** *a.* Lentiform, lenticular.
**Lenten,** *a.* 1. Of Lent, belonging to Lent, used in Lent, in Lent.
2. Sparing, meagre, abstemious, spare, light, lean, slender.
**Lentiform,** / **Lenticular,** *a.* Lens-shaped.
**Lentiginous,** *a.* Scurfy, scabby, scaly, scabbed, furfuraceous.
**Lentisk,** / **Lentiscus,** *n.* Mastic-tree *or* mastich-tree (*Pistacia lentiscus*).
**Leonine,** *a.* 1. Lion-like.
2. Characteristic of a lion, belonging to a lion *or* lions.
**Leopard's-bane,** *n.* Arnica (*Doronicum pardalianches*).
**Lepidolite,** *n.* (*Min.*) Rose mica, lithia mica.
**Lepidote,** / **Lepidoted,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Scaly, leprous.
**Leprous,** *a.* 1. Infected with leprosy.
2. (*Bot.*) Scaly, lepidote, lepidoted.
3. Corrupt, foul, vile, defiling, infectious, poisonous, polluting.
**Lese-majesty,** *n.* [Preferably written *Leze-majesty.*] Treason.
**Lesion,** *n.* (*Med.*) Injury, hurt, disorder, derangement, morbid change.
**Less,** *a.* Smaller, inferior.
**Less,** *ad.* Not so much, in a less degree.
**Less,** *n.* Not so much, smaller quantity, less amount.
**Lessen,** *v. a.* 1. Diminish, decrease, reduce, abate, abridge, make less.
2. Lower, degrade.
**Lessen,** *v. n.* Decrease, diminish, abate, dwindle, shrink, be reduced.
**Lessening,** *n.* Diminution, decrement, decrease, reduction, abatement.
**Lesser,** *a.* Less, smaller, inferior.
**Lesser Bear.** [With *The* prefixed.] Little Bear, Ursa Minor.
**Lesson,** *n.* 1. Exercise (*of a learner*), task.
2. Instruction, precept.
3. Reproof, rebuke, lecture, censure, lecturing, scolding, chiding.
**Lest,** *conj.* That not, for fear that.
**Let,** *v. a.* 1. Allow, permit, suffer, give leave to, give permission to.
2. Lease, put to hire.
**Let,** *n.* Hindrance, impediment, obstacle, obstruction.
**Let alone.** Leave, let be, suffer to remain undisturbed, forbear to meddle with.
**Let be.** Leave. See LET ALONE.
**Let bygones be bygones.** Let the past be forgotten.
**Let down.** Lower, depress.
**Let drive.** / **Let fly.** Discharge, let loose.
**Let go.** Release, loose, set free, let loose, let slip, cast off, let out.
**Lethal,** *a.* (*Rare.*) Deadly, mortal, fatal.

**Lethargic,** } *a.* Drowsy, dull, torpid, heavy,
**Lethargical,** } stupid, stupefied, comatose, morbidly sleepy.
**Lethargy,** *n.* Stupor, torpor, coma, stupefaction, hypnotism, stupidity, morbid drowsiness.
**Lethean,** *a.* Oblivious.
**Let in.** } Admit, permit to enter.
**et into.** }
**Let loose.** Release, liberate, let free, free from restraint, let out, let go, set at liberty.
**Let off.** I. Discharge, explode.
2. Excuse, exonerate, exempt.
**Let out.** I. Release, liberate, set free, let loose, free from restraint, set at liberty.
2. Extend, loosen.
3. Blab, disclose, divulge, reveal.
**Let slip.** Loose, let go.
**Letter,** *n.* I. Alphabetic character.
2. Epistle, note.
3. Literal meaning, literal sense, verbal expression.
**Lettered,** *a.* Learned, literary, bookish, well-read, deep-read, book-learned.
**Letters,** *n. pl.* I. Literature, learning, culture, erudition.
2. Correspondence.
**Levant,** *n.* The East, eastern coasts of the Mediterranean.
**Levee,** *n.* I. Time of rising.
2. [*U. S.*] Ceremonious party, reception, entertainment, *soirée*.
3. [*Europe.*] Morning reception (*by a prince* or *great personage*).
4. [*U. S.*] Embankment (*along a river to prevent inundation*).
**Level,** *a.* I. Horizontal.
2. Even, flat, plain.
3. Flush, on a level, of the same height.
4. Of the same rank, condition, etc., on a par.
**Level,** *v. a.* I. Make horizontal.
2 Bring to the same level.
3. Raze, demolish, destroy.
4. Aim, direct, point, take aim.
5. Adapt, suit, fit, proportion.
**Level,** *n.* I. Horizontal surface, horizontal line.
2. State of equality, equal elevation.
**Leverage,** *n.* Purchase (*obtained by the lever*).
**Levigate,** *v. a.* Pulverize, comminute, triturate, grind, bruise, bray, reduce to powder.
**Levigation,** *n.* Pulverization, comminution, trituration.
**Levin,** *n.* Lightning.
**Levin-brand,** *n.* Thunderbolt, lightning-flash.
**Levity,** *n.* I. Lightness, want of weight.
2. Frivolity, flightiness, giddiness, volatility, want of seriousness.
**Levy,** *v. a.* I. Raise, muster, call together.
2. Collect, gather.
**Lewd,** *a.* I. [*Archaic.*] Vile, despicable, loose, profligate, wicked.
2. Lustful. See LIBIDINOUS.
**Lexicon,** *n.* Dictionary, glossary, vocabulary, word-book.
**Leze-majesty,** *n.* [Sometimes written *Lese-majesty.*] Treason.
**Liability,** *n.* I. Responsibility, accountableness, accountability, bounden duty.
2. Exposedness.
**Liabilities,** *n. pl.* (*Com.*) Debts, obligations.
**Liable,** *a.* I. Answerable, responsible, accountable, amenable.
2. Exposed, subject, obnoxious.
**Liaison,** *n.* [Fr.] I. Amour, intrigue, illicit intimacy, criminal intimacy.
2. (*Rare.*) Connection, union, bond of union, relation.
**Libel,** *n.* I. Malicious publication, defamation, defamatory writing.
2. (*Law.*) Charge, statement of complaint.
**Libel,** *v. a.* I. Lampoon, defame (*by some publication*).
2. (*Law.*) Proceed against by a libel, bring a charge against.
**Libellous,** *a.* [Written also *Libelous.*] Defamatory, malicious.
**Liberal,** *a.* I. Generous, bountiful, free, beneficent, munificent, princely, charitable, open-hearted, free-hearted, unselfish, disinterested.
2. Enlarged, catholic, tolerant, unbigoted, high-minded, magnanimous, honorable, chivalrous.
3. Large, full, unstinted, abundant, bounteous, ample, plentiful.
4. Refined, liberalizing, refining, befitting a freeman, humanizing.
**Liberal,** *n.* Liberalist, advocate of liberal principles.
**Liberalism,** *n.* Liberal principles.
**Liberalist,** *n.* Liberal, advocate of liberal principles.
**Liberality,** *n.* I. Generosity, bounty, beneficence, munificence, disinterestedness, bountifulness, charity.
2. Present, gift, benefaction.
3. Catholicity, toleration, magnanimity, candor, impartiality, largeness of mind, large-mindedness, freedom from narrowness, freedom from bigotry.
**Liberalize,** *v. a.* I. Enlarge, make liberal, free from prejudice.
2. Make liberal, refine, elevate, cultivate.
**Liberate,** *v. a.* Release, free, emancipate, manumit, disinthrall, ransom, discharge, deliver, set free, set at liberty, let go, let loose, let out.
**Liberation,** *n.* I. Deliverance, rescue, release, setting free.
2. Release, discharge.
**Liberties,** *n. pl.* I. Limits (*of a prison, etc.*).
2. Unwarrantable freedom.
3. Immunities, franchises, privileges.
**Libertine,** *n.* Rake, debauchee, profligate, *roué*, dissolute man, man of pleasure.
**Libertine,** *a.* Licentious, dissolute, depraved, corrupt.
**Libertinism,** *n.* Licentiousness, dissoluteness, debauchery.
**Liberty,** *n.* I. Freedom (*after previous restraint*), liberation from foreign restraint, independence, self-direction, self-government.
2. Privilege, immunity, franchise.
3. Leave, permission, license.
**Libidinous,** *a.* Lascivious, lustful, carnal, lecherous, lickerish, lewd, salacious, concupiscent, wanton, loose, unchaste, incontinent, lubric, lubrical, lubricous, sensual, impure.
**Librate,** *v. a.* Balance, poise, hold in equipoise.
**Libratory,** *a.* Balancing.
**License,** *n.* I. Permission, privilege, leave, right.
2. Permit, warrant.
3. Laxity, excessive liberty, exorbitant freedom, disorder, anarchy, lawlessness.
**License,** *v. a.* Permit, allow, grant authority to, give a permit *or* warrant to.
**Licentious,** *a.* I. Unrestrained, riotous, uncurbed, wanton, uncontrolled, unruly, ungovernable, disorderly.
2. Dissolute, debauched, profligate, rakish, libertine, loose, lax.
3. Sensual, unchaste, immoral, impure, libertine, lascivious, lewd, libidinous, lecherous, lustful.
**Lick,** *v. a.* I. Pass the tongue over.
2. Lap, take up with the tongue.

**Lick,** *n.* I. Taste.
2. Blow, slap, stroke.
3. Salt-lick, saline, salt-spring.
**Lickerish,** *a.* I. Hankering (*to lick* or *taste*), craving, longing.
2. Lecherous. See LIBIDINOUS.
3. Dainty, nice, fastidious.
4. Dainty, tempting, appetizing.
**Lickerous,** *a.* See LICKERISH.
**Lickspittle,** *n.* Abject parasite, mean flatterer, lick-platter, lick-trencher.
**Lid,** *n.* I. Cover, covercle, top.
2. Eyelid.
**Lie,** *n.* I. Falsehood, malicious *or* deliberate falsification, intentional untruth, criminal falsehood, *suggestio falsi, suppressio veri*, fib (*humorous euphemism*).
2. Delusion, illusion, fleeting show.
**Lie,** *v. n.* I. Falsify, fib, tell a lie.
2. Recline, lie, couch, lie down, be prostrate, be recumbent.
3. Be placed, be laid.
4. Be, rest, remain.
5. Be situated, be located.
6. Consist.
7. (*Law.*) Be sustainable.
**Lie at one's door.** Be chargeable to.
**Lie by.** I. Remain near.
2. Rest, intermit labor.
**Lief,** *ad.* Willingly, gladly, freely.
**Liege,** *a.* Bound by feudal tenure (*to service, as a vassal*; or *to protection, as a lord*).
**Liege,** *n* Superior, sovereign, liege lord.
**Lie in.** Be confined, be in child-bed, be in the straw.
**Lie in one's throat.** Lie outrageously.
**Lien,** *n.* Legal claim.
**Lie on.** Be incumbent on, belong to, lie with.
**Lie over.** I. Be deferred, be postponed.
2. Remain unpaid (*said of a note*).
**Lie to.** (*Naut.*) Stop, check headway.
**Lieu,** *n.* [Fr.] Place, room, stead.
**Lie under.** Be subject to.
**Lie upon.** Lie on.
**Lie with.** I. Lodge with, sleep with.
2. Belong to, be incumbent on, lie on.
3. Enjoy, have intercourse with, have connection with, cohabit with.
**Life,** *n.* I. Vitality, the vital spark, the breath of life, the breath of one's nostrils.
2. Time from birth to death, period of life, lifetime.
3. Animated existence, living beings.
4. Mode *or* course of living, manner of life, course, career.
5. Conduct, deportment, behavior.
6. Animation, vigor, spirit, vivacity, alertness, briskness, sprightliness, activity, energy.
7. Biography, memoir.
8. Real person, living form.
9. Society, social manners, human affairs, course of things.
**Lifeless,** *a.* I. Dead, defunct, extinct, inanimate.
2. Torpid, sluggish, inert, dull, tame, spiritless, passive.
**Lift,** *v. a.* Raise, elevate, lift up.
**Lift,** *n.* I. Lifting, raising.
2. (*Colloq.*) Aid, assistance, help.
3. Rise (*as of a lock in canals*), degree of elevation.
4. Elevator.
**Lift-lock,** *n.* Lock (*of a canal*).
**Ligament,** *n.* Band, ligature.
**Ligature,** *n.* I. Band, bandage, ligament, tie.
2. Binding, tying.
3. Cutting tie, compressing *or* severing wire.
**Light,** *n.* I. Medium of vision.
2. Diffusion of luminous rays.
3. Daybreak, sunrise, dawn, daylight, break of day, peep of day.
4. Candle, lamp, taper.
5. Instruction, knowledge, information, comprehension, insight.
6. Illustration, explanation, elucidation.
7. Window, pane (*of glass*), etc.
8. Public notice.
9. Aspect, point of view.
**Light,** *a.* I. Buoyant, of little weight.
2. Easy (*to be borne*), not burdensome.
3. Easy (*to be done*), not difficult.
4. Porous, spongy, well leavened (*said of bread*).
5. Loose, sandy (*said of soil*).
6. Unencumbered, unburdened, free from impediments.
7. Slight, trifling, small, inconsiderable, moderate.
8. Gossamery, flimsy, unsubstantial.
9. Frivolous, fickle, unsteady, volatile, unsettled.
10. Gay, airy, buoyant, light-hearted.
11. Bright, clear, not dark.
12. Whitish, of a whitish shade.
**Light,** *v. a.* I. Kindle, ignite, set fire to, set on fire, apply the match to.
2. Illumine, give light to, guide by light.
3. Illuminate, lighten, illume, irradiate.
**Lighten,** *v. n.* I. Flash (*said of lightning*).
2. Grow lighter, brighten, clear off.
**Lighten,** *v. a.* I. Illuminate, irradiate, illume, light.
2. Enlighten, fill with knowledge *or* wisdom, illumine.
3. [With *forth.*] Flash, flash forth, emit.
4. Ease, make lighter, make easier.
**Light-fingered,** *a.* Thievish.
**Light-headed,** *a.* I. Dizzy, vertiginous, giddy.
2. Delirious, wandering.
3. Giddy, heedless, light, thoughtless, frivolous, volatile, indiscreet.
**Light-hearted,** *a.* Gladsome, cheerful, joyful, joyous, gay, merry, glad, blithe, blithesome, gleeful, jovial, jolly, jocund, frolicsome.
**Light-horse,** *n.* Light-armed cavalry.
**Light-house,** *n.* Pharos.
**Lightning-rod,** *n.* Paratonnerre.
**Light on.** I. Happen upon, fall upon by chance, happen to find, light upon, strike upon.
2. Alight on.
**Lights,** *n. pl.* Lungs (*of a brute*).
**Lightsome,** *a.* I. Luminous, full of light.
2. Gay, buoyant, lively, cheerful, blithesome, blithe, merry. See LIGHT-HEARTED.
**Light upon.** See LIGHT ON.
**Lign-aloes,** *n.* Agalloch, agallochum, agillochum, aloes-wood, agal-wood, eagle-wood, calambac.
**Ligneous,** *a.* Woody.
**Lignine,** *n.* (*Chem.*) Woody fibre.
**Lignite,** *n.* (*Min.*) Fossil-wood.
**Like,** *a.* I. Similar, resembling, analogous, allied, parallel, cognate, of a piece.
2. Equal, same.
3. Likely, probable.
**Like,** *n.* I. Equal.
2. Preference, partiality, liking.
**Like,** *ad.* I. In the manner of, in the same manner as.
2. Likely, probably.
**Like,** *v. a.* I. Approve, be pleased with, take pleasure in, find to one's mind, taste, *or* fancy.
2. Relish, enjoy, be fond of.
3. Esteem, fancy, have a regard for, take a liking to, take to, take a fancy to.

**Like,** *v. n.* Choose, prefer, elect, wish, list, think fit, be pleased.
**Likelihood,** *n.* Probability, verisimilitude.
**Likely,** *a.* 1. Probable, credible.
2. In a fair way, to be expected.
3. Pleasing, agreeable, likable, that may be liked.
4. Suitable, well-adapted, well-suited, convenient.
**Liken,** *v. a.* Compare, show the resemblance of.
**Likeness,** *n.* 1. Resemblance, similarity, similitude, semblance, form, external appearance.
2. Copy, facsimile, counterpart, image, representation, portrait, effigy.
**Likewise,** *ad.* Also, too, besides, moreover, furthermore, in addition, to boot, in like manner.
**Liking,** *n.* 1. Fondness, partiality, desire, wish.
2. Inclination, disposition, tendency, turn, leaning, bias, bent, propensity, proclivity, proneness, predisposition, appetency, *penchant*
**Liliputian,** *a.* Pygmean, little, small, tiny, puny, dwarfish, diminutive.
**Lily of the valley.** May lily (*Convallaria majalis*).
**Limb,** *n.* 1. Member, extremity,
2. Branch, bough.
**Limber,** *a.* Supple, pliable, pliant, flexible, lithe.
**Limbo,** *n.* 1. Limbus, place of spirits, place of the departed (*awaiting final judgment*).
2. Hell, infernal regions, shades below.
**Limb of the law.** Lawyer, counsellor counsel, barrister, advocate, attorney, solicitor, attorney-at-law.
**Limbus,** *n.* [L.] See LIMBO.
**Lime,** *n.* 1. Quicklime, protoxide of calcium.
2. Linden, lime-tree.
3. Lime-fruit tree (*Citrus limetta*).
4. Lime-fruit.
**Limit,** *n.* 1. Bound, frontier, boundary, confine, bourn, termination, precinct, march.
2. Restriction, restraint, obstruction, check, hindrance.
**Limit,** *v. a.* 1. Bound, circumscribe, define, set bounds to, fix the limits of.
2. Restrain, restrict, condition.
**Limitation,** *n.* Restriction, restraint.
**Limn,** *v. a.* Paint, draw and paint, draw, illuminate.
**Limning,** *n.* Painting (*in water-colors*).
**Limp,** *a.* Limber, flaccid, flexile.
**Limp,** *v. n.* Halt, hobble, walk lame.
**Limp,** *n.* Halt, limping gait.
**Limpid,** *a.* Clear, lucid, pure, bright, transparent, pellucid, crystal, crystalline, translucent.
**Limpidity,** *n.* Clearness, brightness, purity, transparency, limpidness.
**Limpidness,** *n.* See LIMPIDITY.
**Lin,** *n.* 1. Pool, pond.
2. [*Scotch.*] Cataract, waterfall.
**Linden,** *n.* Lime-tree, lime.
**Line,** *n.* 1. Streak, stripe, extended mark.
2. Straight direction.
3. Parallel direction.
4. Thread, cord, string, rope.
5. Row, rank.
6. Row of words (*across a page*).
7. Note, short letter.
8. Equator, equinoctial circle.
9. One twelfth of an inch.
10. Lineage, race, family, ancestry.
11. Course, method.
12. Occupation, employment, calling, business, pursuit.
**Line,** *v. a.* 1. Cover on the inside.
2. Place along the side of.
3. Cover with lines, mark, draw lines upon.
4. Delineate, draw, sketch outline.
5. Fill, put into, put inside.
**Lineage,** *n.* Progeny, race, family, house, genealogy, descent, line, birth, breed, extraction.
**Lineal,** *a.* 1. In a direct line (*from an ancestor*).
2. Linear, in the direction of a line.
**Lineament,** *n.* Outline (*particularly of the face*), feature, trait, line.
**Linear,** *a.* Lineal, in the direction of a line.
**Linen,** *n.* 1. Cloth of flax, flaxen fabric, linen cloth.
2. Thread of flax, linen thread.
3. Under-garments.
**Linger,** *v. n.* Loiter, delay, tarry, lag, saunter, be slow, wait long, remain long.
**Lingering,** *a.* 1. Delaying, loitering.
2. Protracted, prolonged.
**Linguiform,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Tongue-shaped, lingulate.
**Linguist,** *n.* Adept in languages, linguistic scholar.
**Linguistics,** *n.* Glossology, glottology, science of language, linguistic science.
**Lingulate,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Linguiform, tongue-shaped.
**Liniment,** *n.* Embrocation, soft ointment.
**Link,** *n.* 1. Connective, copula, vinculum, bond.
2. Member, part, step.
3. Ring, division, constituent piece.
**Link,** *v. a.* Connect, conjoin, join, unite, bind, tie, fasten, fasten together.
**Linseed,** *n.* Flaxseed.
**Linsey-woolsey,** *a.* 1. Of linen and wool.
2. Vile, mean, worthless, flimsy.
**Linsey-woolsey,** *n.* 1. Cloth of linen and wool.
2. Motley composition, medley, gibberish, jargon.
**Lintel,** *n.* Head-piece (*of a door-frame* or *a window-frame*).
**Lion,** *n.* 1. King of beasts.
2. Object of interest, rare spectacle, sight, show.
**Lion-hearted,** *a.* Brave, courageous, daring, intrepid, dauntless, bold, valiant.
**Lion-like,** *a.* Leonine.
**Lion's share.** Largest portion, greater part.
**Lip,** *n.* Edge *or* border (*of the mouth, etc.*).
**Lippitude,** *n.* Bleariness, dimsightedness.
**Liquefaction,** *n.* Melting, dissolving, thawing, fusion, dissolution.
**Liquefy,** *v. a.* Melt, dissolve, fuse, make liquid.
**Liquefy,** *v. n.* Melt, dissolve, be fused, become liquid.
**Liqueur,** *n.* [Fr.] Cordial, aromatized spirit.
**Liquid,** *a.* 1. Fluid.
2. Mellifluous, dulcet, soft, clear, flowing, melting.
**Liquid,** *n.* Fluid, liquor, liquid substance.
**Liquidate,** *v. a.* Settle, adjust, pay, extinguish, pay off, clear off.
**Liquidation,** *n.* Settlement, discharge, adjustment, payment.
**Liquidity,** *n.* Fluidity, liquidness.
**Liquidness,** *n.* Fluidity, liquidity.
**Liquor,** *n.* 1. Liquid, fluid, liquid substance.
2. Spirituous *or* alcoholic liquid, spirituous liquor, alcoholic drink, strong drink.
**Liquor of flints.** Soluble glass, silicate of soda (or *of potash*).
**List,** *n.* 1. Register, roll, catalogue, inventory, schedule, invoice.
2. Border, bound, limit.
3. Strip (*of cloth, on the edge*), selvage, border, edge.
4. (*Arch.*) Fillet, annulet, listel.
**List,** *v. n.* Wish, choose, desire, prefer, like, please, elect, think fit, think best, think proper.
**Listel,** *n.* (*Arch.*) Fillet, annulet, list.
**Listen,** *v. n.* Hearken, hark, hear, attend, give ear, lend an ear, incline an ear, prick up the ears, be all ear.

**Listless,** *a.* Inattentive, indifferent, heedless, careless, thoughtless.
**Lists,** *n. pl.* Arena, palæstra, race-course.
**Literal,** *a.* 1. As regards letters, by letter.
2. According to the exact meaning, following the exact words, strict, exact, *verbatim*.
3. Following the exact words.
**Literally,** *ad.* 1. Really, actually.
2. Exactly, precisely, rigorously, strictly.
**Literary,** *a.* 1. Of literature *or* learning.
2. Learned, lettered, bookish, well-read, book-learned, literate, instructed, erudite, scholarly.
**Literate,** *a.* Learned, lettered.
**Literati,** *n.* [L. *pl.*] Scholars, the learned, learned men, *savants*.
**Literatim,** *ad.* [L.] Letter for letter.
**Literature,** *n.* 1. Learning, erudition, letters, lore.
2. The humanities, the Muses, belles-lettres, polite literature.
3. Literary productions, literary works.
**Lithe,** *a.* Limber, flexible, flexile, pliable, pliant, supple.
**Lithesome,** *a.* Pliant, limber, nimble, lissome, lithe.
**Lithia,** *n.* Oxide of lithium.
**Lithic,** *a.* Stone, stony.
**Lithobiblion,** *n.* Bibliolite, lithophyl.
**Litigate,** *v. a.* Contest in law, defend in a lawsuit.
**Litigate,** *v. n.* Dispute in law, carry on a lawsuit.
**Litigation,** *n.* Lawsuit, suit at law, judicial contest.
**Litigious,** *a.* 1. Contentious, disputatious, quarrelsome.
2. Disputable, controvertible.
**Litter,** *n.* 1. Vehicle with a bed (*borne by hand*).
2. Bedding of straw, hay, etc.
3. Shreds, fragments, waste matter, scattered rubbish.
4. Confusion, disorder.
5. Brood.
**Litter,** *v. a.* 1. Cover with straw, hay, etc., for bedding.
2. Cover with things negligently scattered, strew, scatter, disorder, derange.
3. Give birth to (*said of quadrupeds*), bring forth, bear.
**Little,** *a.* 1. Small (*in size* or *extent*), minute, diminutive, tiny.
2. Small (*in quantity* or *amount*).
3. Small (*in dignity, power*, or *importance*), inconsiderable, insignificant, unimportant.
4. Brief, short.
5. Inconsiderable, petty, slight, trivial, slender, feeble, moderate, scanty, weak, small (*in force* or *efficiency*).
6. Mean, selfish, narrow, paltry, contemptible, niggard, illiberal, small (*in generosity*).
**Little,** *n.* 1. Small quantity.
2. Miniature, small scale, small degree.
**Little,** *ad.* Slightly, in a small degree, in some degree, not much.
**Little Bear.** [With *The* prefixed.) Lesser Bear, Ursa Minor.
**Liturgy,** *n.* Ritual, formulary of public worship, *agenda*.
**Live,** *v. n.* 1. Exist, have being, have life, be alive, be animated.
2. Remain, continue, endure, be permanent, last, survive.
3. Dwell, abide, reside.
4. Feed, subsist, be nourished, be supported (with *on*).
5. Subsist, acquire a livelihood (with *on* or *by*).
6. Enjoy life, be happy.
7. Behave, conduct one's self.
**Live,** *v. a.* 1. Lead, pass, continue.
2. Practise, put in practice.
**Live,** *a.* 1. Living, alive, animate, quick.
2. Ignited, burning, hot.
3. Vivid, bright, lively, glowing, brilliant.
4. Earnest, active, wide-awake, glowing, animated.
**Live in clover.** Luxuriate, wanton, revel, live luxuriously.
**Livelihood,** *n.* Maintenance, support, sustenance, subsistence, living.
**Liveliness,** *n.* 1. Sprightliness, vivacity, animation, spirit, briskness, activity.
2. Activity, effervescence.
**Livelong,** *a.* Lasting, durable, long-enduring.
**Livelong day.** Entire day.
**Lively,** *a.* 1. Active, agile, nimble, supple, brisk, alert, quick, stirring, smart, vigorous, vivacious, energetic.
2. Animated, spirited, sprightly, vivacious, airy, gay, blithe, blithesome, gleeful, jocund, buoyant, joyous, frolicsome, buxom, jolly.
3. Living, lifelike.
4. Vivid, bright, brilliant, fresh, glowing, strong, clear.
5. Vigorous, forcible, strong, energetic, keen, nervous, glowing, sparkling, racy, piquant, impassioned.
**Liver-leaf,** *n.* Liverwort, *Hepatica*.
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**Livery,** *n.* 1. Dress (*for distinction, as of servants*).
2. Release, deliverance.
3. Ration, allowance.
4. Dress, covering, outward appearance, garb.
5. Badge, uniform.
6. (*Law.*) Delivery.
**Live-stock,** *n.* Stock, domestic animals (*on a farm*).
**Livid,** *a.* Discolored (*as flesh by a bruise*), black and blue, lead-colored, gray-blue.
**Living,** *a.* 1. Existing, live, alive.
2. Quickening, active, lively.
**Living,** *n.* 1. Livelihood, maintenance, support, subsistence, keeping, estate.
2. Benefice, ecclesiastical living.
3. Mode of life, course of life, manner of life.
**Lixivium,** *n.* Lye.
**Lo,** *interj.* Look, see, behold, observe.
**Load,** *n.* 1. Burden, weight.
2. Lading, cargo, freight.
3. Encumbrance, pressure, clog, incubus, drag weight, dead weight, oppression.
4. Charge (*of a fire-arm*).
5. Weight, violence (*of blows*).
**Load,** *v. a.* 1. Freight, lade, put *or* lay a load upon.
2. Encumber, oppress, burden, weigh down, cumber.
3. Charge (*as a gun*).
4. Adulterate.
**Loadstar,** *n.* [Written also *Lodestar*.] Polestar, cynosure, the north star, guiding-star.
**Loadstone,** *n.* [Written also *Lodestone*.] Magnet, natural magnet.
**Loaf,** *v. n.* Lounge, be idle, idle away one's time.
**Loafer,** *n.* Idler, lounger, vagabond, idle wanderer, vagrant.
**Loam,** *n.* Mould, soil.
**Loan,** *v. a.* Lend.
**Loath,** *a.* [Written also *Loth*.] Reluctant, backward, unwilling, averse, disinclined, indisposed.
**Loathe,** *v. a.* 1. Feel disgust at, feel nausea at.
2. Abhor, detest, hate, abominate, feel disgust at, shrink from, recoil from.

**Loathing,** *n.* Abhorrence, aversion, disgust, detestation, abomination, hatred, antipathy.
**Loathsome,** *a.* I. Disgusting, sickening, nauseous, nauseating, repulsive, offensive, revolting, palling.
2. Hateful, detestable, odious, shocking, abominable, abhorrent, execrable.
**Loaves and fishes.** Gains, rewards, emoluments.
**Lobelia,** *n.* Indian tobacco (*a name of the North American species; Lobelia inflata*).
**Loblolly,** *n.* Water-gruel, burgoo, burgout.
**Local,** *a.* Topical, limited.
**Locale,** *n.* Place, spot, location, locality.
**Locality,** *n.* Position, situation, place, location.
**Locate,** *v. a.* I. Place, set, establish, fix, settle.
2. Determine the place of, designate the site of.
3. Set off (*as tracts of land*), fix the boundaries of.
**Locate,** *v. n.* Reside, be placed, place one's self, settle.
**Location,** *n.* I. Situation, place, locality.
2. Locating, establishing, marking out the limits *or* boundaries.
**Loch,** *n.* [*Scotch.*] I. Lake, pond, mere.
2. Creek, inlet, bay.
3. (*Med.*) [Written also *Loche*, *Lohoch*, and *Looch.*] Lambative, lincture, linctus.
**Lock,** *n.* I. Fastening.
2. Grapple, hug.
3. Enclosure, lock-up.
4. Weir-guard-lock.
5. Lift-lock (*of a canal*)
6. Tuft, tress, ringlet.
7. Tuft, flock, plexus.
8. Handful.
**Lock,** *v. a.* I. Fasten (*with a lock*), close fast.
2. Confine (*by locking*), shut up, lock up.
3. Stop, clog, impede, fasten.
4. Seal, close, press together.
5. Join, unite, clasp.
6. Enclose, encircle, embrace, clasp.
**Locked-jaw,** / **Lock-jaw,** } *n.* Trismus, tetanus (*of the jaw*).
**Lock up.** I. Clasp, fasten, lock, close fast.
2. Confine, shut up, restrain.
**Locofoco,** *n.* Lucifer match.
**Locomotion,** *n.* I. Motion (*from place to place*), movement.
2. Power of moving.
**Locum tenens.** [L.] Deputy, substitute, lieutenant, agent, proxy, delegate, representative.
**Locust,** *n.* [*U. S., where this name is improperly applied to the harvest-fly.*] Cicada, harvest-fly.
**Locution,** *n.* Discourse, phrase, mode of speech.
**Lode,** *n.* [Written also *Load.*] Metallic vein, mineral vein.
**Lodestar,** *n.* See LOADSTAR.
**Lodge,** *n.* I. Hut.
2. Cottage, cot, small house.
3. Den, lair, haunt, cave.
4. Association (*as of Freemasons*), secret society.
5. Collection, group.
**Lodge,** *v. a.* I. Place, put, deposit, set, lay.
2. Plant, infix, fix, settle, place, throw in.
3. Harbor, quarter, cover, provide lodging for.
4. Lay flat, beat down.
**Lodge,** *v. n.* I. Settle, be deposited, be fixed.
2. Inhabit (*for a season*), dwell, live, reside, abide, rest.
3. Sojourn, tarry, rest, stop, stay, remain, abide, take up one's quarters, pitch one's tent, put up, take lodgings, have lodgings.
**Lodgement,** *n* I. Accumulation, collection.
2. Repository, room, lodging-place.
**Lodging,** *n.* I. Place of rest, apartment for sleeping.
2. Habitation (*for a season*), abode, residence, dwelling, quarters, dwelling-place, place of residence.
3. Harbor, cover, refuge, shelter.
**Loftiness,** *n.* I. Height, elevation, altitude.
2. Pride, haughtiness, vanity, arrogance.
3. Sublimity, dignity, grandeur.
**Lofty,** *a.* I. High, elevated, tall, towering.
2. Proud, haughty, arrogant.
3. Sublime, exalted, elevated.
4. Stately, dignified, imposing, majestic.
**Logan,** *n.* [Written also *Loggan*, *Loggan-stone.*] Rocking-stone.
**Loggerhead,** *n.* Simpleton, dunce, blockhead, dolt, thick-skull.
**Logic,** *n.* I. Science of reasoning, science of the laws of thought, analysis of the process of reasoning.
2. Dialectics, reasoning.
**Logical,** *a.* I. Of logic.
2. Dialectical, according to the rules of logic, that which conforms to the laws of thought, coherent, consistent, sound, close.
3. Discriminating, skilled in reasoning, versed in logic
**Logomachy,** *n.* Dispute, controversy, argumentative debate, altercation, bickering, wrangling, war of words, words.
**Logwood,** *n.* Campeachy wood.
**Loins,** *n. pl.* Reins, lumbar region.
**Loiter,** *v. n.* Lag, linger, delay, tarry, saunter, dillydally, move slowly, be dilatory.
**Loiterer,** *n.* Lingerer, idler, laggard.
**Loitering,** *a.* Dilatory, lingering.
**Loll,** *v. n.* I. Lounge, recline, lean, sprawl, lie at ease.
2. Hang out, hang extended.
**Lollipop,** *n.* Sugar-plum, sweetmeat.
**Lone,** *a.* I. Solitary, secluded, lonely, unfrequented, deserted, uninhabited, unoccupied, lonesome, retired.
2. Single, solitary, isolated, lonely, alone.
3. Single, unmarried.
**Loneliness,** *n.* I. Solitariness, seclusion, solitude, retirement, isolation.
2. Sadness, desolateness, dreariness.
**Lonely,** *a.* I. Apart, retired, solitary, secluded, isolated, sequestered, remote, dreary, lonesome.
2. Lone, alone, solitary, unaccompanied, companionless.
3. Desolate, dreary, forsaken, deserted, forlorn.
**Lonesome,** *a.* I. Solitary, lonely, secluded, deserted, lone.
2. Desolate, cheerless, dismal, gloomy, dreary.
**Long,** *a.* I. Lengthy, drawn out.
2. Protracted, prolonged, lengthy.
3. Extended, in extent.
4. Long-winded, spun out, long-spun, tedious, prolix, diffuse.
5. Lingering, longing.
6. Far-seeing, far-reaching, extensive.
7. Slow, dilatory, slack, lingering, tardy.
**Long,** *ad.* I. To a great extent.
2. A long time, for a long time.
3. Throughout, all along.
**Long-breathed,** *a.* Long-winded.
**Longe,** *n and v. n.* [Fr.] Pass, thrust, allonge, lunge.
**Long for.** Crave, hanker for, hanker after, lust after, pine for, have a longing for, yearn for, aspire after, desire earnestly.
**Long-headed,** *a.* Sagacious, discerning, intelli-

gent, acute, shrewd, clear-sighted, keen-sighted, far-seeing, perspicacious.
**Long home.** The tomb, the sepulchre, the grave, narrow house, death.
**Longing,** *n.* Craving, yearning, earnest desire, eager desire, aspiration.
**Longitude,** *n.* Length.
**Longitudinally,** *ad.* Lengthwise, from end to end.
**Long-sighted,** *a.* 1. Far-sighted.
2. Sagacious, far-seeing, discerning.
**Long-spun,** *a.* Lengthy, tedious, long-winded, spun out.
**Long-suffering,** *a.* Forbearing, patient, enduring.
**Long-suffering,** *n.* Forbearance, clemency, patient endurance (*of injuries*).
**Long-tongued,** *a.* Prating, babbling, loquacious
**Longways,** *ad.* Longwise, lengthwise.
**Long-winded,** *a.* 1. Long-breathed.
2. Protracted, prolonged, spun out.
3. Tedious, wearisome.
**Looby,** *n.* Lubber, lout, clumsy fellow.
**Look,** *v. n.* 1. Direct the eye, gaze.
2. Turn the thoughts, apply the mind, consider, examine, contemplate.
3. Expect, await, anticipate.
4. Mind, consider, take care, take heed, watch.
5. Front, face, be turned, be directed.
6. Appear, seem.
7. Have an air, assume a manner.
**Look,** *v. a.* Influence by looks.
**Look,** *interj.* See, lo, behold, take notice, observe.
**Look,** *n.* 1. Gaze, glance.
2. Appearance, aspect, complexion.
3. Mien, manner, air, aspect.
**Look after.** 1. Attend to, take care of, see to.
2. Seek, search for, look for.
3. Expect, wait for.
**Look down upon.** Despise, contemn, spurn, regard with contempt.
**Look for.** 1. Expect.
2. Search, seek, look after.
**Looking-glass,** *n.* Mirror.
**Look in the face.** Face, meet boldly.
**Look into.** Investigate, examine, study, consider, inspect closely, observe narrowly.
**Look on.** 1. Be a spectator.
2. Regard, esteem.
3. Consider, view, conceive of, think.
**Look out.** (*Active.*) Search for, look up.
**Look out.** (*Neuter.*) Be on the watch, be on one's guard, beware, be circumspect.
**Look over.** Examine, cast the eye over, scrutinize.
**Look sharp.** Be vigilant, have all one's eyes about one.
**Look through.** Penetrate, solve.
**Look to.** 1. Watch, take care of, look after.
2. Rely on, depend on.
**Look up.** Search for, look out.
**Look upon.** Regard, consider, esteem, look on.
**Look up to.** Respect, honor, defer to, think much of, think highly of.
**Loon,** *n.* 1. (*Ornith.*) Great northern diver, ember-goose (*Columbus glacialis*).
2. Simpleton, fool, dunce, blockhead, loggerhead.
**Loop,** *n.* 1. Noose, bight.
2. Link, crook, bend, turn.
3. Loophole, aperture.
**Looper,** *n.* Canker-worm, span-worm, geometer.
**Loophole,** *n.* 1. Opening (*in the wall of a fortification*), aperture, loop.
2. Plea, pretext, pretence, excuse, way for evasion, way of escape, loop.
**Loose,** *v. a.* 1. Unfasten, untie, unbind, unloose, set free.
2. Relax, loosen.
3. Release, liberate, free, set free.
4. Detach, disconnect, disengage.
5. Unfasten, undo, unlock.
6. Remit, absolve.
**Loose,** *a.* 1. Unbound, untied, unsewed, unconfined, unfastened.
2. Free, unattached.
3. Movable.
4. Slack, relaxed.
5. Open, incompact.
6. Prolix, rambling, diffusive, unconnected, diffuse.
7. Vague, indefinite, indistinct, indeterminate, ill-defined.
8. Lax.
9. Lax, careless, slack, negligent, heedless.
10. Easy, comfortable.
11. Disengaged, free, unengaged (with *from* or *of*).
12. Immoral, dissolute, unchaste, wanton, licentious.
**Loosen,** *v. a.* 1. Slacken, relax, make loose, make less tight.
2. Release, unloose, loose, let loose, free.
3. Make lax (*as the bowels*), relax.
4. Alienate, separate.
**Looseness,** *n.* 1. Slackness, easiness.
2. Laxity, levity.
3. Irregularity.
4. Lewdness, unchastity, wantonness, wickedness.
5. Diarrhœa, flux, laxity.
6. Openness, laxity.
**Loot,** *n.* Booty, plunder, spoil.
**Loot,** *v. a.* Plunder, ransack, rifle.
**Lop,** *v. a.* 1. Cut, cut off, obtruncate.
2. Dock, crop, curtail, prune, cut short.
3. Sever, dissever, detach, cut off.
4. Drop, let fall.
**Loppard,** *n.* Pollard.
**Lopper,** *v. a.* Curdle, coagulate, spoil, sour, clot.
**Loquacious,** *a.* 1. Talkative, garrulous, voluble.
2. Speaking, noisy, talking.
3. Blabbing, babbling, tattling, tell-tale.
**Loquacity,** *n.* Talkativeness, garrulity, gift of gab, loquaciousness, chattering, volubility, multiloquence.
**Lord,** *n.* 1. Master, ruler, governor, sovereign, king, monarch, superior, prince.
2. Noble, nobleman, peer.
3. Husband, spouse.
4. God, Jehovah. See God
5. Christ, the Saviour, the Master.
**Lord it over.** } Rule, rule over, domineer over,
**Lord over.** } play the lord
**Lordliness,** *n.* 1. Dignity, majesty.
2. Pride, haughtiness.
**Lordly,** *a.* 1. Dignified, majestic, grand, noble, lofty.
2. Proud, haughty, domineering, imperious, overbearing, insolent, tyrannical, despotic, arrogant.
3. Large, liberal, noble.
**Lordly,** *ad.* Proudly, imperiously, despotically, haughtily.
**Lord's-day,** *n.* Sunday, the Christian Sabbath, first day of the week, the day of rest.
**Lordship,** *n.* 1. Authority, dominion, rule, sway, command, control, government, direction, domination, empire, sovereignty.
2. Manor, seigniory, domain.
**Lord's-prayer,** *n.* Pater noster.
**Lord's-supper,** *n.* Eucharist, communion, sacrament, Christian sacrament.
**Lore,** *n.* 1. Learning, erudition, knowledge.

2. Instruction, counsel, admonition, teaching, doctrine, lesson, wisdom, advice.
**Lorgnette,** *n.* Opera-glass.
**Loriot,** *n.* Witwall, golden oriole (*of Europe; Oriolus galbula*).
**Lorn,** *a.* (*Poetical.*) Lost, undone, forsaken, deserted, lone, bereft, lonely.
**Lose,** *v. a.* 1. Be deprived of, fail to keep, let slip, let slip through the fingers.
2. Forfeit, fail to win, fail to obtain.
3. Waste, squander, misspend, throw away, make no use of.
4. Deprive, dispossess of.
5. Displace, dislodge, displant.
6. Miss, wander from.
7. Perplex, bewilder, confuse.
8. Ruin, destroy.
9. Be bereaved of, be deprived of.
**Lose,** *v. n.* 1. Forfeit, fail to win, be defeated.
2. Succumb, decline, fail, suffer by comparison, yield.
**Lose caste.** Be disgraced.
**Lose ground.** 1. Fall behind.
2. Decline, lose credit.
**Lose heart.** Despair, be discouraged, give up hope.
**Lose one's heart.** Fall in love.
**Lose one's self.** 1. Be bewildered.
2. Slumber, fall asleep.
**Losing,** *n.* Loss.
**Loss,** *n.* 1. Privation, deprivation, forfeiture.
2. Forfeiture, failure to win.
3. Destruction, overthrow, damage, detriment, ruin, defeat, injury, damage, disadvantage.
4. Waste, squandering.
**Lost,** *a.* 1. Missing, not to be found.
2. Forfeited, missed.
3. Misspent, wasted, squandered, dissipated, thrown away.
4. Bewildered, confused, perplexed, puzzled, distracted.
5. Abstracted, preoccupied, absent, absent-minded, dreamy, napping.
6. Depraved, corrupt, abandoned, profligate, dissolute, reprobate, graceless, shameless, obdurate, hardened, incorrigible, irreclaimable.
7. Invisible, imperceptible.
8. Ruined, destroyed.
**Lost to.** Insensible to, unconscious of.
**Lot,** *n.* 1. Destiny, doom, allotment, apportionment, fate.
2. Chance, hazard, fortune, hap, haphazard, accident, fate.
3. Portion, parcel, division, part.
4. Piece of land.
5. (*Colloq.*) Great quantity, great number.
**Lot,** *v. a.* Allot, assign, distribute, sort, portion, catalogue.
**Loth,** *a.* Unwilling, disliking, disinclined, reluctant.
**Lothario,** *n.* Libertine, seducer, deceiver.
**Lotion,** *n.* Wash.
**Loud,** *a.* 1. Resounding, high-sounding, noisy.
2. Deafening, stunning, stentorian.
3. Clamorous, vociferous, boisterous, noisy, obstreperous, tumultuous, turbulent.
4. Vehement, emphatic, positive, emphatical, impressive.
5. Flashy, showy (*colloq.*).
**Loud,** *ad.* Loudly.
**Loudly,** *ad.* 1. Loud, noisily.
2. Clamorously, vehemently.
3. Ostentatiously, showily (*colloq.*).
**Loudness,** *n.* 1. Clamor, clamorousness, turbulence, uproar.
2. Ostentation, flashiness, showiness (*colloq.*).
**Lounge,** *v. n.* 1. Recline, loll.
2. Loll, dawdle, live lazily, loaf.
**Lounger,** *n.* Idler, loiterer, trifler.
**Lout,** *n.* Bumpkin, clown, boor, lubber, clumsy fellow, awkward fellow, booby, clodhopper.
**Loutish,** *a.* Clownish, rude, boorish, awkward, lubberly.
**Lovable,** *a.* Amiable, sweet, winning.
**Love,** *v. a.* 1. Have affection for, regard with affection, delight in, be fond of.
2. Have a passionate affection for, be in love with, be enamoured of.
3. Like, be pleased with.
**Love,** *v. n.* Delight, take pleasure.
**Love,** *n.* 1. Affection, affectionate regard, friendship, kindness, tenderness, fondness, delight.
2. Attachment, passionate affection, the tender passion.
3. Liking, fondness, inclination, devotion, strong attachment.
4. Lover, sweetheart.
5. Cupid, god of love, Eros.
6. Venus, Aphrodite, goddess of love.
7. Good-will, benevolence, charity.
**Love-apple,** *n.* Tomato (*Lycopersicum esculentum* or *Solanum lycopersicum*).
**Love-child,** *n.* Bastard, illegitimate child, natural child.
**Love-feasts,** *n. pl.* Agapæ.
**Love-letter,** *n.* *Billet-doux.*
**Loveliness,** *n.* 1. Amiableness.
2. Beauty, beautifulness.
**Lovely,** *a.* 1. Beautiful, pleasing, delightful, charming, enchanting, winning, sweet, delectable.
2. Amiable, admirable.
**Loving,** *a.* Affectionate, fond, kind.
**Loving-cup,** *n.* Grace-cup.
**Loving-kindness,** *n.* Mercy, favor, tenderness, tender regard.
**Low,** *a.* 1. Depressed.
2. Grave, gentle, subdued, soft.
3. Cheap, reasonable.
4. Humble, mean, plebeian, vulgar.
5. Abject, degraded, servile, slavish, menial, mean, base, ignoble, grovelling, vile, base-minded, low-minded, shabby, scurvy, dirty.
6. Dishonorable, disreputable, derogatory, unhandsome, unbecoming, disgraceful, unmanly, ungentlemanly, undignified.
7. Moderate.
8. Weak, exhausted, reduced, feeble.
9. Plain, simple, frugal, spare, poor.
10. Deep.
11. Submissive, humble, reverent, lowly.
12. Dejected, depressed, dispirited, cast down.
**Low,** *ad.* 1. With little elevation.
2. Near the ground.
3. To a reduced state, in a low condition.
4. Softly, in a low tone.
5. Cheaply, at a moderate price.
**Low,** *v. n.* Bellow, moo.
**Low,** *n.* Moo, lowing.
**Low-born,** *a.* Of mean birth, of low extraction
**Low-bred,** *a.* Vulgar, unrefined, coarse.
**Lower,** *v. a.* 1. Depress, drop, sink, let down, bring down, take down.
2. Degrade, debase, disgrace, humble, humiliate, reduce.
3. Lessen, diminish, reduce, decrease.
**Lower,** *v. n.* Fall, sink, diminish, decrease, grow less, subside.
**Lower,** *v. n.* 1. Grow dark, be clouded, appear gloomy, appear stormy.
2. Frown, glower, look sullen, look black.
**Lowering,** *a.* Cloudy, clouded, overcast, lurid, murky, threatening, lowery, dark.
**Lowermost,** *a.* Lowest.
**Lowery,** *a.* See LOWERING.

**Lowing,** *n.* Low, moo, bellowing, cry of cattle.
**Lowliness,** *n.* 1. Humility, humbleness, meekness, self-abasement, submissiveness.
2. Lowness, meanness, abjectness.
**Lowly,** *a.* 1. Low.
2. Humble.
3. Mean, low.
4. Modest, unpretending, meek, humble, mild.
**Low-minded,** *a.* Base-minded, base, mean, servile, vile, grovelling, slavish, abject, low.
**Low-priced,** *a.* Low, cheap.
**Low-spirited,** *a.* Dispirited, dejected, depressed, disheartened, discouraged, down-hearted, desponding, cast down.
**Low spirits.** Dejection, dejectedness, depression, despondency, hypochondria, melancholy, hypochondriasis.
**Loyal,** *a.* Faithful, true, devoted, constant.
**Loyalty,** *n.* Allegiance, fealty, fidelity, faithfulness, constancy.
**Lozenge,** *n.* 1. Rhomb, rhombus, oblique-angled parallelogram (*with equal sides*), diamond.
2. Troche.
**Lubber,** *n.* Clown, boor, lout, clumsy fellow, awkward fellow.
**Lubberly,** *a.* Clumsy, awkward, clownish, bungling.
**Lubric,** } *a.* 1. Slippery, smooth.
**Lubrical,** } 2. Wavering, unsteady, uncertain.
3. Lascivious, wanton, lewd, libidinous, licentious, lecherous, unchaste, impure, incontinent, salacious, lustful.
**Lubricate,** *v. a.* Smooth, make slippery.
**Lubricity,** *n.* 1. Smoothness, slipperiness.
2. Instability, uncertainty, unsteadiness, slipperiness.
3. Lasciviousness, lewdness, lechery, incontinency, licentiousness.
**Lubricous,** *a.* 1. Smoothy, slippery, lubric.
2. Wavering, unstable, uncertain, lubric.
3. Lascivious, lewd, wanton, licentious, impure, salacious, unchaste, incontinent, lecherous.
**Luce,** *n.* Pike, pickerel, true-jack (*Esox lucius*).
**Lucent,** *a.* Shining, bright, resplendent, brilliant, glittering, beaming, luminous, effulgent.
**Lucid,** *a.* 1. Shining, radiant, bright, beaming, resplendent, brilliant, luminous.
2. Clear, transparent, pure, pellucid, limpid, diaphanous, crystalline, luculent.
3. Distinct, intelligible, perspicuous, plain, clear, rational, luculent.
4. Sane, sober, sound (*in mind*), reasonable.
**Lucidity,** *n.* 1. Brightness, clearness, transparency, lucidness.
2. Intelligibility, clearness, perspicuity, transparency, plainness, lucidness.
**Lucifer,** *n.* 1. Venus, Phosphorus, the morning star.
2. Satan, Belial, Apollyon, Devil, Arch-fiend, the Tempter, the Evil One, the Man of Sin, the Wicked One, the Old Serpent, the Prince of Darkness, the Foul Fiend, the Enemy, the Author of Evil.
**Lucifer match.** Locofoco match, lucifer.
**Luck,** *n.* 1. Chance, fortune, hazard, hap, haphazard, fate, accident, casualty.
2. Success, good fortune.
**Luckily,** *ad.* Fortunately, by good luck, as good luck would have it.
**Luckless,** *a.* Unfortunate, unlucky, unprosperous, unsuccessful, ill-fated, ill-starred, unpropitious, unhappy.
**Lucky,** *a.* 1. Fortunate (*in an unexpected way*), happy, blessed, favored, successful.
2. Prosperous, auspicious, propitious, favorable, fortunate.
**Lucrative,** *a.* Profitable, remunerative, gainful, paying.
**Lucre,** *n.* Gain, profit, emolument, pelf, riches, wealth, mammon, greed.
**Lucubration,** *n.* 1. Study (*by night*), meditation, speculation, cogitation, nocturnal study.
2. Composition, writing, work.
**Luculent,** *a.* 1. Lucid, clear, transparent, bright, luminous, pellucid.
2. Clear, evident, unmistakable, luminous, lucid, perspicuous, plain.
**Ludicrous,** *a.* Laughable, comical, comic, odd, ridiculous, droll, funny, farcical, absurd, sportive, burlesque.
**Lug,** *v. a.* Pull, tug, haul, drag.
**Luggage,** *n.* 1. Baggage, bag and baggage.
2. Effects, things, stuff, traps (*colloq.*).
**Lugubrious,** *a.* Mournful, sorrowful, doleful, sad, gloomy, melancholy, complaining.
**Lukewarm,** *a.* 1. Tepid, blood-warm, slightly warm, thermal.
2. Indifferent, unconcerned, listless, cold, torpid, dull.
**Lull,** *v. a.* Compose, quiet, calm, still, hush, tranquillize, put to rest.
**Lull,** *v. n.* Subside, cease, abate, decrease, diminish, become calm.
**Lull,** *n.* Calm, calmness, temporary quiet, cessation.
**Lullaby,** *n.* Cradle-song.
**Lumbago,** *n.* (*Med.*) Lumbar rheumatism.
**Lumbar region.** Loins, reins.
**Lumber,** *n.* 1. Trash, trumpery, rubbish, refuse.
2. [*U. S.*] Sawed *or* split timber.
**Lumber,** *v. a.* 1. Heap in disorder.
2. Fill with trumpery, choke, crowd, obstruct, encumber.
**Lumber,** *v. n.* 1. Trudge, move heavily.
2. Rumble.
3. [*U. S.*] Cut timber, prepare logs for lumber.
**Lumbering,** *a.* 1. Trudging, moving slowly.
2. Cumbrous, cumbersome, clumsy, awkward, unwieldy, ponderous.
**Luminous,** *a.* 1. Shining, radiant, resplendent.
2. Bright, brilliant, clear.
3. Lucid, clear, perspicuous, luculent, plain.
**Lump,** *n.* 1. Shapeless mass.
2. Whole, gross, aggregate.
**Lump,** *v. a.* Throw into an aggregate, take in the gross.
**Lumper,** *n.* Laborer (*employed in loading* or *unloading a ship*), loader.
**Lump-fish,** *n.* Lump-sucker, sea-owl.
**Lumpish,** *a.* 1. Heavy, gross, bulky.
2. Dull, heavy, stupid, gross, inactive.
**Lump-sucker,** *n.* Lump-fish, sea-owl (*Cyclopterus lumpus*).
**Lunacy,** *n.* Insanity, madness, mania, derangement, craziness, mental aberration, crack.
**Lunaria,** *n.* Moonwort, honesty, lunary (*Lunaria rediviva*).
**Lunate,** } *a.* (*Bot.*) Crescent-shaped, lunular.
**Lunated,** }
**Lunatic,** *a.* Insane, mad, deranged, crazy.
**Lunatic,** *n.* Madman, maniac, insane person, crack.
**Lunatic asylum.** Madhouse, bedlam, insane asylum, insane hospital, hospital for the insane.
**Lunch,** *n.* Luncheon.
**Luncheon,** *n.* Lunch, slight repast, tiffin.
**Lune,** *n.* Crescent, half-moon.
**Lunge,** *n.* Pass, thrust, allonge, longe.
**Lungwort,** *n.* Virginia cowslip.
**Lupine,** *a.* Wolfish, ravenous.

**Lurch,** *v. a.* 1. Rob, deprive of, outstrip in acquiring.
2. Steal, appropriate, take privily, filch, purloin, pilfer.
3. Deceive, disappoint, leave in the lurch, defeat, evade.
**Lurch,** *v. n.* 1. Lurk, skulk, lie close, lie in ambush.
2. Shift, play tricks, contrive, dodge.
3. (*Naut.*) Roll suddenly.
**Lurcher,** *n.* Glutton, gormandizer.
**Lure,** *n.* Enticement, bait, attraction, allurement, decoy, temptation.
**Lure,** *v a.* Entice, allure, attract, decoy, tempt, seduce, inveigle.
**Lurid,** *a.* Gloomy, murky, ghastly, dismal, pale, lowering.
**Lurk,** *v. n.* 1. Lie hid, lie concealed, lie in wait, lurch.
2. Skulk, keep out of sight, keep out of the way.
**Lurking-hole,** } *n.* Ambush, ambuscade, re-
**Lurking-place,** } treat, cover, hiding-place, den, hole.
**Luscious,** *a.* 1. Delicious, savory, palatable, grateful, pleasing, delightful.
2. Honeyed, excessively sweet, cloying, sugary.
3. Unctuous, fulsome, rank, nauseous.
**Lusciousness,** *n.* Sweetness, deliciousness, pleasantness, honey.
**Lusern,** *n.* Lynx.
**Lush,** *a.* Juicy, succulent, watery, sappy, moist, full of juice, fresh, luxuriant.
**Lust,** *n.* 1. Cupidity, inordinate desire, longing desire, eagerness to possess.
2. Concupiscence, carnality, lechery, salaciousness, salacity, lubricity, wantonness, lasciviousness, carnal desire, brutal appetite.
**Lust after.** 1. Long for, desire eagerly *or* inordinately.
2. Have carnal desire for.
**Lustful,** *a.* Concupiscent, libidinous, lubric, lubricous, salacious, lecherous, lascivious, lickerish, carnal, licentious.
**Lustily,** *ad.* Vigorously, strongly.
**Lustration,** *n.* 1. Purification, cleansing, washing.
2. (*Antiq.*) Religious purification, ceremony of purification, lustrum.
**Lustre,** *n.* 1. Brightness, brilliancy, splendor, gleam, radiance, resplendence, glitter.
2. Distinction, repute, renown, eminence, celebrity, glory, honor, *éclat.*
3. Chandelier, candelabrum.
4. Lustrum, five years.
**Lustrous,** *a.* Bright, shining, beaming, luminous, radiant, brilliant.
**Lustrum,** *n.* 1. Lustration, purification, ceremonial cleansing.
2. Lustre, five years.
**Lustwort,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Sundew (*Drosera*).
**Lusty,** *a.* 1. Stout, vigorous, robust, healthful, lively, strong, sturdy.
2. Bulky, large, corpulent, fat, burly, stout.
**Lusus naturæ.** [L.] Freak of nature, monster.
**Luthern,** *n.* Dormer, dormer-window, *lucarne.*
**Lutose,** *a.* Muddy, turbid.
**Luxate,** *v. a.* Dislocate, disjoint, displace, put out of joint.
**Luxation,** *n.* Displacement (*of a joint*), dislocation, disjointing.
**Luxuriance,** } *n.* Exuberance, superabundance,
**Luxuriancy,** } profusion, rank growth.
**Luxuriant,** *a.* Exuberant, profuse, superabundant, plentiful, plenteous.
**Luxuriate,** *v. n.* 1. Flourish, grow luxuriantly.
2. Revel, wanton, live luxuriously, live in clover.
3. Delight, indulge to excess, revel.
**Luxurious,** *a.* Voluptuous, epicurean, effeminate, sensual, intemperate, self-indulgent.
**Luxuriously,** *ad* Voluptuously, in luxury, in clover, on velvet, on a bed of roses, in the lap of luxury.
**Luxury,** *n.* 1. Voluptuousness, luxuriousness, sensuality, epicurism, effeminacy, sensuality, animalism.
2. Pleasure, gratification, enjoyment, delight.
3. Dainty, treat, delicacy
**Lydian,** *a.* 1. Of Lydia.
2. Soft, effeminate, voluptuous.
**Lydian-stone,** *n.* Touchstone, criterion, basanite.
**Lye,** *n.* Lixivium.
**Lying,** *a.* 1. False, mendacious, untruthful, untrue.
2. Recumbent.
**Lying,** *n.* Falsehood.
**Lying in.** Childbirth.
**Lymphatic,** *a.* 1. Enthusiastic, frantic, raving, mad, insane, wild.
2. Pertaining to lymph.
**Lyn,** *n.* Waterfall, lin, cascade.
**Lynch law.** Mob law.
**Lynx-eyed,** *a.* Sharp-sighted, eagle-eyed, hawk-eyed, keen-eyed, Argus-eyed.
**Lyric,** *n.* Lyric poem.
**Lysimachia,** *n.* Loosestrife.
**Lyssa,** *n.* Hydrophobia

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**Macaroni,** *n.* 1. Italian paste, Genoese paste.
2. Medley, extravaganza.
3. Droll, fool, jester, merry-andrew, scaramouch.
4. Beau, exquisite, fop, popinjay, dandy, coxcomb, jackanapes, jack-a-dandy, man milliner, man of dress, vain fellow.
**Macaronic,** *a.* Empty, trifling, vain, affected.
**Macaronic verse.** Doggerel.
**Mace,** *n.* 1. Metal club.
2. Truncheon, staff, *bâton.*
**Macerate,** *v. a.* 1. Make lean, wear away.
2. Harass, mortify, subject to hardships, torture.
3. Soften (*by steeping*). steep, soak, digest.
**Maceration,** *n.* 1. Mortification.
2. Softening, steeping, soaking.
**Machiavelian,** *a.* Artful, designing, insidious, sly, shrewd, astute, subtle, diplomatic, arch, intriguing. cunning, crafty, wily, crooked, tricky, deceitful.
**Machiavelianism,** } *n.* Duplicity, chicane, guile,
**Machiavelism,** } chicanery, trickery, cunning, circumvention, deceit, deception, artifice, dissimulation, double-dealing, hocus-pocus, shifting, quibbling, stratagem, roguery, craft, subtlety insidiousness.

**Machinate,** *v. a.* Plan, contrive, form, plot, scheme, devise.
**Machination,** *n.* Plot, complot, conspiracy, intrigue, cabal, stratagem, trick, design, contrivance, artifice, scheme.
**Machine,** *n.* 1. Engine, instrument of force.
2. Tool, instrument, puppet.
3. Organization, system.
4. Machinery, supernatural agency.
**Machinery,** *n.* 1. Enginery, mechanism.
2. Supernatural agency (*in poems*).
**Macilent,** *a.* Lean, thin, spare.
**Macrobiotic,** *a.* Long-lived.
**Macrocosm,** *n.* Universe, great world.
**Maculate,** *v. a.* Spot, stain, blur, blotch.
**Maculate,** *a.* 1. Spotted, blotted, maculose, blurred, blotched.
2. Defiled, impure, corrupt, unclean.
**Mad,** *a.* 1. Insane, crazy, crazed, distracted, lunatic, delirious, deranged, demented, maniac, maniacal.
2. Furious, enraged, raging.
3. Angry, exasperated, provoked, incensed, enraged, wrathful, furious.
4. Infatuated, distracted, wild.
5. Frenzied, frantic, raving, distracted.
**Mad-brain,** } **Mad-brained,** } *a.* Hot-headed, rash.
**Madcap,** *n.* Hotspur, blood, hot-headed person.
**Madden,** *v. a.* Irritate, provoke, enrage, infuriate, craze, exasperate, inflame, make mad, drive mad, turn one's head, lash into fury, make one's blood boil.
**Madhouse,** *n.* Bedlam, lunatic hospital, lunatic asylum, hospital for the insane.
**Madid,** *a.* Wet, moist, dewy, drenched, dank.
**Madman,** *n.* Lunatic, maniac, bedlamite, insane person, crazy person.
**Madness,** *n.* 1. Insanity, derangement, craziness, lunacy, distraction, mental aberration, mania.
2. Frenzy, fury, rage, delirium, franticness.
**Madrigal,** *n.* Amorous poem.
**Maelstrom,** *n.* Whirlpool.
**Magazine,** *n.* 1. Warehouse, storehouse, receptacle, depository, repository, *entrepôt*, *dépôt*.
2. Periodical pamphlet.
**Maggot,** *n.* 1. Grub, worm.
2. Caprice, whim, crotchet, quirk, freak, vagary, humor, fancy, whimsey.
**Maggoty,** *a.* 1. Fly-blown, full of maggots.
2. Whimsical, crotchety, capricious, fantastic, fantastical, odd, strange, fanciful, freakish.
**Magic,** *n.* 1. Sorcery, necromancy, enchantment, the black art, witchcraft.
2. Witchery, enchantment, charm, fascination.
**Magic,** } **Magical,** } *a.* Necromantic.
**Magician,** *n.* Sorcerer, enchanter, necromancer, conjurer, *magus*.
**Magister,** *n.* Master, sir, doctor.
**Magisterial,** *a.* Domineering, lordly, imperious, proud, arrogant, lofty, authoritative, despotic, dictatorial, consequential, pompous, dogmatical, haughty.
**Magistrate,** *n.* Officer (*in civil service*).
**Magnanimity,** *n.* Generosity, disinterestedness, high-mindedness, forbearance, greatness *or* nobleness of mind, elevation of soul, chivalrous spirit.
**Magnanimous,** *a.* 1. Brave, dauntless, heroic, illustrious.
2. Noble, elevated, lofty, generous, disinterested, chivalrous, liberal, unselfish, high-minded, great-souled, exalted, honorable.
**Magnate,** *n.* Noble, nobleman, grandee, man of rank, distinguished person.
**Magnesite,** *n.* Meerschaum, sea-foam, hydrous silicate of magnesia.
**Magnet,** *n.* 1. Loadstone, natural magnet.
2. Artificial magnet.
**Magnetic,** } **Magnetical,** } *a.* Attractive.
**Magnetism,** *n.* Power of attraction.
**Magnetize,** *v. a.* 1. Make magnetic.
2. Attract, move, influence.
**Magnificence,** *n.* Grandeur, splendor, pomp, grand appearance, *éclat*.
**Magnificent,** *a.* 1. Grand (*in appearance*), splendid, superb, majestic, sublime, noble.
2. Pompous, imposing, stately, showy, gorgeous, superb.
**Magnify,** *v. a.* 1. Enlarge, augment, amplify, make great, increase the size of (*to the eye*).
2. Extol, exalt, elevate, celebrate, glorify, bless, laud, praise.
3. Exaggerate.
**Magniloquence,** *n.* Bombast, grandiloquence, turgidity, inflation, fustian, flourish, pompous language.
**Magniloquent,** *a.* Grandiloquent, tumid, bombastic, inflated, swelling, declamatory, turgid, pompous, stilted, high-flowing, high-flown.
**Magnitude,** *n.* 1. Size, bulk, volume, extent, bigness, dimension, mass.
2. Greatness, importance, consequence.
3. Greatness, grandeur, sublimity, loftiness.
4. (*Math.*) Quantity.
**Mahlstick,** *n.* [Written also *Maulstick*, *Mostic*, and *Mostick*.] Painter's stick.
**Mahometan,** *n.* Mohammedan, Mussulman, Moslem, Muslim.
**Mahometanism,** *n.* Mohammedanism, Islamism, Islam.
**Maid,** *n.* 1. Girl, lass, lassie, virgin, maiden, damsel.
2. Maid-servant, female servant.
**Maiden,** *n.* Girl, virgin, maid.
**Maiden,** *a.* 1. Of maids, of virgins.
2. Pure, chaste, undefiled, virgin, unpolluted.
3. Fresh, new, unused.
4. Unmarried.
**Maidenhood,** *n.* 1. Virginity, virgin purity, maidhood.
2. Freshness, newness.
**Maidenly,** *a.* Modest, gentle, reserved, maidenlike.
**Maiden speech.** First speech (*in public*).
**Maid-servant,** *n.* Maid, female servant.
**Maihem,** *n.* See MAIM, *n.*
**Mail,** *n.* 1. Armor, defensive covering.
2. Post, conveyance for mailed matter.
3. Mailed matter.
4. Mail-bag.
**Mail,** *v. a.* Put in the mail, put in the post-office, send by post, post.
**Maim,** *v. a.* Cripple, mutilate, disable, obtruncate, mangle, mar.
**Maim,** *n.* 1. [Written also *Maihem* and *Mayhem*.] Crippling, mutilation, disfigurement.
2. Injury, mischief, harm, hurt.
**Main,** *a.* 1. Chief, principal, leading, cardinal, capital.
2. Important, essential, necessary, requisite, indispensable, vital.
3. Mighty, vast, huge, enormous.
4. Sheer, pure, directly applied.
5. Absolute, mere, direct, entire.
**Main,** *n.* 1. Ocean, great sea, high sea.
2. Continent, mainland.
3. Main conduit, main pipe, main duct, main channel.
4. Principal point.
5. Force, power, strength, might, violent effort.
6. The gross, the bulk, the greater part, majority.

7. Hamper, large basket.
**Mainland,** *n.* Continent.
**Mainly,** *ad.* 1. Chiefly, principally, in the main.
2. Greatly, mightily, largely, absolutely, entirely.
**Main-spring,** *n.* Prime mover.
**Main-stay,** *n.* Principal support, chief reliance, main dependence.
**Maintain,** *v. a.* 1. Sustain, support, preserve, uphold, keep.
2. Hold, keep, keep possession of.
3. Defend, vindicate, justify.
4. Continue, keep up, carry on.
5. Provide food for, supply with means of living, support, keep up.
6. Assert, allege, declare.
**Maintain,** *v. n.* Affirm, aver, allege, declare, hold, say, contend, hold the opinion.
**Maintenance,** *n.* 1. Support, vindication, justification, defence, preservation, sustenance.
2. Sustenance, food, victuals, provisions, bread, livelihood, subsistence.
**Maize,** *n.* Indian corn (*Zea mays*).
**Maizena,** *n.* Corn-flour, corn-starch.
**Majestic,** *a.* 1. August, imposing, dignified, noble, princely, stately, imperial, royal, regal, lofty, pompous.
2. Splendid, grand, sublime, magnificent.
3. Elevated, lofty, stately, exalted.
**Majesty,** *n.* 1. Grandeur, dignity, stateliness, loftiness.
2. Dignity, elevation, loftiness.
**Major,** *a.* Greater.
**Major-domo,** *n.* Steward.
**Majority,** *n.* 1. Greater number, more than half.
2. Manhood, full age.
3. Majorship.
**Majuscule,** *n.* Capital letter (*in diplomatics*).
**Make,** *v. a.* 1. Create, bring into being.
2. Frame, fashion, mould, shape, form, figure.
3. Fabricate, construct.
4. Produce, effect, be productive of, cause.
5. Constitute, cause to be, cause to become.
6. Perform, do, execute, practise.
7. Secure, gain, acquire, get, raise.
8. Get, ascertain by enumeration, find.
9. Esteem, suppose, represent, think, show.
10. Compel, constrain, force, require, cause, occasion.
11. Pass over, travel over.
12. Constitute, compose, form, make up.
13. Make ready, prepare, put in order.
14. Serve, answer for, form, do the part of, become.
15. Complete.
16. (*Naut.*) Reach, attain, arrive at.
**Make,** *v. n.* 1. Do, act, be active, interfere.
2. Proceed, go, travel, journey, tend, move.
3. Contribute, conduce, operate, have effect, tend, be of advantage, favor.
4. Rise, flow, issue.
5. Invent, compose, versify.
**Make,** *n.* Structure, construction, shape, form, constitution, build.
**Make a clean breast.** Make a full confession.
**Make a figure.** Figure, make a distinguished appearance, be distinguished, be conspicuous.
**Make against.** Tend to injure, be adverse to.
**Make as if.** Appear, seem, feign, pretend, make believe, act as if, show, carry appearance.
**Make at.** Aim at.
**Make away.** Alienate, transfer.
**Make away with.** Kill, destroy, put out of the way.
**Make believe.** Pretend, feign, appear, seem, act as if, make as if.
**Make-believe,** *n.* Sham, feint, pretence, pretext, counterfeit.
**Make-believe,** *a.* Unreal, sham, pretended, counterfeited, mock, clap-trap.
**Make bold.** Presume, venture, dare, take the liberty, have the presumption.
**Make choice of.** Choose, select, pick out.
**Make for.** 1. Move toward, go toward, strike for.
2. Favor, tend to the advantage of.
**Make free with.** Treat without ceremony, treat as one's own, use without leave, treat with freedom.
**Make good.** 1. Defend, maintain, vindicate, justify, stand by.
2. Fulfil, accomplish.
3. Establish, verify, confirm, prove, substantiate.
4. Compensate for, make compensation for, supply by an equivalent, make up for.
**Make haste.** Be quick.
**Make head against.** Stem, resist successfully.
**Make known.** Publish, declare, bring to light, proclaim.
**Make light of.** Consider as of no consequence, treat with contempt.
**Make love to.** Court, woo, make suit to.
**Make mention of.** Speak of, take notice of, allude to, refer to.
**Make merry.** Feast, be jovial, be joyful.
**Make much of.** Cherish, foster, fondle, pet, coddle, treat with fondness.
**Make no bones.** Have no scruple, make no scruple.
**Make no difference.** Be as well, be a matter of indifference, make no matter.
**Make no doubt.** Be confident, have no doubt.
**Make no matter.** Make no difference, be a matter of indifference, be as well.
**Make nothing for.** Be of no value to, be of no use to, have no effect in aiding *or* supporting.
**Make oath.** Swear, take an oath.
**Make of.** 1. Understand, interpret.
2. Effect *or* produce from.
3. Consider, account, esteem.
**Make off with.** 1. Take away, carry off.
2. Steal, pilfer, filch, purloin, cabbage.
**Make one's mouth water.** Excite *or* whet the appetite.
**Make one's toilet.** Arrange one's dress, attend to one's dress.
**Make out.** (*Active.*) 1. Discover, ascertain, learn, determine, interpret, decipher, get a clear understanding of.
2. Prove, establish, evince.
3. Prepare, draw up.
4. Provide, furnish, supply, find.
**Make out.** (*Neuter.*) Succeed, be able at last, make a shift.
**Make over.** Transfer, convey, alienate.
**Makepeace,** *n.* Peacemaker, reconciler.
**Maker,** *n.* 1. Creator, God.
2. Manufacturer, former, builder, constructor.
3. Author, writer, composer.
4. (*Law.*) Signer of a promissory note.
**Make sail.** (*Naut.*) Set the sails, hoist the sails, spread the sails.
**Makeshift,** *n.* Substitute, temporary expedient.
**Make sport of.** Mock, ridicule, deride, scout, scoff at, jeer at, laugh at.
**Make suit to.** 1. Court the favor of, endeavor to gain the favor of.
2. Court, woo, make love to.
**Make sure of.** 1. Secure, make certain.
2. Consider as certain.
**Make the best of.** Put the best face on, turn to the best account.

**Make tracks.** Go, start, set out, be off, depart.
**Make up.** (*Active.*) 1. Collect, get together.
2. Constitute, form, compose.
3. Reconcile, settle, adjust, compose.
4. Compensate, make good, make up for.
5. Supply, furnish, provide.
6. Determine, bring to a conclusion.
7. Shape.
8. Settle, adjust.
9. Dress.
**Make up.** (*Neuter.*) Settle a difference, become reconciled.
**Make up for.** Compensate, make good, make up.
**Make up to.** 1. (*Colloq.*) Accost, address, speak to, approach.
2. Court, pay attention.
**Make up with.** Settle differences, become friends.
**Make water.** 1. Urinate, void urine.
2. (*Naut.*) Leak.
**Make way.** 1. Advance, proceed.
2. Clear a way, open a passage.
**Making,** *n.* 1. Workmanship, construction, fabrication, formation.
2. Composition, structure, form, make.
3. Material.
**Maladministration,** *n.* Misrule, misgovernment, malversation.
**Maladroit,** *a.* Awkward, clumsy, unskilful, unskilled, bungling, unhandy, inapt, inexpert.
**Malady,** *n.* Disease, distemper, disorder, complaint, ail, ailment, sickness, illness, indisposition.
**Malapert,** *a.* Saucy, impudent, rude, forward, flippant, bold, impertinent, impudent, insolent, cavalier, quick.
**Malapertness,** *n.* Insolence, sauciness, impudence, rudeness, forwardness.
**Malapropos,** *ad.* [Fr.] Unseasonably, unsuitably.
**Malaria,** *n.* Miasma, miasm, noxious exhalation, bad air.
**Malarious,** *a.* Insalubrious, miasmatic, unhealthy, unwholesome, malarial.
**Malcontent,** *a.* Discontented, dissatisfied, unsatisfied, uneasy, insurgent.
**Male,** *a.* 1. Masculine.
2. Staminate.
**Male,** *n.* Male animal.
**Malediction,** *n.* Curse, cursing, denunciation, execration, imprecation, anathema, ban.
**Malefactor,** *n.* Culprit, felon, convict, criminal, outlaw, evil-doer.
**Malefeasance,** *n.* (*Law.*) Wrong-doing, ill conduct, illegal deed.
**Maleficent,** *a.* Harmful, mischievous, injurious, evil-doing.
**Malevolence,** *n.* Malice, maliciousness, spite, spitefulness, malignity, rancor, venom, hate, grudge, ill-will, hatred.
**Malevolent,** *a.* Malicious, malignant, spiteful, ill-disposed, ill-natured, hostile, envious, mischievous, evil-minded, resentful, rancorous.
**Malformation,** *n.* Deformity.
**Malice,** *n.* Malevolence, maliciousness, malignity, rancor, venom, hate, spite, ill-will, enmity, bitterness, grudge, pique.
**Malicious,** *a.* Malevolent, malignant, spiteful, ill-disposed, ill-natured, evil-minded, mischievous, resentful, bitter, rancorous, envious, invidious.
**Maliciousness,** *n.* Malevolence, malice, malignity, ill-will, enmity.
**Malign,** *a.* 1. Malicious, malevolent, malignant, ill-disposed.
2. Injurious, pernicious, unfavorable, baneful, very bad, unpropitious.
**Malign,** *v. a.* Revile, slander, abuse, calumniate, asperse, defame, blacken, traduce, scandalize, disparage, vilify.
**Malignance,** / **Malignancy,** *n.* 1. Malice, malignity, bitter enmity, extreme malevolence.
2. Unfavorableness, unpropitiousness.
3. Virulence, deadliness, malignity.
**Malignant,** *a.* 1. Malign, malicious, malevolent, bitter, rancorous, spiteful, resentful, envious, virulently inimical.
2. Unpropitious, unfavorable, ill-boding.
3. Extremely heinous, virulent, pernicious.
4. (*Med.*) Dangerous, fatal, virulent.
**Maligner,** *n.* Vilifier, slanderer, traducer, calumniator, backbiter, libeller, defamer.
**Malignity,** *n.* 1. Malice, malevolence, maliciousness, malignancy, hatred, animosity, ill-will, rancor, spite.
2. Virulence, fatality, malignancy, deadliness, destructiveness.
3. Heinousness, enormity, evilness.
**Malinger,** *v. n.* (*Mil.*) Feign illness, sham sickness, play the hypocrite, sham Abraham.
**Malison,** *n.* Curse, malediction, execration.
**Mall,** *n.* [Written also *Maul.*] Beetle, heavy mallet.
**Mall,** *v. a.* [Written also *Maul.*] Beat, bruise.
**Mall,** *n.* 1. Public walk, shaded walk.
2. Court, pleading-house.
**Mallard,** *n.* 1. Drake.
2. Common wild duck (*Anas boschas*).
**Mallet,** *n.* Wooden hammer.
**Malpractice,** *n.* [Written also *Malepractice.*] Misconduct, misbehavior, misdoing, dereliction, malversation.
**Maltreat,** *v. a.* [Written also *Maletreat.*] Abuse, ill-treat, ill-use, injure.
**Maltreatment,** *n.* Abuse, ill treatment, bad treatment, ill usage.
**Malversation,** *n.* Misconduct (*in office*), fraudulent conduct (*as embezzlement, etc.*).
**Mama,** / **Mamma,** *n.* [*Childish term.*] Mother.
**Mamma,** *n.* [L. *pl. Mammæ.*] Breast, teat, dug, udder.
**Mammal,** *n.* Mammifer, one of the mammalia.
**Mammalia,** *n. pl.* [L.] Mammals, mammifers, viviparous animals that suckle their young.
**Mammifer,** *n.* Mammal, one of the mammalia.
**Mammon,** *n.* 1. Syrian god of riches.
2. Riches, wealth.
**Mammonist,** *n.* Worldling, mammonite.
**Mammoth,** *n.* Extinct elephant (*Elephas primigenus*).
**Mammoth,** *a.* Gigantic, very large.
**Man,** *n.* 1. Person, individual, body, somebody, one, personage, soul, living soul, some one, human being.
2. Mankind, the human race.
3. Male person.
4. Adult male.
5. Vassal, liege, subject, servant, attendant, dependant.
6. Husband, married man.
7. Workman, employee.
8. Piece (*as chess, draughts, etc.*).
**Man,** *v. a.* 1. Furnish with men, supply with hands.
2. Strengthen, fortify, re-enforce.
**Manacle,** *n.* Shackle (*for the hands*), handcuff, hand-fetter.
**Manacle,** *v. a.* 1. Handcuff, shackle.
2. Shackle, fetter, tie, restrain, confine, bind.
**Manage,** *n.* Horsemanship, *manège*, equestrian art.
**Manage,** *v. a.* 1. Conduct, direct, regulate, superintend, supervise, administer, carry on, guide, treat, handle, order, transact.
2. Rule (*with address* or *artifice*), control, govern, guide.

3. Wield, handle, have under command, manipulate, control.
4. Husband, treat sparingly, economize, save, contrive.
5. Train.

**Manage,** *v. n.* Manœuvre, concert measures, contrive ways, direct affairs, pull the wires *or* strings, administer.

**Manageable,** *a.* 1. Tractable, governable, docile, controllable, tamable.
2. Controllable.

**Management,** *n.* 1. Conduct, control, direction, charge, administration, government, guidance, disposal, economy, treatment, superintendence, care, surveillance.
2. Contrivance, prudent conduct, cunning practice, skill, address, skilful treatment.
3. Negotiation, transactions, dealing.

**Manager,** *n.* 1. Director, superintendent, overseer, supervisor, comptroller, governor, conductor.
2. Economist, good economist.

**Managery,** *n.* 1. Conduct, direction, administration, management.
2. Husbandry, frugality, economy.
3. Manner of using.
4. Moral conduct.

**Managing,** *a.* 1. Intriguing.
2. Economical, frugal, thrifty, prudent, provident.

**Manatee,** *n.* Lamantine, sea-cow, manatin.

**Manciple,** *n.* Steward (*of a college*), purveyor, undertaker.

**Mandate,** *n.* Command, order, injunction, precept, charge, requirement, commission, edict.

**Mandatory,** *a.* Preceptive, directory.

**Mandible,** *n.* 1. Under jaw (*of animals*).
2. (*Ornith.*) Beak, bill.
3. Upper jaw (*of insects*).

**Mandioc,** } *n.* [Written also *Manioc*, *Manihoc*, and
**Mandisc,** } *Manihot.*] Cassava.

**Mandle-stone,** *n.* Amygdaloid, almond-stone, kernel-stone.

**Mandrake,** *n.* Mandragora.

**Manducate,** *v. a.* Chew, masticate, eat.

**Manducation,** *n.* Chewing, mastication, eating.

**Man-eater,** *n.* Cannibal.

**Man-eaters,** *n. pl.* Anthropophagi, cannibals.

**Manege,** *n.* [Fr.] 1. Horsemanship, equestrian art.
2. Riding-school.

**Manes,** *n. pl.* 1. Lares, benevolent infernal deities.
2. Ghosts, shades, souls of the departed, spirits, spectres, *lemures.*

**Manful,** *a.* Courageous, bold, brave, stout, strong, vigorous, daring, heroic, intrepid, undaunted, manly, honorable, noble.

**Mangel-wurzel,** *n.* [Written also *Mangold-wurzel.*] Field-beet, scarcity-root (*Beta altissima*).

**Mangily,** *ad.* Meanly, basely, scurvily, foully, vilely.

**Manginess,** *n.* Scabbiness, scurviness.

**Mangle,** *v. a.* 1. Lacerate, hack, tear (*in cutting*), mutilate.
2. Mutilate, mar, destroy, spoil, maim.
3. Polish, smooth, calender, press with a mangle.

**Mangold-wurzel,** *n.* See MANGEL-WURZEL.

**Mangy,** *a.* Scabby, infected with mange.

**Manhaden,** *n.* [Written also *Menhaden.*] Hard-head, mossbunker, pauhaugen, bony-fish, marsbanker.

**Man-hater,** *n.* Misanthrope.

**Manhood,** *n.* 1. Virility.
2. Courage, bravery, hardihood, firmness, resolution, fortitude, manliness, manfulness.
3. Humanity, human nature.
4. Man's estate, maturity.

**Mania,** *n.* 1. Madness, insanity, violent derangement, lunacy, aberration, delirium, frenzy, *dementia.*
2. Vehement desire.

**Mania a potu.** [L.] Delirium tremens.

**Maniac,** *n.* Madman, lunatic, bedlamite, insane person, crack.

**Maniac,** } *a.* Mad, insane, raving, deranged,
**Maniacal,** } demented.

**Manicheism,** *n.* Dualism, doctrine of two supreme principles (*good and evil*).

**Manifest,** *a.* Apparent, open, obvious, plain, evident, patent, clear, palpable, visible, unmistakable, glaring, conspicuous, distinct, indubitable.

**Manifest,** *v. a.* Show, exhibit, reveal, declare, display, disclose, prove, evince, evidence, discover, express, set forth, bring to light, expose to view, hold up to view, make known.

**Manifestation,** *n.* Exhibition, revelation, display, expression, discovery, publication, show.

**Manifesto,** *n.* Declaration (*of a sovereign* or *a government*), manifest, public protestation.

**Manifold,** *a.* 1. Numerous, multiplied, multitudinous, various, many.
2. Various, diverse, multifarious.

**Manioc,** *n.* Cassava. See MANDIOC.

**Manople,** *n.* 1. Handful.
2. Small band, company (*of Roman soldiers*).
3. Fanon, stole, kind of scarf.

**Manipulate,** *v. a.* and *v. n.* Work *or* operate with the hands, handle.

**Manis,** *n.* Pangolin, scaly ant-eater, scaly lizard.

**Man-killer,** *n.* Murderer, man-slayer, homicide.

**Mankind,** *n.* 1. Man, the human race, humankind.
2. Men, the lords of creation.

**Manliness,** *n.* Bravery, courage, intrepidity, heroism, firmness, resolution, nobleness, dignity, boldness.

**Manly,** *a.* Brave, courageous, intrepid, stout, bold, firm, undaunted, vigorous, strong, daring, heroic, noble, manful, dignified.

**Man-midwife,** *n.* Obstetrician, *accoucheur.*

**Manner,** *n.* 1. Method, mode, fashion, form, way, style.
2. Custom, habit, practice.
3. Degree, measure, extent.
4. [*sing. and pl.*] Sort, kind, sorts, kinds.
5. Behavior, carriage, deportment, air, mien, look, aspect, appearance, demeanor.
6. Mannerism, characteristic style, distinctive peculiarity.
7. Conduct, morals, habits, behavior.
8. Civility, ceremonious behavior, respectful deportment.

**Mannerism,** *n.* Sameness of manner, uniformity, self-repetition.

**Mannerly,** *a.* Courteous, civil, polite, urbane, complaisant, refined, well-bred, respectful, ceremonious, well-behaved.

**Manners,** *n. pl.* 1. Morals, habits, conduct.
2. Behavior, deportment, bearing, breeding, air, carriage.

**Mannish,** *a.* Bold, masculine.

**Manœuvre,** *n.* 1. Evolution, movement.
2. Scheme, plan, plot, stratagem, artifice, trick, finesse, artful management, adroit procedure, intrigue, *ruse.*

**Manœuvre,** *v. n.* 1. Perform evolutions.
2. Contrive, plan, plot, manage, pull the wires *or* strings, scheme, intrigue, finesse.

**Manœuvrer,** *n.* Tactician, adroit manager, strategist.

**Man of straw.** Puppet, tool, instrument.

**Man-of-war,** *n.* Ship of war, armed ship.
**Manor,** *n.* Lordship, feudal estate of a nobleman.
**Manor-house,** *n.* Hall, manor-seat, mansion, mansion-house.
**Mansard-roof,** *n.* Curb-roof, gambrel-roof.
**Manse,** *n.* [*Scotch.*] Parsonage, parsonage-house.
**Mansion,** *n.* 1. Dwelling, seat, residence, habitation, dwelling-house, mansion-house, abode.
2. Manor-house, manor-seat, hall, mansion-house.
**Mansion-house,** *n.* Manor-house.
**Manslaughter,** *n.* 1. Murder, homicide.
2. Homicide (*without malice*).
**Man-slayer,** *n.* Murderer, homicide, man-killer.
**Mantel,** *n.* [Written also *Mantle*, *Mantle-piece*, *Mantle-shelf.*] Mantel-piece, mantel-shelf.
**Mantilla,** *n.* 1. Hood, head-covering, kind of veil.
2. Small mantle, light cloak.
**Mantle,** *n.* 1. Cloak.
2. Cover, covering.
3. Mantel-piece, mantel-shelf.
4. Pallium.
**Mantle,** *v. a.* Cloak, overspread, cover, disguise, obscure.
**Mantle,** *v. n.* 1. Expand, spread, be expanded.
2. Effervesce, bubble, foam, sparkle, froth, cream.
**Mantle-piece,** } *n.* See MANTEL.
**Mantle-shelf,** }
**Mantua-maker,** *n.* Dressmaker.
**Manual,** *a.* Of the hand, by the hand.
**Manual,** *n.* Hand-book.
**Manufactory,** *n.* Factory.
**Manufacture,** *n.* 1. Production, fabrication, making.
2. Manufactured product.
**Manufacture,** *v. a.* Make by art.
**Manumission,** *n.* Emancipation, enfranchisement, liberation, deliverance, release, act of freeing a slave from bondage.
**Manumit,** *v. a.* Free, liberate, release, emancipate, enfranchise, set free.
**Manure,** *v. a.* Fertilize, enrich.
**Manure,** *n.* Fertilizer, compost, muck, guano, dressing, fertilizing mixture.
**Manuscript,** *a.* Written.
**Manuscript,** *n.* Copy, written document, writing.
**Many,** *a.* Numerous, manifold, various, multiplied, divers, frequent, sundry.
**Many,** *n.* 1. Multitude, people, many persons, many people, crowd, numerous company.
2. Great number.
**Many-sided,** *a.* 1. Of many sides.
2. Liberal, catholic.
**Many times.** Often, frequently, repeatedly, often-times.
**Many-ways,** } *ad.* Multifariously, variously, in
**Many-wise,** } many different ways, diversely.
**Map,** *n.* Chart.
**Map,** *v. a.* Delineate, draw, picture.
**Mar,** *v. a.* 1. Injure, spoil, ruin, hurt, damage, harm, impair.
2. Deface, deform, disfigure, spoil, maim.
**Marah,** *n.* Bitter water, bitterness.
**Marasmus,** *n.* Atrophy, phthisis, consumption, *tabes*, emaciation, decline, gradual wasting.
**Maraud,** *v. n.* Rove for plunder.
**Maraud,** *n.* Marauding, ravage, plunder, spoliation.
**Marauder,** *n.* Plunderer, ravager, pillager, robber, freebooter, brigand, outlaw, bandit, rover, filibuster.
**Marcescent,** *a.* Withering, fading, decaying.
**March,** *v. n.* 1. Walk (*by regular steps, as soldiers*), move forward.
2. Walk in a steady manner, step, go.
**March,** *n.* 1. Military movement, passage of soldiers.
2. Stately walk, deliberate walk.
3. Progression, advance, advancement, progress, progressive development, movement.
4. Military tune.
**Marches,** *n. pl.* Borders, limits, frontiers, confines, precincts, boundaries.
**Marcid,** *a.* Withered, feeble, drooping, wasted, lean, pining, gaunt.
**Marcidity,** *n.* Leanness, meagreness, thinness, emaciation.
**Mare,** *n.* Female horse.
**Mareschal,** *n.* See MARSHAL.
**Mare's-nest,** *n.* Absurd discovery, ridiculous discovery, discovery that is no discovery, self-delusion.
**Mare's-tail,** *n.* Cirrus, cat's-tail.
**Margarite,** *n.* Pearl.
**Margin,** *n.* Border, edge, rim, brim, verge, brink, confine, limit, skirt.
**Marine,** *a.* 1. Oceanic, pelagic, pelagian, salt-water, sea.
2. Maritime, naval, nautical.
**Marine,** *n.* 1. Navy, shipping.
2. Soldier (*of a ship of war*), sea-soldier.
3. (*Painting.*) Sea-piece, sea-scape.
**Mariner,** *n.* Seaman, sailor, seafarer, seafaring man, tar (*colloq.*)
**Mariput,** *n.* Zoril (*Viverra zorilla*).
**Marischal,** *n.* See MARSHAL.
**Marital,** *a.* Of a husband, incident to a husband.
**Maritime,** *a.* 1. Marine, naval, nautical.
2. Near the sea, bordering on the sea.
**Mark,** *n.* 1. Sign, token, symbol, trace, line, impress, impression, stamp, print, characteristic.
2. Indication, evidence, proof, symptom, token, characteristic, trace, vestige, track.
3. Badge, sign.
4. Trace, track, vestige, footprint.
5. Object (*aimed at*).
6. Eminence, consequence, distinction, importance, pre-eminence, eminent position.
7. Cross (*made as a signature*).
**Mark,** *v. a.* 1. Distinguish by a mark, put a mark upon, label.
2. Stamp, brand, designate, characterize, denote, single out, point out, indicate, betoken, imprint, impress.
3. Notice, note, observe, remark, take notice of, regard, heed, evince.
**Mark,** *v. n.* Observe, note, remark, take notice.
**Marked,** *a.* Notable, remarkable, noted, prominent, conspicuous, eminent, distinguished.
**Market,** *n.* 1. Mart, emporium, place of traffic *entrepôt.*
2. Market-house, market-place.
3. Sale, opportunity to sell.
4. Price, cost, worth, valuation, rate, charge.
**Market,** *v. a.* Vend, sell, traffic in, offer for sale, dispose of.
**Marketable,** *a.* 1. Salable, vendible, merchantable.
2. Current in market, current.
**Market-place,** *n.* Market-house, bazaar.
**Market-price,** } *n.* Current value.
**Market-rate,** }
**Maroon,** *n.* Chestnut color.
**Maroon,** *a.* Of a chestnut color.
**Marriage,** *n.* 1. Nuptials, wedding, espousals, spousals, nuptial rites.
2. Matrimony, wedlock.
3. Union.
**Married,** *a.* Conjugal, connubial, matrimonial.

**Marrow,** *n.* I. Medulla, pith.
2. Essence, quintessence, best part, essential part.
**Marrow-bones,** *n. pl.* (*Colloq.*) Knees.
**Marrubium,** *n.* Hoarhound.
**Marry,** *v. a.* I. Join in marriage, unite in marriage.
2. Wed, espouse, take for husband *or* wife, lead to the altar, bestow one's hand upon.
3. Give in marriage, dispose of in wedlock.
4. Unite, join, make one.
**Marry,** *interj.* Indeed, forsooth, in truth.
**Marsh,** *n.* Fen, bog, quagmire, morass, swamp, slough.
**Marshal,** *n.* I. Chief officer of arms.
2. Conductor, director, regulator, master of ceremonies.
3. Harbinger, pursuivant, herald.
4. [*In France.*] Commander-in-chief.
**Marshal,** *v. a.* I. Arrange, range, rank, dispose, array, draw up, set in order.
2. Lead, guide, prepare the way, herald.
**Marsh-gas,** *n.* Firedamp.
**Marsh-marigold,** *n.* Cowslip, water caltrops (*Caltha palustris*).
**Marsh-samphire,** *n.* Glass-wort, salt-wort (*Salicornia herbacea*).
**Marshy,** *a.* Boggy, fenny, swampy, wet.
**Mart,** *n.* Market, emporium, *entrepôt*, place of traffic.
**Martial,** *a.* I. Suited to war.
2. Warlike, brave, given to war.
3. Military.
**Martinet,** *n.* Precisian, formalist, strict *or* severe disciplinarian.
**Martinmas,** *n.* Feast of St. Martin, Nov. 11, martilmas, martlemas.
**Martyr,** *v. a.* I. Sacrifice on account of faith.
2. Murder, destroy.
3. Persecute, afflict, torment, torture, agonize, destroy.
**Marvel,** *n.* I. Wonder, prodigy, miracle.
2. Wonder, admiration, astonishment, amazement, surprise.
**Marvel,** *v. n.* Wonder, be surprised, be astonished.
**Marvellous,** *a.* I. Wondrous, wonderful, amazing, stupendous, astonishing, miraculous, very extraordinary, most strange, prodigious.
2. Incredible, improbable, surpassing credit, surprising.
**Marvellously,** *ad.* Exceedingly, wonderfully, strangely.
**Masculine,** *a.* I. Male, of the male sex.
2. Manly, virile, manlike, bold, hardy, manful.
3. Strong, robust, powerful.
4. Coarse, bold, forward, mannish.
**Mash,** *v. a.* Bruise, crush, beat, mix, knead, compound.
**Mask,** *n.* I. Cover (*for the face*), visor.
2. Cloak, screen, blind, disguise, veil.
3. Subterfuge, evasion, trick, shift, pretence, pretext, plea, *ruse*.
4. Masquerade.
5. Revel, piece of mummery, bustle.
**Mask,** *v. a.* I. Put a mask on.
2. Disguise, conceal, hide, cloak, veil, screen, shroud, cover.
**Masker,** *n.* Mummer, person in disguise, masquerader.
**Mason,** *n.* I. Builder in stone *or* brick.
2. Free-mason.
**Masquerade,** *n.* I. Mask, revel, piece of mummery.
2. Disguise, mask, veil, cover.
**Mass,** *n.* I. Lump.
2. Heap, assemblage, combination, congeries.
3. Collective body of fluid matter.
4. Majority.
5. Size, magnitude, bulk, dimension.
6. Whole, aggregate, totality, body.
**Mass,** *n.* Communion service (*in the Roman Catholic Church*), celebration of the Lord's Supper.
**Massacre,** *v. a.* Butcher (*human beings*), murder, kill, slay, slaughter.
**Massacre,** *n.* Butchery, slaughter, carnage.
**Mass-book,** *n.* Missal, Roman Catholic service-book.
**Massive,** / **Massy,** } *a.* Bulky, heavy, weighty, ponderous, huge, immense.
**Mast,** *n.* Nuts, pannage, pawns, pawnage.
**Master,** *n.* I. Ruler, director, governor, manager, superintendent, overseer, lord.
2. Commander, captain.
3. Teacher, instructor, tutor, preceptor, schoolmaster, pedagogue.
4. Owner, proprietor, holder, possessor.
5. Proficient, adept, master-hand.
6. Employer.
7. Chief, principal, head, leader.
**Master,** *v. a.* I. Overpower, overcome, conquer, subdue, subjugate, vanquish.
2. Acquire, learn thoroughly, make one's self master of, become an adept in.
**Master,** *a.* Main, chief, leading, principal, cardinal, prime, especial, great, grand, most important.
**Master-hand,** *n.* Adept, proficient, dab, expert, good hand, capital hand, nice hand.
**Masterly,** *a.* I. Skilful, clever, dexterous, expert, adroit, excellent, finished.
2. Imperious, domineering, arbitrary, despotical.
**Master-mind,** *n.* Master-spirit.
**Master-piece,** *n.* I. Paragon, master-stroke, master-work, capital performance, principal performance, *chef-d'œuvre*.
2. Chief excellence, forte, chief talent, strong side.
**Mastership,** *n.* I. Headship.
2. Dominion, rule, sway, mastery, supreme power.
3. Superiority, supremacy, pre-eminence, mastery.
4. Skill, cleverness, ability, talent.
**Master-spirit,** *n.* Master-mind.
**Master-stroke,** *n.* See MASTER-PIECE.
**Master-work,** *n.* See MASTER-PIECE.
**Mastery,** *n.* I. Dominion, rule, sway, command, mastership, supreme power, supremacy.
2. Superiority, pre-eminence, ascendency, supremacy, victory, conquest, leadership, headship, upper hand.
3. Victory in war.
4. Acquirement, attainment, acquisition.
5. Skill, dexterity, great proficiency, cleverness, ability.
**Masticate,** *v. a.* Chew, eat, manducate.
**Mastication,** *n.* Chewing, manducation.
**Masturbation,** *n.* Onanism, self-pollution, secret vice, self-abuse, mastupration.
**Mat,** *v. a.* Interweave, entangle, twist together.
**Match,** *n.* I. Equal, mate, companion, tally.
2. Competition, trial, contest.
3. Union, marriage.
**Match,** *v. a.* I. Rival, equal.
2. Adapt, suit, fit, proportion, make equal, make harmonize.
3. Marry, give in marriage, mate.
4. Join, combine, couple, sort.
5. Pit, oppose.
**Match,** *v. n.* I. Be married, mate.
2. Suit, correspond, tally, be proportionate.

**Matchable,** *a.* I. Equal, suitable, comparable.
2. Correspondent, of like kind.
**Matchless,** *a.* Unrivalled, unparalleled, unequalled, peerless, incomparable, exquisite, inimitable, excellent, unmatched, consummate.
**Mate,** *n.* I. Associate, companion, fellow, compeer, intimate.
2. Equal, match, suitable companion.
3. Assistant, subordinate.
4. Checkmate (*chess*).
**Mate,** *v. a.* I. Match, marry.
2. Equal, vie with, cope with, compete with.
3. Stupefy, confound, crush, appall, subdue, enervate.
**Maté,** *n.* Paraguay tea, Brazilian holly (*Ilex paraguensis*).
**Material,** *a.* I. Physical, corporeal, bodily.
2. Essential, important, momentous, vital, weighty.
**Material,** *n.* Matter, substance, stuff.
**Materially,** *ad.* I. Substantially, in substance, not in form merely.
2. Importantly, essentially, vitally.
**Maternal,** *a.* Motherly.
**Maternity,** *n.* Motherhood.
**Mathematical,** *a.* I. Pertaining to mathematics.
2. Precise, accurate, strict, rigid.
**Matin,** *a.* Morning.
**Matins,** *n. pl.* Morning prayers, morning service.
**Matricaria,** *n.* Feverfew, motherwort.
**Matrice,** *n.* I. Womb, matrix.
2. Mould (*especially a mould in which printers' letters are cast, and a mould in which coin is cast*), matrix.
**Matrimonial,** *a.* Connubial, nuptial, hymeneal, conjugal, sponsal, spousal.
**Matrimony,** *n.* Marriage, wedlock, nuptial state.
**Matrix,** *n.* [L.] See MATRICE.
**Matron,** *n.* I. Wife, married woman, dame.
2. Elderly woman.
3. Head nurse, female head.
**Matronal,** *a.* See MATRON-LIKE.
**Matronize,** *v. a.* I. Render matronly.
2. Chaperon, act as mother to.
**Matron-like,** } *a.* I. Elderly, matronal, motherly.
**Matronly,** } 2. Grave, sedate, matronal.
**Matter,** *n.* I. Substance, body.
2. Sense, substance.
3. Good sense, substance.
4. Trouble, cause of distress, difficulty.
5. Thing.
6. Indefinite amount, quantity, *or* portion.
7. Stuff, material, raw material.
8. Topic, subject, question, subject-matter, matter in hand.
9. Affair, business, concern, thing, event, course of things.
10. Importance, consequence, import, moment, significance.
11. Pus, purulence, purulent matter.
**Matter,** *v. n.* I. Signify, import, be of importance, be of consequence.
2. Maturate, suppurate.
**Matter-of-fact,** *n.* Fact, reality, actuality.
**Matter-of-fact,** *a.* I. Ordinary, commonplace.
2. Practical, sensible, plain, prosaic, unimaginative, dry.
**Mattock,** *n.* Grub-axe, grubbing-hoe.
**Maturate,** *v. n.* I. Ripen, mature.
2. Suppurate, matter.
**Maturation,** *n.* I. Ripening, maturing.
2. Ripeness.
3. Suppuration.
**Mature,** *a.* I. Perfected by time, complete, perfect, ripe, full-grown.
2. Prepared, ready, well-considered, well-digested, completed, ripe.
**Mature,** *v. a.* I. Ripen.
2. Perfect, bring to perfection, bring to maturity, advance toward perfection.
**Mature,** *v. n.* I. Become ripe.
2. Become due.
**Maturely,** *ad.* I. Ripely, completely.
2. Carefully, cautiously.
**Maturity,** *n.* I. Completion, ripeness, perfection, matureness.
2. Time of being due (*said of a promissory note, etc.*).
**Matutinal,** *a.* Morning, early.
**Maudlin,** *a.* I. Intoxicated, inebriated, fuddled, muddled, disguised, tipsy, mellow, drunk, stupid, in liquor.
2. Silly, weak, over-emotional, sickly sentimental.
**Maugre,** *prep.* Notwithstanding, in spite of, in defiance of.
**Maul,** *n.* [Written also *Mall.*] Beetle, heavy mallet.
**Maul,** *v. a.* I. [Written also *Mall.*] Beat, bruise, wound, disfigure.
2. Injure grossly, abuse, deform, do much harm to.
**Maunder,** *v. n.* I. Mutter (*as a beggar*), grumble, murmur.
2. Talk incoherently, drivel, wander.
**Maunderer,** *n.* Grumbler, murmurer, driveller.
**Mausoleum,** *n.* Sepulchral monument.
**Mauvaise honte.** [Fr.] Bashfulness, false modesty, shamefacedness.
**Mavis,** *n.* Song-thrush, throstle (*Turdus musicus*).
**Maw,** *n.* I. Stomach (*of animals*).
2. Craw, crop, first stomach (*of a bird*).
**Mawkish,** *a.* Insipid, flat, vapid, tasteless, stale, sickly, nauseous, disgusting.
**Maxim,** *n.* Proverb, saying, saw, adage, aphorism, apothegm, dictum, by-word, sententious precept, axiom.
**Maximum,** *a.* Greatest.
**May-apple,** *n.* Wild mandrake, hog-apple (*Podophyllum peltatum*).
**Maybe,** *ad.* Perhaps, possibly, haply, it may be, as luck may have it.
**May-beetle,** } *n.* Cockchafer, dor, dor-bug, tree-
**May-bug,** } beetle, dor-beetle, dor-fly, dummador.
**May-flower,** *n.* I. [*Eng.*] Hawthorn, white-thorn.
2. [*New Eng.*] Trailing arbutus (*Epigæa repens*).
**Mayhap,** *ad.* Perchance, perhaps, it may be, probably, it may happen, peradventure.
**Mayhem,** *n.* See MAIM.
**May-lily,** *n.* Lily of the valley (*Convallaria majalis*).
**Maze,** *n.* I. Labyrinth, meander, intricacy, winding course.
2. Intricacy, perplexity, bewilderment, embarrassment, uncertainty, mizmaze.
**Maze,** *v. a.* Bewilder, amaze, confuse, perplex, confound.
**Mazology,** *n.* Mammology, mastology.
**Mazy,** *a.* Labyrinthian, confused, winding, intricate, confusing, perplexing, embarrassing.
**Mead,** *n.* I. Metheglin.
2. (*Poetical.*) Meadow.
**Meadow,** *n.* Mead, lea, grass land, sward land.
**Meadow-crowfoot,** *n.* Buttercup.
**Meagre,** *a.* I. Lean, thin, emaciated, spare, poor, lank, gaunt, skinny.
2. Barren, poor, sterile, unproductive.
3. Tame, feeble, jejune, vapid, bald, barren

dull, prosing, prosy, poor, mean, insignificant, small, scanty.

**Meagreness,** *n.* I. Leanness, thinness, spareness.
2. Poorness, barrenness, sterility.
3. Scantiness, barrenness, smallness.

**Meal,** *n.* I. Repast, collation.
2. Flour, grain in powder.

**Mealy,** *a.* Farinaceous.

**Mean,** *a.* I. Middle, medium, average, moderate.
2. Intermediate, intervening, coming between.
3. Ignoble, plebeian, low, ordinary, common, vulgar, coarse, humble.
4. Base, abject, grovelling, vile, contemptible, despicable, servile, beggarly, sneaking, dirty, scurvy, shabby, sorry, disingenuous, unfair, rascally, pitiful, base-minded, low-minded, dishonorable, spiritless.
5. Sordid, penurious, miserly, stingy, niggardly, illiberal, ungenerous, selfish, narrow, mercenary, narrow-minded, parsimonious.
6. Small, little, paltry, insignificant, diminutive, petty, poor, wretched, contemptible, despicable.

**Mean,** *n.* I. Medium, mediocrity, moderation, measure, middle state, middle course.
2. Average.
3. Instrument, method, mode, way, means, agency, instrumentality, measure.

**Mean,** *v. a.* I. Intend, signify, contemplate.
2. Intend, purpose, design.
3. Signify, indicate, imply, denote, purport, import, express.

**Mean,** *v. n.* Intend, purpose, design.

**Meander,** *n.* I. Labyrinth, maze, winding course, perplexity, intricacy.
2. Indirect course.

**Meander,** *v. n.* Wind, be tortuous, run in a serpentine course, turn, flow round.

**Meandering,** *a.* Winding, serpentine, tortuous, anfractuous, flexuous, meandrian, meandrous.

**Meaning,** *n.* I. Intention, intent, purpose, design, aim, object.
2. Signification, sense, acceptation, explanation, interpretation, import, purport, significance, force.

**Meaningly,** *ad.* Significantly.

**Meanly,** *ad.* Dishonorably, unworthily, depreciatingly, disrespectfully.

**Meanness,** *n.* I. Humbleness, lowness.
2. Smallness, littleness, scantiness, slenderness, lowness, poverty, meagreness, poorness, rudeness.
3. Abjectness, vileness, baseness, contemptibleness, despicableness.
4. Illiberality, ungenerousness, sordidness, penuriousness, niggardliness.

**Means,** *n. sing.* and *pl.* I. Instrument, method, mode, way.
2. Resource, appliance, expedient, shift, step, measure.
3. Revenue, income, resources, the wherewithal, ways and means, substance, estate, property.

**Mean-spirited,** *a.* Base, low, beggarly, vile, grovelling, pitiful, despicable, abject, low-minded, base-minded, cowardly, timid.

**Meantime,** / **Meanwhile,** } *ad.* In the mean time, in the interim.

**Measles,** *n. pl.* Rubeola.

**Measurable,** *a.* I. Mensurable.
2. Moderate, temperate.

**Measure,** *n.* I. Standard (*of measurement*).
2. Rule, gauge.
3. Extent.
4. Limit, determined length.
5. Allotment, share, due proportion.
6. Moderation, just degree.
7. Degree, indefinite quantity.
8. Means to an end, step.
9. Metre.

**Measure,** *v. a.* I. Mete.
2. Estimate, appraise, judge of, appreciate, value, gauge.
3. Adjust, proportion, gauge.
4. Distribute, allot, apportion, mete out.

**Measured,** *a.* I. Uniform, steady, equal, moderate, regular, moderated.
2. Limited, restricted.

**Measureless,** *a.* Immeasurable, unlimited, immense, boundless, limitless, endless, unbounded, vast, infinite.

**Measurement,** *n.* I. Mensuration.
2. Bulk, size, area *or* content, quantity.

**Meat,** *n.* I. Food, aliment, nutriment, sustenance, nourishment, provision, victuals, viands, diet, regimen, cheer, subsistence, rations, feed, fare.
2. Flesh (*for food*), flesh-meat.
3. Edible portion.

**Meatiness,** *n.* Fleshiness.

**Meat-pie,** *n.* I. Mince-pie.
2. Pasty, meat pudding.

**Mechanic,** *n.* Artisan, artificer, craftsman, handicraftsman, operative, workman, hand.

**Mechanical,** *a.* Involuntary, blind, automatic.

**Mechanism,** *n.* Machinery, mechanical construction.

**Meddle,** *v. n.* Interfere, intermeddle, interpose.

**Meddler,** *n.* Intermeddler, busybody.

**Meddlesome,** / **Meddling,** } *a.* Interfering, intermeddling, pragmatical, officious, intrusive.

**Meddle with.** Deal, treat, take part, have to do.

**Mediæval,** *a.* [Written also *Medieval.*] Middle-age.

**Medial,** *a.* Mean, average.

**Median,** *a.* Middle.

**Mediate,** *a.* I. Middle.
2. Interposed, intervening.

**Mediate,** *v. n.* Interpose, intercede, arbitrate.

**Mediation,** *n.* I. Intercession.
2. Interposition, intervention, arbitration, mediate agency.

**Mediator,** *n.* I. Intercessor, advocate, propitiator, interceder, arbitrator, umpire.
2. Christ, Jesus, the Messiah.

**Medical,** *a.* I. Of medicine, of the healing art.
2. Medicinal, healing, curative, sanatory, therapeutic, therapeutical.

**Medicament,** *n.* Remedy, medicine, healing application.

**Medicate,** *v. a.* I. Tincture *or* impregnate with something medicinal.
2. Heal, cure, treat with medicine.

**Medicinal,** *a.* Healing, curative, medical, medicative, sanatory, therapeutic, therapeutical.

**Medicine,** *n.* I. Drug, physic, medicament, remedy, remedial agent.
2. Healing art.

**Medieval,** *a.* See MEDIÆVAL.

**Mediocre,** *a.* Indifferent, ordinary, commonplace, middling, mean, medium, average.

**Mediocrity,** *n.* I. Inferiority, moderate degree, middle state.
2. Average, average standard, medial standard.
3. Moderation, temperance.

**Meditate,** *v. a.* I. Plan, contrive, devise, scheme, concoct, intend, purpose, design.
2. Contemplate, study, chew, ruminate, think on, reflect upon, revolve in the mind, turn over in the mind, dwell intently upon, chew the cud upon.

**Meditate,** *v. n.* Muse, ponder, think, cogitate, ruminate, study, contemplate, reflect, rack, beat,

*or* cudgel one's brains, collect one's thoughts, advise with one's pillow.

**Meditation,** *n.* Contemplation, reflection, study, musing, pondering, deep thought, close attention.

**Mediterranean,** *a.* 1. Midland.
2. Inland, mediterraneous.

**Medium,** *a.* Middle, mean, middling, mediocre.

**Medium,** *n.* 1. Intervening substance, pervading substance.
2. Means, instrumentality, agency.
3. Mean, moderation.
4. Mean average, mean proportion, mean.
5. (*Painting.*) Menstruum.
6. (*Log.*) Middle term.

**Medley,** *n.* Mixture, miscellany, jumble, farrago, hotch-potch, hodge-podge, salmagundi, gallimaufry, mish-mash, pot-pourri, olio, *mélange*, confused mass.

**Meed,** *n.* 1. Reward, recompense, remuneration, award, guerdon, premium, prize.
2. Gift, present.

**Meedful,** *a.* Deserving, worthy.

**Meedfully,** *ad.* Suitably.

**Meek,** *a.* Humble, lowly, submissive, yielding, pacific, unassuming, mild, soft, gentle, modest.

**Meekness,** *n.* Mildness, gentleness, humbleness, humility, lowliness, modesty, submission, submissiveness.

**Meer,** *a.* See MERE, *a.*

**Meer,** *n.* See MERE, *n.*

**Meerschaum,** *n.* (*Min.*) 1. Magnesite, sea-foam, hydrous silicate of magnesia.
2. Tobacco pipe made of meerschaum.

**Meet,** *a.* Fit, proper, fitting, befitting, suitable, suited, adapted, appropriate, qualified, convenient.

**Meet,** *v. a.* 1. Come together (*from opposite directions*).
2. Confront, encounter, come up to face to face, engage.
3. Find, meet with, light on, fall upon, fall in with, happen upon, get, gain, receive.
4. Fulfil, comply with, satisfy, gratify, answer.

**Meet,** *v. n.* 1. Come together, come face to face, join each other.
2. Encounter one another, join battle.
3. Unite, join, converge.
4. Assemble, congregate, muster, collect, come together, meet together.

**Meeting,** *n.* 1. Interview, encounter.
2. Assembly, assemblage, congregation, concourse, gathering, company, collection of people, convention, conference, auditory.
3. Conflux, joining, confluence, junction, union.
4. Duel, hostile encounter.

**Meeting-house,** *n.* Church, temple, house of worship, house of God.

**Meet with.** 1. Find, meet, light on, fall upon, fall in with, happen upon, come to.
2. Suffer, be subjected to, be exposed to, encounter.
3. Join, unite in company.
4. Obviate.

**Melancholic,** *a.* 1. Dejected, depressed, hypochondriac, dispirited, melancholy.
2. Sombre, gloomy, unhappy, mournful, dismal.

**Melancholy,** *n.* Dejection, depression, gloominess, sadness, gloom, despondency, hypochondria, blues, blue devils, dumps, vapors, low spirits, depression of spirits.

**Melancholy,** *a.* 1. Dejected, dispirited, depressed, sad, sorrowful, unhappy, disconsolate, doleful, dismal, lugubrious, moody, gloomy, hypochondriac, dumpish, mopish, glum, downcast, desponding, down-hearted, low-spirited, cast down, in the dumps, down in the mouth, out of sorts, lackadaisical, atrabilious, blue hippish.
2. Calamitous, afflictive, unfortunate, unlucky.
3. Grave, gloomy, sombre, dark, quiet, sad.

**Mélange,** *n.* [Fr.] Mixture, medley, farrago, jumble, hodge-podge, hotch-potch, salmagundi, olio, mingle-mangle, pot-pourri, gallimaufry, mish-mash, olla-podrida.

**Mêlée,** *n.* [Fr.] Fight (*of combatants confusedly mixed*), affray, contest, fray, broil, brawl, scuffle, mellay, hand-to-hand conflict.

**Melibean,** } *a.* [*In rhet. and poetry.*] Alternate,
**Melibœan,** } alternating, alternately responsive.

**Melic,** *a.* Lyric, tuneful, melodious.

**Meliorate,** *v. a.* Improve, better, mend, amend, emend, ameliorate, make better.

**Melioration,** *n.* Improvement, amendment, emendation, amelioration, betterment.

**Mellay,** } *n.* Conflict. See MÊLÉE.
**Melley,** }

**Mellifluence,** *n.* Smoothness, softness, mellowness, sweetness, sweet flow.

**Mellifluent,** } *a.* Smooth, soft, mellow, euphoni-
**Mellifluous,** } ous, euphonic, sweet, silver-toned, sweetly flowing, dulcet, silvery.

**Mellite,** *n.* Honey-stone.

**Mellow,** *a.* 1. Ripe, mature.
2. Soft, mellifluous, smooth, silver-toned, sweetly flowing, rich, dulcet, silvery.
3. Soft, rich, delicate.
4. Softened, matured, good-humored, genial, jovial.
5. Soft, loamy, unctuous, rich, mellowy.
6. Perfected, well prepared.
7. Tipsy, fuddled, disguised, intoxicated, half seas over.

**Mellow,** *v. a.* 1. Ripen, mature.
2. Soften, tone down, smooth down, mature, improve.
3. Soften, pulverize.
4. Perfect, bring to perfection.

**Melodious,** *a.* Musical, tuneful, sweet, dulcet, ariose, harmonious.

**Melody,** *n.* 1. Pleasing succession of sounds (as distinguished from *harmony* or the *concord* of sounds), sweetness of sound, music.
2. Song, descant, tune.
3. Air, tune, theme.

**Melt,** *v. a.* 1. Liquefy (*by heat*), fuse, dissolve, thaw.
2. Soften, make gentle, make susceptible, mollify, subdue, relax.
3. Dissipate, waste away.

**Melt,** *v. n.* 1. Dissolve, become liquid.
2. Be softened, be made gentle, become tender.
3. Be dissolved, lose substance.
4. Blend, shade, pass.
5. Be weakened, be broken, be subdued.

**Melting,** *a.* 1. Dissolving, softening.
2. Affecting.

**Melting,** *n.* 1. Fusion.
2. Inteneration.

**Member,** *n.* 1. Limb.
2. Part, portion, constituent, component, subordinate part.
3. Head, clause, branch.

**Membership,** *n.* 1. Being a member.
2. Society, association, members, body of members, community.

**Memento,** *n.* Memorial, remembrancer, souvenir.

**Memoir,** *n.* 1. Personal narrative, familiar biography.
2. Record, register, journal, written account.

**Memorable,** *a.* Signal, notable, remarkable, extraordinary, illustrious, celebrated, distinguished, famous, great.

**Memorandum,** *n.* Note, minute.
**Memorial,** *n.* 1. Monument, commemorative record, memento.
2. Memorandum, record, remembrancer.
**Memorial,** *a.* Commemorative.
**Memoria technica.** [L.] Mnemonics, technical memory, artificial memory.
**Memoriter,** *ad.* From memory, by heart.
**Memorize,** *v. a.* 1. Learn, learn by heart, commit to memory.
2. Cause to be remembered, hand down to memory by records, record.
**Memory,** *n.* 1. Recollection, remembrance, reminiscence.
2. Remembrance.
3. Memorial, commemorative record, monumental record.
4. Fame, renown, reputation, celebrity.
**Menace,** *v. a.* 1. Threaten.
2. Threaten, intimidate, alarm.
**Menace,** *n.* Threat, threatening.
**Ménage,** *n.* 1. Household.
2. Housekeeping, household management.
**Mend,** *v. a.* 1. Repair, refit, retouch, patch up, touch up, restore.
2. Improve, ameliorate, meliorate, correct, rectify, reform, amend, emend, make better.
3. Help, advance, further, improve.
4. Increase, add to, augment, make greater.
**Mend,** *v. n.* Improve, amend, become better.
**Mendacious,** *a.* False, lying, deceitful.
**Mendacity,** *n.* 1. Disposition to lie, habit of lying, falsehood, habitual lying, duplicity, deceit, untruthfulness, deception.
2. Falsehood, lie, untruth.
**Mendicancy,** *n.* Beggary, mendicity.
**Mendicant,** *n.* Beggar.
**Mendicity,** *n.* Beggary, mendicancy.
**Mendose,** *a.* False, spurious, counterfeit.
**Menhaden,** *n.* See MANHADEN.
**Menial,** *a.* Servile, low, mean, base.
**Menial,** *n.* Servant, domestic, waiter, attendant, lackey, underling, flunky, understrapper, valet, footman, slave, serf, bondsman.
**Meniver,** *n.* [Written also *Miniver.*] Ermine, stoat.
**Menses,** *n. pl.* Catamenia, monthly courses, menstrual discharges, menstrual flux.
**Menstrual,** *a.* 1. Monthly.
2. Catamenial.
**Menstruum,** *n.* Solvent, medium.
**Mensurable,** *a.* Measurable.
**Mensuration,** *n.* 1. Measuring, measurement.
2. Surveying, survey
**Mental,** *a.* Intellectual, ideal.
**Mention,** *n.* Cursory reference *or* allusion.
**Mention,** *v. a.* Declare, name, tell, state, communicate, impart, report, disclose, divulge, cite, speak of, make known, make mention of, allude to, refer to.
**Mentor,** *n.* Counsellor, adviser, monitor, guide, instructor.
**Mephitic,** / **Mephitical,** } *a.* Fetid, foul, noisome, noxious, poisonous, pestilential, baleful.
**Mephitic air.** Carbonic acid, carbonic-acid gas, foul air, choke-damp.
**Mephitis,** / **Mephitism,** } *n.* (*Chem.*) Noxious exhalation.
**Meracious,** *a.* 1. Pure, unadulterated, unmixed.
2. Strong, racy.
**Mercantile,** *a.* Commercial, trading.
**Mercenariness,** *n.* Venality.
**Mercenary,** *a.* 1. Hired, purchased, paid, hireling, venal.
2. Sordid, avaricious, covetous, penurious, parsimonious, stingy, miserly, niggardly, mean, selfish, close.
3. Selfish, sordid.
**Mercenary,** *n.* Hireling.
**Merchandise,** *n.* Commodities, goods, wares.
**Merchant,** *n.* Trader (*particularly a wholesale trader*), tradesman, dealer.
**Merchantable,** *a.* Marketable, salable, vendible.
**Merchantman,** *n.* Trading vessel, merchantship.
**Merciful,** *a.* 1. Clement, lenient, pitiful, forgiving, gracious, compassionate.
2. Kind, compassionate, tender, benignant, mild, gentle, pitiful, tender-hearted, humane.
**Merciless,** *a.* Pitiless, cruel, unfeeling, unmerciful, uncompassionate, inexorable, unrelenting, relentless, fell, hard-hearted, severe, barbarous, savage, unsparing.
**Mercurial,** *a.* 1. Sprightly, active, spirited, quick, lively, prompt, nimble.
2. Light-hearted, gay, lively, cheerful.
3. Flighty, fickle, changeable, inconstant, volatile, mobile.
4. Money-making, commercial, trading, crafty.
5. Of mercury *or* quicksilver, hydrargyrum.
6. Directing, pointing out, giving intelligence, guiding.
**Mercury,** *n.* 1. Hermes.
2. Quicksilver.
3. Poison ivy (*Rhus toxicodendron*).
4. Messenger, intelligencer.
5. Newspaper vender, newsboy.
6. Newspaper.
**Mercy,** *n.* 1. Clemency, lenity, lenience, leniency, compassion, pity, tenderness, kindness, mildness, gentleness, benevolence.
2. Blessing, providential favor.
3. Pity, compassion, grace.
4. Discretion, disposal.
5. Pardon, forgiveness.
**Mercy-seat,** *n.* 1. Propitiatory.
2. Throne of God.
**Mere,** *a.* 1. Bare, simple, nothing else but.
2. Absolute, entire, unmixed, pure, sheer, bare.
**Mere,** *n.* Pool, lake, pond.
**Merely,** *ad.* 1. Simply, purely, only, solely, barely.
2. Purely, absolutely, utterly, entirely.
**Merestead,** *n.* Farm.
**Meretricious,** *a.* 1. Of harlots.
2. Libidinous, lustful.
3. Deceitful (*by false show*), spurious, false, sham, make-believe, tawdry, showy, gaudy.
**Merge,** *v. a.* Immerse, immerge, submerge, sink, bury, lose, involve.
**Merge,** *v. n.* Be lost, be swallowed up, be sunk.
**Meridian,** *n.* 1. Noon, noontide, mid-day, twelve o'clock.
2. Summit, culmination, zenith, apex, climax.
**Meridional,** *a.* 1. Southern.
2. Southerly.
3. Mid-day.
**Merit,** *n.* 1. Desert, worth, worthiness.
2. Excellence, credit, worth, goodness, worthiness.
3. Reward deserved, that which is earned.
4. [*pl.*] Claim, right.
**Merit,** *v. a.* 1. Deserve, have a right to, be entitled to, earn.
2. Deserve, incur.
**Merit,** *v. n.* Profit, gain value, receive benefit, acquire desert.
**Meritorious,** *a.* Deserving, worthy, good, excellent, commendable.
**Merling,** *n.* Whiting (*Merlangus vulgaris*).
**Merriment,** *n.* Mirth, jollity, gayety, hilarity, joviality, sportiveness, jocularity, liveliness, frolic, noisy sport, laughter.

**Merry,** *a.* 1. Pleasant, agreeable, exhilarating, delightful, brisk, lively, stirring.
2. Mirthful, jovial, gleeful, gay, hilarious, sportive, jocund, joyous, facetious, lively, jolly, buxom, frolicsome, blithe, blithesome, airy, gladsome, vivacious, wanton, light-hearted, cheerful.
3. Mirthful, sportive, comical, droll, gleeful, funny, sprightly.
4. Sarcastic, satirical.
**Merry-andrew,** *n.* Buffoon, zany, harlequin, scaramouch, fool, mountebank, jester, droll, jack-pudding, pickle-herring.
**Merry-making,** *n.* Festival, convivial entertainment, merry bout.
**Merry-thought,** *n.* Wish-bone.
**Mesh,** *n.* Interstice (*of a net*).
**Mesh,** *v. a.* Ensnare, entangle, snare.
**Meshy,** *a.* Reticulated, netted.
**Mesmerism,** *n.* Animal magnetism.
**Mess,** *n.* 1. Dish.
2. Set (*who eat together*), company.
3. Medley, mixture, miscellany, mass, farrago, hotch-potch, hodge-podge, jumble, salmagundi, mish-mash, olio, confused mass, *mélange*.
4. Muddle, predicament, plight, confusion, perplexity, pickle (*colloq.*).
**Mess,** *v. n.* Eat in company, take meals at the same table.
**Message,** *n.* Communication, intimation, notice, word.
**Messenger,** *n.* 1. Emissary, express, courier, mercury, carrier, intelligencer.
2. Harbinger, forerunner, herald, precursor.
**Messiah,** *n.* The Anointed, Christ the Saviour.
**Messieurs,** *n. pl.* [Fr.] (Abbreviated *Messrs.*) Sirs, gentlemen.
**Metamorphic,** *a.* Changeable, variable, mutable.
**Metamorphic rocks.** Stratified primary rocks.
**Metamorphose,** *v. a.* Transform, transmute, transfigure, change the form of.
**Metamorphosis,** *n.* Transformation, transmutation, transfiguration, change of form, metaphysis.
**Metaphor,** *n.* Similitude (*without the signs of comparison*), simile (*expressed in a word*).
**Metaphoric,** / **Metaphorical,** } *a.* Figurative, tropical.
**Metaphysical,** *a.* Mental, intellectual, psychological, abstract, general, ideal.
**Metaphysics,** *n.* 1. Ontology, science of being, science of existence.
2. Philosophy, first principles, science of first principles.
3. Psychology, pneumatology, mental philosophy, philosophy of the mind, mental science.
**Metatarsus,** *n.* Instep.
**Mete,** *v. a.* Measure.
**Mete,** *n.* Measure, bound, limit, term, boundary, terminus, butt.
**Metempirical,** *a.* (*In metaph.*) Transcendental, *a priori*.
**Metempsychosis,** *n.* Transmigration.
**Meteor,** *n.* Aerolite, shooting-star, falling star.
**Meteorolite,** *n.* Aerolite, meteoric stone, meteorite.
**Method,** *n.* 1. Way (*viewed theoretically*), mode, manner, process, course, means, rule, *modus operandi*.
2. Arrangement, system, classification, orderly disposition.
3. Order, regularity, system, rule.
**Methodic,** / **Methodical,** } *a.* Orderly, systematical, regular, systematic, exact, formal.
**Methodize,** *v. a.* Regulate, arrange, put in order, systematize.
**Methylic-alcohol,** *n.* Wood-spirit, pyroxylic spirit, pyroxylic acid.
**Metre,** *n.* Measure (*of verse*), rhythmical arrangement (*of syllables*), poetical measure, rhythm, verse.
**Metrical,** *a.* Measured.
**Metropolis,** *n.* Chief city, capital.
**Metropolitan,** *n.* Archbishop, primate.
**Mettle,** *n.* 1. Stuff, material, constitution, element.
2. Disposition, character, temper, spirit.
3. Spirit, nerve, vigor, ardor, pluck, hardihood, courage, fire, sprightliness, life.
**Mettlesome,** *a.* Spirited, ardent, fiery, lively, gay, brisk, sprightly, courageous, high-spirited.
**Mew,** *n.* Gull, sea-mew, cob, sea-cob.
**Mew,** *v. a.* 1. Confine, encase, coop, imprison, shut up, enclose.
2. Shed (*feathers*), moult, cast, change.
**Mewl,** *v. n.* Cry, squall, bawl.
**Mews,** *n. pl.* Stables.
**Mezzo,** *a.* (In *music.*) Middle, mean, medium.
**Mezzorilievo,** *n.* Middle relief.
**Miasm,** / **Miasma,** } *n.* Malaria, noxious exhalation, bad air, floating effluvia, infection.
**Michaelmas,** *n.* Feast of St. Michael, September 29.
**Mickle,** *a.* [*Scotch.*] Much, great.
**Microcosm,** *n.* 1. Little world, little cosmos.
2. Epitome of the universe, man.
3. Little community, little society, the world in little, the world in miniature.
**Microscopic,** / **Microscopical,** } *a.* 1. [*Applied to the eye.*] Able to see minute objects.
2. With a microscope, by the aid of a microscope.
3. Very small, very minute.
**Microzoa,** *n. pl.* Infusoria, phytozoaria.
**Mid,** *a.* Middle, intervening.
**Mid-day,** *a.* Meridional.
**Mid-day,** *n.* Noon, noontide, meridian, high noon.
**Middle,** *a.* 1. Mean, medial, halfway, between the extremes.
2. Intermediate, intervening.
**Middle,** *n.* 1. Midst, centre, central part.
2. Mean, something intermediate.
**Middle-age,** *a.* Mediæval.
**Middleman,** *n.* 1. Agent, broker, factor, intermediary, go-between.
2. Commoner.
**Middle classes.** *Bourgeoisie.*
**Middling,** *a.* Ordinary, average, moderate, passable, tolerable, mediocre, medium.
**Midland,** *a.* 1. Inland.
2. Mediterranean.
**Midnight,** *n.* The dead of night, twelve o'clock at night.
**Midriff,** *n.* Diaphragm.
**Midst,** *n.* Middle, thick, heart.
**Midsummer,** *n.* Summer solstice.
**Midwife,** *n.* *Accoucheuse.*
**Midwifery,** *n.* Obstetrics.
**Midwinter,** *n.* Winter solstice.
**Mien,** *n.* Air, look, aspect, manner, port, carriage, demeanor, appearance, bearing, countenance, deportment.
**Miff,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Pique, slight resentment.
**Miff,** *v. a.* (*Colloq.*) Affront, displease, offend slightly.
**Might,** *n.* Power, strength, puissance, force, main, potency, efficacy, ability, efficiency.
**Mightily,** *ad.* 1. Vigorously, vehemently, earnestly, powerfully, forcibly.
2. Greatly, very much (*colloq.*).
**Mightiness,** *n.* 1. Power, greatness.
2. Highness, excellency.
**Mighty,** *a.* 1. Strong, powerful, robust, vigorous, sturdy, puissant, courageous, valiant, valorous, bold, able.

2. Strong, powerful, potent, puissant.
3. Vast, enormous, immense, huge, stupendous, monstrous, very great.
4. Violent, vehement, impetuous, tempestuous.
5. Forcible, efficacious, effective.
6. Important, momentous, very great.
7. Wonderful, powerful.
8. Excellent, high.

**Mighty,** *ad.* (*Colloq.*) Very, in a great degree.
**Migratory,** *a.* Nomadic, wandering, roving, unsettled.
**Mikado,** *n.* Emperor of Japan.
**Milch,** *a.* Milk-giving (*applied only to beasts*).
**Mild,** *a.* 1. Tender, kind, gentle, merciful, clement, compassionate, indulgent, pacific.
2. Soft, gentle, bland, pleasant, suave.
3. Placid, calm, tranquil, soft, gentle, pleasant, kind.
4. Soft, gentle, pleasant.
5. Lenitive, assuasive, mollifying, soothing, emollient, demulcent.

**Mildew,** *n.* Blight, blast, mould, must, mustiness, smut, rust.
**Milesian,** *n.* Irishman, Paddy, Hibernian, son of Erin.
**Militancy,** *n.* Warfare, militarism.
**Militant,** *a.* Fighting, contending, combating.
**Military,** *a.* 1. Martial.
2. Soldierly, soldier-like.
3. Warlike.

**Military,** *n.* Soldiery, army, body of soldiers, soldiers, militia.
**Militate against.** War against, contend against, operate against, be opposed to, be repugnant to, be hostile to.
**Militia,** *n.* Trainband.
**Milkiness,** *n.* 1. Lactescence.
2. Mildness, softness.

**Milk-livered,** *a.* Cowardly, timorous, white-livered.
**Milkmaid,** *n.* Dairymaid,
**Milksop,** *n.* 1. Piece of bread sopped in milk.
2. Effeminate man, feeble-minded man.

**Milkweed,** *n.* Silkweed, wild cotton (*Asclepias syriaca*).
**Milky,** *a.* 1. Resembling milk, milk-like, lacteal, lacteous.
2. Milk-like, emulsive, softening.
3. Yielding milk.
4. Soft, mild, gentle.

**Milky-way,** *n.* Galaxy.
**Mill,** *n.* 1. Manufactory.
2. [*U. S.*] One tenth of a cent.

**Mill,** *v. a.* 1. Grind, comminute, pulverize, powder, levigate.
2. Stamp (*as coin*) on the edge.
3. Full (*as cloth*).
4. Throw (*as silk*).

**Miller,** *n.* Moth.
**Miller's-thumb,** *n.* River bull-head (*Cottus gobio*).
**Milliary,** *n.* Mile-stone.
**Million,** *n.* 1. A thousand thousand.
2. Very great number.
3. [*With the definite article.*] The multitude, the public, the masses, the great body of the people.

**Millionnaire,** *n.* Nabob, Crœsus, Dives, capitalist, very rich person, person of great wealth.
**Mill-tooth,** *n.* Molar-grinder.
**Milt,** *n.* 1. (*Anat.*) Spleen.
2. Semen (*of fishes*), sperm, soft roe.

**Milter,** *n.* Male fish.
**Mime,** *n.* Mimic.
**Mimetic,** } *a.* Imitative, mimic.
**Mimetical,** }
**Mimic,** } *a.* 1. Imitative, mimetic, mimetical.
**Mimical,** } 2. Imitated.
**Mimic,** *v. a.* Ape, imitate, mock, counterfeit.
**Mimic,** *n.* Mime.
**Minacious,** *a.* Threatening, menacing, minatory.
**Minaret,** *n.* Turret (*of a Mahometan mosque*).
**Minatory,** *a.* Threatening, menacing, minacious.
**Mince,** *v. a.* 1. Hash, cut into small pieces, chop fine.
2. Extenuate, palliate, be mealy-mouthed about, be reserved in speaking of.

**Mince,** *v. n.* Affect delicacy.
**Mince-meat,** } *a.* Chopped meat.
**Minced-meat,** }
**Mince-pie,** *n.* Meat-pie.
**Mincing,** *a.* Affected, over-nice.
**Mind,** *n.* 1. Soul, spirit, inner man.
2. Intellect, understanding, reason, sense, brains, thinking principle, intellectual powers, common-sense, intellectual faculties.
3. Disposition, cast of thought.
4. Inclination, disposition, will, wish, liking, desire, intention, purpose, choice, intent, affection.
5. Belief, opinion, thought, sentiment, reflection, contemplation, consideration, judgment.
6. Memory, remembrance, recollection.
7. Courage, spirit.

**Mind,** *v. a.* 1. Notice, note, heed, regard, mark, attend to, take notice of, pay attention to, give heed to, fix the mind on.
2. Obey, be obedient to, attend to, regard with submission, observe.
3. (*Poetical.*) Remind, put in mind.

**Mind,** *v. n.* Mean, design, incline, intend, be inclined, be disposed.
**Mindful of.** Regardful of, heedful of, observant of, attentive to, thoughtful of.
**Mindless,** *a.* 1. Destitute of mind.
2. Stupid, unthinking, dull, heavy, senseless, sluggish, insensible.
3. Regardless, careless, heedless, forgetful, neglectful, negligent.

**Mine,** *v. a.* 1. Sap, undermine.
2. Ruin, destroy (*secretly*).

**Mineral,** *n.* Inorganic body.
**Mineral oil.** Petroleum, mineral tar, rock oil, stone oil, Barbadoes tar, Seneca oil.
**Mineral pitch.** Asphaltum, native bitumen, Jew's pitch.
**Mineral tar.** See MINERAL OIL.
**Minever,** *n.* [Written also *Meniver*, *Miniver*, and *Minifer*.] Ermine, white stoat.
**Mingle,** *v. a.* 1. Mix, intermix, commingle, intermingle, compound, blend, combine, join, commix.
2. Confound, confuse, jumble.
3. Contaminate, alloy.

**Miniature,** *n.* Small portrait, reduced scale.
**Miniature,** *a.* Little, small, diminutive, tiny.
**Minikin,** *a.* Small, little, diminutive, wee, tiny, pygmy, pygmean, Liliputian, dwarfish.
**Minim,** *n.* 1. Dwarf.
2. Drop, sixtieth part of a drachm.
3. (*Mus.*) Two crotchets, half a semibreve.
4. Minnow.
5. Minion, a small type.

**Minimum,** *n.* Least quantity, least part.
**Mining,** *a.* 1. Burrowing.
2. Insidious, subtle.

**Minion,** *n.* Favorite (*in an ill sense*), creature, dependant, parasite, hanger-on.
**Minister,** *n.* 1. Servant, subordinate, agent, underling, assistant.
2. Administrator (*of executive authority*), executive officer (*of a sovereign* or *of a government*), official.

3. Ambassador, envoy, plenipotentiary, delegate.
4. Clergyman, divine, priest, parson, ecclesiastic, churchman, pastor.

**Minister,** *v. a.* Furnish, afford, supply, administer, give.

**Minister,** *v. n.* 1. Serve, perform service, do service, officiate, attend, administer.
2. Aid, help, assist, succor, give assistance to, supply with what is needed, contribute.

**Ministerial,** *a.* 1. Attendant, subservient, subsidiary, conducive, assistant.
2. Executive, ambassadorial, official.
3. Sacerdotal, ecclesiastical, priestly, official, clerical.

**Ministration,** *n.* 1. Agency, instrumentality.
2. Service, ecclesiastical function.

**Ministry,** *n.* 1. Service, instrumentality, agency, aid, interposition, ministration, intervention.
2. Office of a clergyman, ecclesiastical function.
3. Cabinet, council, administration, body of ministers.
4. Administration, ministry.

**Minium,** *n.* Red lead, red oxide of lead.

**Mink,** *n.* Minx, North-American pole-cat, minx-otter, vison-otter, vison-weasel (*Mustela vison*).

**Minnow,** *n.* Minim, pink (*Leuciscus phoxinus*).

**Minor,** *a.* 1. Less, smaller.
2. Inferior, subordinate.
3. Inconsiderable, petty, unimportant, small.

**Minor,** / **Minorite,** *n.* Franciscan friar.

**Minority,** *n.* 1. Nonage, pupilage.
2. Smaller number.

**Minster,** *n.* Cathedral church.

**Minstrel,** *n.* Musician, singer, bard.

**Minstrelsy,** *n.* Music, melody, harmony, song.

**Mint,** *v. a.* 1. Coin, stamp (*as money*).
2. Invent, forge, fabricate, fashion, produce.

**Minus,** *a.* 1. Less.
2. Negative.

**Minute,** *a.* 1. Little, slender, diminutive, fine, very small, tiny.
2. Circumstantial, particular, critical, precise, exact, detailed.

**Minute,** *n.* 1. Sixtieth part of an hour, sixty seconds.
2. Sixtieth part of a degree.
3. Note, memorandum.

**Minute,** *v. a.* Note, take a note of, jot down.

**Minutiæ,** *n. pl* [L.] Minute particulars, minor details.

**Minx,** *n.* 1. See MINK.
2. Hussy, jade, quean, baggage, pert girl, wanton girl.
3. She-puppy.

**Miracle,** *n.* Marvel, wonder, prodigy.

**Miraculous,** *a.* 1. Supernatural.
2. Wonderful, extraordinary, passing strange, very strange, unaccountable, incredible.

**Mire,** *n.* Mud, ooze, slime.

**Mire,** *v. n.* Sink in mud.

**Mirk,** *n.* Darkness, gloom.

**Mirk,** / **Mirky,** *a.* Dark, gloomy. See MURKY.

**Mirror,** *n.* 1. Reflector, looking-glass.
2. Speculum.
3. Pattern, model, exemplar, example, prototype, archetype, paragon.

**Mirror,** *v. a.* Reflect.

**Mirth,** *n.* Merriment, hilarity, jollity, joviality, gayety, merry-making, sport, fun, joyousness, gladness, frolic, glee, festivity, laughter.

**Mirthful,** *a.* 1. Merry, jovial, gay, lively, festive, joyful, joyous, cheery, hilarious, cheerful, jocund, vivacious, jolly, playful, sportive, frolicsome.
2. Funny, comic, droll, merry, jocose, jocular, humorous, sportive, witty, facetious, waggish, ludicrous.

**Miry,** *a.* Muddy, slimy.

**Misacceptation,** *n.* Misunderstanding, misconception, misapprehension.

**Misadventure,** *n.* Mischance, mishap, misfortune, reverse, ill luck, disaster, calamity, infelicity, cross.

**Misanthrope,** *n.* Man-hater, cynic, misanthropist.

**Misapply,** *v. a.* Misemploy, abuse, pervert, make an ill use of, misuse, misimprove.

**Misapprehend,** *v. a.* Misunderstand, misconceive, mistake.

**Misbecoming,** *a.* Unbecoming, unseemly, improper, indecorous.

**Misbehaved,** *a.* Ill-bred, rude, unmannerly, impolite, uncivil.

**Misbehavior,** *n.* Misconduct, miscarriage, ill conduct, ill behavior.

**Miscalculate,** *v. a.* Misreckon, miscast, miscompute, miscount, misestimate.

**Miscall,** *v. a.* Misname, misterm.

**Miscarriage,** *n.* 1. Failure, mishap, mischance, defeat, non-success.
2. Misconduct, misbehavior, ill conduct, ill behavior.
3. (*Med.*) Untimely birth, premature birth.

**Miscarry,** *v. n.* 1. Fail, be unsuccessful, be defeated.
2. Go wrong, fail.

**Miscegenation,** *n.* [*Recent.*] Amalgamation of races.

**Miscellaneous,** *a.* Diversified, various, promiscuous, mixed, mingled, heterogeneous, stromatic.

**Miscellany,** *n.* Mixture, medley, diversity, variety, olio, farrago, salmagundi, hodge-podge, hotch-potch, mish-mash, jumble, gallimaufry, miscellaneous collection, *mélange*.

**Mischance,** *n.* Misfortune, mishap, ill luck, misadventure, calamity, ill fortune, infelicity, disaster.

**Mischief,** *n.* 1. Evil, ill, harm, injury, damage, hurt, detriment, disadvantage, prejudice.
2. Trouble, misfortune, ill consequence, evil.
3. Wrong-doing.

**Mischievous,** *a.* 1. Hurtful, injurious, detrimental, pernicious, destructive, noxious, harmful.
2. Vicious, wicked, sinful, malicious.
3. Troublesome, vexatious, annoying, naughty.

**Misconceit,** *n.* Misconception, misapprehension, misunderstanding, mistake.

**Misconceive,** *v. a.* Misapprehend, misunderstand, misjudge, mistake.

**Misconduct,** *n.* 1. Misbehavior, ill conduct, bad conduct.
2. Mismanagement, ill management.

**Misconduct,** *v. a.* Mismanage, manage ill.

**Misconstrue,** *v. a.* 1. Mistranslate, misrender.
2. Misinterpret, misapprehend, misjudge, misunderstand.

**Miscreant,** *n.* Villain, scoundrel, knave, rascal, rogue, scamp, vile wretch, caitiff.

**Misdate,** *n.* Anachronism.

**Misdeed,** *n.* Transgression, trespass, offence, delinquency, misdemeanor, fault, misdoing, crime, evil deed.

**Misdemeanor,** *n.* Transgression, trespass, fault, misdeed, ill behavior, misconduct, misbehavior, offence.

**Misdoer,** *n.* Offender, criminal, malefactor.

**Misdoing,** *n.* Offence, misdeed, fault.

**Misdoubt,** *n.* 1. Suspicion.
2. Irresolution, hesitation.

**Misemploy,** *v. a.* Misuse, misapply, pervert, abuse, make an ill use of.

**Misemployment,** *n.* Misuse, abuse, misapplication.

**Miser,** *n.* Niggard, curmudgeon, hunks, skinflint, lickpenny, churl, sordid wretch, money-grubber, screw, scrimp, pinch-fist.

**Miserable,** *a.* 1. Unhappy (*as respects the condition of the mind*), wretched, distressed, afflicted, comfortless, disconsolate, forlorn, broken-hearted, heart-broken.
2. Wretched, pitiable, calamitous, unfortunate, unlucky, ill-starred, unhappy, hapless.
3. Worthless, valueless, very poor (*in quality*).
4. Low, mean, abject, despicable, contemptible, worthless.

**Miserly,** *a.* Covetous, avaricious, niggardly, sordid, stingy, parsimonious, penurious, close, mean, close-fisted.

**Misery,** *n.* 1. Distress, wretchedness, woe, tribulation, desolation, sorrow, grief, affliction, heartache, heavy heart, bleeding heart, broken heart, great unhappiness, suffering, anguish, torment.
2. Distress, suffering, wretchedness, agony, torture, torment, anguish.
3. Calamity, misfortune, disaster, evil.

**Misestimate,** *v. a.* See MISCALCULATE.

**Misfortune,** *n.* Disaster, calamity, reverse, affliction, visitation, trial, blow, stroke, adversity, distress, hardship, trouble, ill luck, ill fortune, mishap, mischance, misadventure, ill, harm.

**Misgiving,** *n.* Doubt, distrust, suspicion, want of confidence, hesitation.

**Misgoverned,** *a.* 1. Ill-governed.
2. Rude, unrestrained, rough, lawless, ungoverned.

**Misgovernment,** *n.* 1. Maladministration, misgovernment.
2. Irregularity, loose conduct, licentiousness, disorder.

**Misguide,** *v. a.* Mislead, misdirect.

**Mishap,** *n.* Misfortune, mischance, misadventure, calamity, ill luck, accident, disaster.

**Mish-mash,** *n.* Mixture, medley, miscellany, hotch-potch, mingle, *mélange*.

**Misinterpret,** *v. a.* Misconstrue, explain wrongly, put a wrong construction on, put a false construction on, give a false coloring to.

**Misjudge,** *v. a.* Mistake, misapprehend, misunderstand, misconceive.

**Mislay,** *v. a.* 1. Misplace.
2. Lose.

**Misle,** *v. n.* [Written also *Mistle* and *Mizzle*.] Drizzle, mist, rain in imperceptible drops.

**Mislead,** *v. a.* Delude, deceive, guide astray, misguide.

**Mislike,** *v. a.* Dislike, disapprove of.

**Mislike,** *n.* Dislike, disapprobation, aversion.

**Mismanage,** *v. a.* Misconduct, manage ill, make a mess of, make a botch of, make sad work of.

**Mismanagement,** *n.* Bad management, ill management, ill conduct, misrule.

**Misname,** *v. a.* Miscall, misterm.

**Misnomer,** *n.* 1. (*Law.*) Misnaming, mistaking of the true name (*of a person*).
2. Wrong name, inapplicable title, misapplied term.

**Misogynist,** *n.* Woman-hater.

**Misprision,** *n.* 1. Mistake, misconception, misunderstanding.
2. (*Law.*) Neglect, negligence, contempt.
3. Neglect, oversight, mistake.

**Misprize,** *v. a.* Undervalue, underrate, underestimate, slight, hold cheap.

**Misreckon,** *v. a.* See MISCALCULATE.

**Misrender,** *v. a.* Misconstrue, mistranslate.

**Misrepresent,** *v. a.* Misstate, falsify.

**Misrepresentation,** *n.* Misstatement, falsification.

**Misrule,** *n.* 1. Mismanagement, misgovernment, maladministration.
2. Disorder, anarchy, confusion, tumult, riot.

**Miss,** *v. a.* 1. Fail to hit, fail to reach, fail of hitting, fail of reaching.
2. Lose, fail of finding.
3. Forego, pass by, leave out, go without, omit, dispense with.
4. Feel the want of, feel the loss of, require, want, desiderate.

**Miss,** *v. n.* 1. Fail to hit, fall short, miss one's aim, fly wide.
2. Fail, miscarry, not succeed, come to nothing, end in smoke.
3. Fail, mistake, err, trip, slip, fall.

**Miss,** *n.* 1. Blunder, slip, trip, oversight, failure, fault, mistake, error, omission.
2. Loss, want, felt absence.
3. Girl, lass, maiden, damsel, maid, young lady.
4. Spinster, unmarried woman, maiden, maid.

**Missal,** *n.* Mass-book, prayer-book, service-book.

**Misshapen,** *a.* Ill-shaped, ill-formed, deformed, ugly, misproportioned, ungainly, misformed.

**Missile,** *n.* Projectile.

**Missile,** *a.* Missive, to be thrown.

**Missing,** *a.* Lost, wanting, absent.

**Mission,** *n.* 1. Commission, legation.
2. Charge, business, errand, office, duty, commission, trust.
3. Delegation, embassy, deputation, legation.
4. Missionary station.

**Mission,** *v. a.* Commission, despatch, send forth.

**Missionary,** *n.* Evangelist.

**Missish,** *a.* Prim, affected, lackadaisical.

**Missive,** *a.* 1. To be sent, fit for sending, expedited.
2. Missile to be thrown.

**Missive,** *n.* Letter, message, communication.

**Miss of.** Fail to find, lose.

**Misspend,** *v. a.* Squander, misuse, waste, fool away, fritter away, muddle away, spend foolishly.

**Misstate,** *v. a.* Misrepresent, falsify, state wrongly.

**Misstatement,** *n.* Misrepresentation, falsification, wrong statement.

**Misstep,** *n.* Wrong step, false step.

**Mist,** *n.* 1. Fog, haze, cloud.
2. Obscurity, bewilderment, perplexity, haze.

**Mist,** *v. a.* Cloud, cover with mist.

**Mist,** *v. n.* Mizzle, drizzle.

**Mistake,** *v. a.* 1. Misapprehend, misunderstand, misconceive, misjudge.
2. Take (*one for another*), confound.
3. Mischoose, take in error.

**Mistake,** *v. n.* Err, make a mistake, be at fault, be wide of the mark, be on the wrong scent.

**Mistake,** *n.* 1. Misapprehension, misunderstanding, misconception, mistaking.
2. Blunder, error, slip, fault, trip, oversight.

**Mistaken,** *a.* 1. Erroneous, incorrect, wrong.
2. Wrong, in error.

**Misterm,** *v. a.* Miscall, misname, mistitle.

**Mistily,** *ad.* Darkly, obscurely, cloudily.

**Mistiness,** *n.* Obscurity, fog, cloudiness.

**Mistranslate,** *v. a.* Misconstrue, misrender, misinterpret.

**Mistreat,** *v. a.* Maltreat, abuse, misuse, ill-treat.

**Mistreatment,** *n.* Wrong, abuse, maltreatment.

**Mistress,** *n.* 1. Female head, female sovereign, governess.
2. Instructress, female teacher, dame, governess.
3. Sweetheart, flame.
4. Concubine, paramour.
5. Goodwife, matron, madam.

**Mistrust,** *n.* Distrust, suspicion, doubt, misgiving, want of confidence.

**Mistrust,** *v. a.* I. Distrust, doubt, suspect, be suspicious of.
2. Fear, apprehend, suspect, surmise.
**Mistrustful,** *a.* Distrustful, suspicious, doubting.
**Misty,** *a.* Obscure, dim, clouded.
**Misunderstand,** *v. a.* Misapprehend, misconceive, mistake.
**Misunderstanding,** *n.* I. Misapprehension, misconception, error.
2. Difference, disagreement, dissension, quarrel, difficulty.
**Misuse,** *v. a.* I. Misemploy, misapply, desecrate, profane, pervert, put to a wrong use.
2. Abuse, maltreat, ill-treat, ill-use.
3. Waste, squander, fool away, fritter away, muddle away, spend foolishly.
**Misuse,** *n.* I. Abuse, perversion, prostitution, profanation.
2. Abuse, ill-treatment, misusage, ill-usage, ill-use.
3. Misapplication, erroneous use.
**Mite,** *n.* Particle, atom, monad, corpuscle, molecule.
**Mitigate,** *v. a.* I. Moderate, alleviate, assuage, abate, lessen.
2. Appease, soothe, soften, mollify, pacify, quiet, still, calm, quell, allay.
3. Moderate, temper, attemper.
4. Diminish, lessen, abate.
**Mitigation,** *n.* Alleviation, moderation, relief, abatement, diminution.
**Mitigative,** *a.* Lenitive, lenient, soothing, mollifying, assuaging, assuasive, emollient, mild.
**Mix,** *v. a.* I. Mingle, commingle, commix, unite, combine, blend, amalgamate, compound, incorporate.
2. Join, associate, unite with.
**Mix,** *v. n.* I. Be mixed, be blended.
2. Be joined, mingle, be associated with.
**Mixed,** *a.* I. Mingled, blended, joined, associated.
2. Promiscuous, of various kinds.
**Mixture,** *n.* I. Union, association, admixture, intermixture.
2. Compound, medley, olio, farrago, salmagundi, hotch-potch, gallimaufry, hodge-podge, olla-podrida.
3. Miscellany, variety, diversity.
**Mizmaze,** *n.* Maze, labyrinth.
**Mizzen,** *a.* (*Naut.*) Hindmost.
**Mizzle,** *v. n.* [Written also *Misle* and *Mistle.*] Rain (*in small drops*), drizzle, mist.
**Mnemonic,** *a.* I. Of the memory.
2. For the help of the memory, to assist the memory.
**Mnemonics,** *n.* See MEMORIA TECHNICA.
**Moan,** *v. a.* (*Poetical.*) Lament, deplore, mourn, bemoan, bewail, weep for, grieve for.
**Moan,** *v. n.* Grieve, mourn, make lamentation.
**Moat,** *n.* Ditch, fosse, graff.
**Mob,** *n.* I. Tumultuous rabble, rude multitude, lawless crowd.
2. Populace, riff-raff, lower orders, vulgar herd, scum of society, dregs of the people, ragtag-and-bobtail, *canaille.*
3. Mob-cap.
**Mobbish,** *a.* Tumultuous, mean, vulgar.
**Mob-cap,** *n.* Mob.
**Mobile,** *a.* I. Movable.
2. Expressive, sensitive.
3. Changeable, fickle, inconstant, volatile, variable.
**Mobility,** *n.* I. Susceptibility of motion.
2. Aptitude to motion, activity, nimbleness.
3. Changeableness, fickleness, inconstancy, mutability, volatility.
**Mob-law,** *n.* Lynch-law, club-law.
**Mock,** *v. a.* I. Ape, mimic, imitate, counterfeit, take off.
2. Deride, ridicule, gibe, jeer, taunt, flout, insult, scout, chaff, laugh at, make game of, make fun of, treat with contempt, treat with scorn, make a butt of.
3. Illude, deceive, disappoint, balk, cheat, dupe, fool, tantalize, delude, defeat, mislead, elude.
4. Defy, set at nought.
**Mock,** *a.* False, counterfeit, pretended, feigned, assumed, sham, spurious, clap-trap, make-believe.
**Mock,** *n.* Ridicule, derision, gibe, jeer, sneer.
**Mocker,** *n.* I. Scoffer, scorner, derider, railer, despiser, jeerer.
2. Deceiver, impostor, cheat.
**Mockery,** *n.* I. Ridicule, derision, scorn, jeering, contemptuous mimicry.
2. Sport, subject of ridicule.
3. Show, imitation, counterfeit.
4. Vain effort, fruitless labor.
**Mock-lead,** *n.* [*Term used by miners.*] Blende, mock-ore, zinc-blende, sulphuret of zinc, false galena, black-jack.
**Mock-nightingale,** *n.* Black-cap warbler, black-cap (*Currica atricapilla*).
**Mock-sun,** *n.* Parhelion, sundog, meteor.
**Mode,** *n.* I. Way (*viewed practically*), method, manner, style, fashion.
2. Fashion, custom, prevailing style.
3. Modification, quality, affection, accident, degree, gradation, variety.
**Model,** *n.* I. Pattern, prototype, archetype, mould, protoplast, original, type, design.
2. Pattern, example.
3. Standard, gauge.
4. Copy.
5. Image, copy, facsimile, imitation, representation.
6. Mould.
**Model,** *v. a.* Shape, mould, form, plan, fashion, design.
**Moderate,** *a.* I. Temperate, sparing, frugal.
2. Mediocre.
3. Reasonable, judicious, deliberate, cool, mild, calm, steady.
4. Temperate, mild, gentle.
5. Limited.
6. Reasonable, just.
**Moderate,** *v. a.* I. Assuage, soothe, allay, mitigate, soften, mollify, appease, quiet, quell, still, pacify, repress, subdue, abate, reduce, lessen, dull, blunt.
2. Temper, qualify, attemper, diminish.
3. Control, regulate, govern, repress.
**Moderation,** *n.* I. Temperance, frugality, sobriety, forbearance, restraint.
2. Calmness, coolness, deliberateness, sedateness, mildness, equanimity, composure.
**Moderator,** *n.* Chairman, president, presiding officer, regulator, conductor, manager.
**Modern,** *a.* Recent, late, new, novel, fresh, present.
**Modest,** *a.* I. Unpretending, unobtrusive, unassuming, retiring, unostentatious.
2. Chaste, pure, virtuous.
3. Moderate, decent, becoming, proper.
**Modesty,** *n.* I. Unobtrusiveness, retiring disposition, freedom from presumption.
2. Chastity, purity, decency.
3. Moderation, decency, propriety.
**Modicum,** *n.* Little, trifle, small quantity.
**Modification,** *n.* I. Alteration, variation, qualification, change.
2. Form, mode, state, manner.

**Modify,** *v. a.* I. Shape, alter, change, vary, give a new form to.
2. Moderate, qualify, soften, lower.
**Modish,** *a.* I. Fashionable, stylish.
2. Conventional, ceremonious.
**Modulate,** *v. a.* I. Attune, harmonize, tune.
2. Inflect (*as the voice*), vary in tune and accentuation.
3. Proportion, adjust, adapt.
**Modus operandi.** [L.] Process, way, method, mode of operation, way of doing, manner of operating.
**Mohammedan,** *n.* Mahometan, Mussulman, Moslem.
**Mohammedanism,** *n.* Mahometanism, Islamism, Islam.
**Moiety,** *n.* I. Half.
2. Portion, share, part.
**Moil,** *v. a.* I. Daub, spot, soil, defile, splash, bespatter, stain.
2. Fatigue, weary, tire.
**Moil,** *v. n.* Labor, toil, drudge.
**Moist,** *a.* Damp, humid, dank, wet.
**Moisten,** *v. a.* Dampen, damp.
**Moisture,** *n.* Dampness, humidity, wetness.
**Molar,** *n.* Grinder, grinding-tooth, molar tooth, double tooth, mill-tooth.
**Mole,** *n.* I. Jetty, pier, breakwater, mound, dike.
2. (*Zoöl.*) Mouldwarp, molewarp.
**Mole-cricket,** *n.* Churr-worm, jarr-worm, eve-churr, earth-crab, fen-cricket (*Gryllotalpa vulgaris*).
**Molecular,** *a.* Corpuscular.
**Molecule,** *n.* Atom, ultimate particle (*of an element*), indivisible particle, monad.
**Mole-eyed,** *a.* Blind, purblind, myopic, short-sighted, near-sighted.
**Molest,** *v. a.* Disturb, trouble, annoy, vex, tease, incommode, discommode, inconvenience, harass, worry, plague, bore, torment, bother, pester, harry, badger, irritate, fret, chafe, hector, gull, disturb, disquiet, oppress.
**Molewarp,** *n.* Mole, mouldwarp, mould-turner.
**Mollify,** *v. a.* I. Soften, make soft.
2. Appease, pacify, compose, soothe, tranquillize, calm, quiet.
3. Assuage, mitigate, moderate, ease, allay, abate, temper, attemper, relieve, lessen, dull, blunt.
4. Qualify, tone down, moderate.
**Mollusca,** *n. pl.* See MOLLUSKS.
**Molluskes,** *n. pl.* Shell-fish (*with thick entire shells, like the clam*), testacea, testaceans.
**Moment,** *n.* I. Instant, second, trice, flash, jiffy, twinkling, twinkling of an eye, point of time.
2. Importance, consequence, weight, significance, value, import, force, consideration, avail, signification, gravity.
3. Momentum, impulsive power, impetus, force.
4. Element, factor, constituent, essential circumstance, deciding point.
**Momentarily,** *ad.* Momently, every moment.
**Momentary,** *a.* Instantaneous.
**Momently,** *ad.* Momentarily, every moment.
**Momentous,** *a.* Important, weighty, significant, grave, serious, of importance, of great consequence.
**Momentum,** *n.* [L.] I. Impetus, moment.
2. Constituent, essential element, moment.
**Monachism,** *n.* Monkery, monasticism, monastic life.
**Monad,** *n.* I. Atom, molecule, ultimate particle, indivisible particle.
2. (*Zoöl.*) Minute animacule.
**Monarch,** *n.* I. Autocrat, despot.
2. Sovereign, king, emperor, potentate, prince ruler, chief.
3. Superior.
4. President, patron deity, presiding genius.
**Monarch,** *a.* Supreme, ruling, sovereign, monarchal, pre-eminent.
**Monarchic,** } *a.* Kingly, royal, regal, imperial,
**Monarchical,** } sovereign.
**Monarchy,** *n.* I. Kingdom, empire.
2. Kingship, empire, rule.
**Monastery,** *n.* Convent, cloister, abbey, priory, nunnery.
**Monastic,** } *a.* I. Monkish, monachal, con-
**Monastical,** } ventual, cenobitic, cenobitical.
2. Secluded, recluse.
**Monasticism,** *n.* Monastic life, monachism.
**Monde,** *n.* I. World.
2. Society, people of the world.
**Monetary,** *a.* Pecuniary.
**Money,** *n.* I. Coin (or *its representative*), cash, circulating medium, standard of value, currency.
2. Wealth, riches.
**Money-broker,** *n.* Money-changer, money-dealer.
**Money-chest,** *n.* Coffer, safe, strong-box.
**Moneyed,** *a.* [Written also *Monied.*] Rich, wealthy, affluent, opulent, well off, well to do.
**Moneymaking,** *a.* Lucrative, profitable, gainful.
**Moneywort,** *n.* Creeping loosestrife (*Lysimachia nummularia*).
**Monger,** *n.* (*Rare except in composition.*) Dealer, trader, trafficker.
**Mongrel,** *a.* [Written also *Mungrel.*] Hybrid.
**Monition,** *n.* I. Warning, admonition, counsel.
2. Information, indication, advice, hint, notice, intimation.
**Monitor,** *n.* I. Adviser, counsellor, mentor, admonisher, warner.
2. Overseer (*in a school*).
**Monitory,** *a.* Warning, admonishing.
**Monkery,** *n.* Monachism, monasticism.
**Monkfish,** *n.* Angel-fish, kingston, kingstone, shark-ray (*Squatina angelus*).
**Monk's-hood,** *n.* Aconite, wolfsbane (*Aconitum uncinatum*).
**Monoclinous,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Hermaphrodite.
**Monocracy,** *n.* Autocracy, monarchy.
**Monologue,** *n.* Soliloquy.
**Monomachy,** *n.* Duel, single combat.
**Monomania,** *n.* Hallucination, illusion, delusion, self-deception, partial insanity, insanity on one subject.
**Monopolize,** *v. a.* Forestall, engross, engross the whole of.
**Monopoly,** *n.* Exclusive possession.
**Monospermous,** *a.* (*Bot.*) One-seeded.
**Monotone,** *n.* I. Single tone, unvaried sound.
2. Sameness *or* uniformity of tone, monotony.
**Monotonous,** *a.* Uniform, unvaried.
**Monotony,** *n.* Uniformity, sameness, tedium, want of variety.
**Monsieur,** *n.* I. Sir, Mr.
2. French prince.
3. Frenchman, Johnny Crapaud (*in contempt* or *ridicule*).
**Monster,** *n.* I. Prodigy, enormity, marvel, wonder.
2. Prodigy, monstrosity, moon-calf, unnatural production.
3. Ruffian, wretch, miscreant, villain, demon, brute, fiend.
**Monstrosity,** *n.* I. Monstrousness.
2. Prodigy, monster.
**Monstrous,** *a.* I. Unnatural, preternatural, abnormal, prodigious.
2. Huge, enormous, immense, vast, colossal, stupendous, extraordinary, prodigious.
3. Wonderful, marvellous, strange, prodigious.

4. Shocking, horrible, frightful, hateful, hideous, dreadful, terrible.

**Monstrously,** *ad.* 1. Shockingly, terribly, hideously, horribly, unnaturally.

2. Enormously, extravagantly, excessively.

**Montoir,** *n.* [Fr.] Horse-block.

**Monument,** *n.* 1. Memorial, testimonial, remembrancer, record.

2. Tomb, gravestone, cenotaph.

**Monumental,** *a.* 1. Of a monument.

2. Memorial, commemorative.

**Mood,** *n.* Temper, humor, disposition, vein, frame of mind.

**Moody,** *a.* 1. Humorsome, capricious, variable.

2. Angry, petulant, irritable, irascible, passionate, snappish, pettish, sour, crusty, crabbed, waspish, captious, snarling, peevish, testy, fretful, ill-tempered, out of humor, out of temper.

3. Sullen, perverse, wayward, sulky, humorsome, glum, grum, glowering, morose, spleeny, frowning, stubborn, dogged, intractable, cross-grained.

4. Gloomy, melancholy, sad, pensive, abstracted, saturnine.

**Moon,** *n.* 1. Satellite, secondary planet.

2. Month, lunation.

**Moon-calf,** *n.* 1. Monster, deformed creature.

2. Blockhead, simpleton, fool, dunce, dolt.

**Moonish,** *a.* Variable, fickle, flighty, changeable, inconstant.

**Moonlight,** *n.* Moonshine.

**Moon-shaped,** *a.* Crescent-shaped.

**Moonshine,** *n.* 1. Moonlight.

2. Nonsense, trash, stuff, twaddle, fudge, flummery, balderdash, pretence, fiction, empty show, fustian, vanity.

**Moonstricken,** } *a.* Lunatic, simple, foolish, idi-
**Moonstruck,** } otic, hazy, silly, bewildered.

**Moor,** *n.* 1. Heath, extensive waste.

2. Mauritanian.

3. Blackamoor, negro, colored person.

**Moor,** *v. a.* Secure, fasten, fix firmly.

**Moor-buzzard,** *n.* Harpy, duck-hawk, marsh-harrier (*Circus æruginosus*).

**Moor-cock,** *n.* Gorcock, red grouse, moor-fowl, moor-game, red ptarmigan, red game (*Lagopus Scoticus*).

**Moor-hen,** *n.* Gallinule, water-hen, spotted crake (*Gallinula chloropus*, or *Crex porzana*).

**Moorish,** *a* Moresque, arabesque.

**Moory,** *a.* Moorish, marshy, fenny, boggy, watery.

**Moose,** *n.* Elk, moose-deer (*Cervus alces* or *Alces malchis*).

**Moose-deer,** *n.* See Moose

**Moot,** *v. a.* Debate, discuss, dispute, argue, agitate.

**Mooted,** } *a.* Debatable, disputable, disputed, un-
**Moot,** } settled, in question.

**Mop-board,** *n.* Skirting, wash-board, skirting-board, surbase.

**Mope,** *v. n.* 1. Be sad, be gloomy, be dejected, look downcast, look blue, wear a long face.

2. Be dull, be listless, be stupid, take no interest in anything, be spiritless, be gloomy.

**Mope-eyed,** *a.* Short-sighted, purblind, myopic, mopsical.

**Mopish,** *a.* 1. Sad, gloomy, downcast, dejected, depressed, desponding, down-hearted, chap-fallen, melancholy, dumpish, glum, hipped, blue, cast down, in the dumps, with a long face, down in the mouth, out o. sorts.

2. Dull, spiritless, listless, inattentive, stupid.

**Moppet,** } *n.* 1. Rag-baby.
**Mopsey,** } 2. Woolly dog.

**Moral,** *a.* 1. Ethical, of morals, of ethics, regarding duties, touching obligations.

2. Accountable, bound by duty, bound to do what is right.

3. Virtuous, good, just, upright, honest, honorable.

4. Mental, intellectual, abstract, ideal.

5. Right, just, virtuous.

6. Probable, not demonstrative.

**Moral,** *n.* 1. Practical application (*of a fable, etc.*).

2. Practical lesson (*of any event*).

3. Intent, meaning, significance.

**Moral faculty.** Conscience, sense of right and wrong, moral sense.

**Moralist,** *n.* Moral philosopher.

**Morality,** *n.* 1. Morals, ethics, moral philosophy.

2. Virtue, goodness, honesty, integrity, honor.

**Morally,** *ad.* 1. Ethically.

2. Virtuously, uprightly, honestly, honorably.

3. Virtually, practically.

**Morals,** *n. pl.* 1. Morality, ethics, moral philosophy.

2. Conduct, behavior, habits, manners, course of life.

**Morass,** *n.* Marsh, fen, bog, quagmire, swamp, slough.

**Morbid,** *a.* Diseased, sickly, unsound, sick, unhealthy, tainted, vitiated, corrupted.

**Morbific,** *a.* Noxious, deleterious, unwholesome, unhealthy, pestilential, poisonous, baneful.

**Morceau,** *n.* [Fr.] Bit, morsel, small piece.

**Mordacious,** *a.* 1. Biting.

2. Biting, pungent, stinging, cutting, sharp, mordant, acrid, mordicant.

3. Poignant, caustic, sarcastic, satirical, severe, scathing.

**Mordant,** *a.* Biting, mordacious, keen, caustic, sarcastic, severe, satirical, nipping.

**More,** *a.* 1. Greater degree of, greater amount of.

2. In greater numbers.

3. Added, additional, other, besides.

**More,** *ad.* 1. To a greater degree.

2. Again, further, besides, in addition.

**More,** *n.* 1. Greater degree, greater quantity.

2. Else, other thing.

**Moreover,** *conj.* and *ad.* Besides, further, also, likewise, too, furthermore, more than that, over and above that.

**Moreak,** } *a.* Moorish, arabesque, morisco.
**Moresque,** }

**Morgue,** *n.* Dead-house.

**Moribund,** *a.* Dying, at the point of death, on one's death-bed, at death's door, with one foot in the grave, at the last gasp.

**Morion,** *n.* Helmet, helm, head-piece, burganet.

**Mormon,** *n.* 1. (*Zoöl.*) Colter-neb, Labrador auk, common puffin (*Fratercula Arctica*).

2. Mormonite. Latter-day Saint.

**Mormonite,** *n.* Mormon, Latter-day Saint.

**Morn,** *n.* (*Poetical.*) See Morning.

**Morning,** *n.* 1. Dawn, daybreak, aurora, sunrise, break of day, peep of day, prime of day, first blush of the morning.

2. Forenoon, early part of the day.

3. Early part, spring-time.

**Morning land.** East, Orient, Asia.

**Morning star.** Lucifer, Phosphorus, Phosphor, Venus.

**Morose,** *a.* Crabbed, sullen, churlish, sour, sulky, perverse, wayward, spleeny, spleenish, splenetic, humorsome, dogged, gloomy, moody, cross-grained, severe, austere, gruff, crusty, surly, ill-humored, ill-natured.

**Moroseness,** *n.* Crabbedness, sullenness, moodiness, churlishness, sourness, sulkiness, sulks, spleen, ill-temper.

**Morphia,** *n.* Morphine.

**Morphine,** *n.* 1. Morphia.

2. Sulphate of morphia.
**Morse,** *n.* Walrus, sea-horse (*Trichechus rosmarus*).
**Morsel,** *n.* 1. Bite, mouthful, bit of food.
2. Fragment, bit, little piece, *morceau.*
**Mortal,** *a.* 1. Subject to death, destined to die.
2. Deadly, fatal, destructive, mortiferous.
3. Vital, admitting death.
4. Final, death-bringing.
5. Human, of man.
6. (*Colloq.*) Extreme, immoderate, excessive, violent, vexing, tormenting.
7. (*Colloq.*) Long, tedious, wearisome.
**Mortal,** *ad.* (*Colloq.*) Extremely, excessively, very deadly.
**Mortal,** *n.* Man, human being.
**Mortal enemy.** } Inveterate, desperate, *or* im-
**Mortal foe.** } placable enemy.
**Mortality,** *n.* 1. Subjection to death, necessity of dying, mortalness.
2. Death, destruction.
3. Frequency of death, number of deaths, actual death of numbers.
4. Mankind, humanity, human nature, human race.
**Mortally,** *ad.* 1. In the manner of a mortal.
2. Irrecoverably, fatally, deadly.
3. (*Colloq.*) Extremely, excessively, intensely, inveterately, desperately.
**Mortar,** *n.* 1. Piece of ordnance for throwing bombs, mortar-piece.
2. Cement.
**Mortgage,** *n.* and *v. a.* Pledge (*for the payment of a debt*).
**Mortification,** *n.* 1. (*Med.*) Gangrene, sphacelus, necrosis.
2. Discontent, dissatisfaction, displeasure, vexation, chagrin, disappointment, humiliation, trouble, shame.
3. Humiliation, self-abasement, self-denial.
**Mortify,** *v. a.* 1. Gangrene.
2. Disappoint, dissatisfy, displease, vex, harass, plague, worry, disquiet, chagrin, annoy, trouble, humble, depress.
3. Humiliate, humble, shame, confound, abase, abash, put down, restrain, subdue.
**Mortify,** *v. n.* Gangrene, lose vitality, corrupt, putrefy, fester.
**Mortuary,** *n.* 1. Cemetery, graveyard, churchyard, burial-place, necropolis, burial-ground, city of the dead.
2. Dead-house, morgue.
**Mosaic,** } *a.* 1. Inlaid, tessellated.
**Mosaical,** } 2. Of Moses.
**Mosaic gold.** Ormolu.
**Moslem,** *n.* Mahometan, Mohammedan, Mussulman.
**Mosque,** *n.* Mahometan temple.
**Moss-agate,** *n.* Mocha-stone.
**Moss-bunker,** *n.* See MANHADEN.
**Moss-pink,** *n.* Ground-pink (*Phlox subulata*)
**Most,** *a.* 1. Greatest in quantity.
2. Greatest in number, most numerous.
**Most,** *ad.* In the greatest degree, mostly, chiefly, principally.
**Most,** *n.* 1. Greatest part, greatest number.
2. Utmost.
**Mostly,** *ad.* Mainly, chiefly, for the most part, for the greatest part.
**Most of all.** Especially, principally, chiefly, above all.
**Mot,** *n.* *Bon-mot*, pithy saying, witty saying, witticism.
**Mote,** *n.* Spot, speck, mite, particle, atom, corpuscle.
**Moth,** *n.* (*Ent.*) Miller.
**Mother,** *n.* 1. Female parent.
2. Dam (*applied to a beast*).
3. Generatrix, origin, spring, source.
4. Chief, head.
**Mother,** *a.* 1. Native, natural.
2. Originating.
**Mother Carey's chicken.** Stormy petrel (*Procellaria pelagica*).
**Motherly,** *a.* 1. Maternal.
2. Maternal, affectionate, kind, tender, parental.
**Mother-of-pearl,** *n.* Nacre.
**Mother-wit,** *n.* Native wit, common-sense.
**Mothery,** *a.* Concreted, slimy, dreggy, feculent.
**Motion,** *n.* 1. [Opposed to *Rest.*] Movement, action, passage, change of place.
2. Port, gait, air, appropriate motion.
3. Impulse, prompting, suggestion, mental act.
4. Proposition (*especially one made in a deliberative body*), proposal.
**Motionless,** *a.* Still, quiescent, stationary, unmoved, at rest, at a stand, stock still, standing still.
**Motive,** *n.* 1. Inducement, incentive, impulse, incitement, stimulus, spur, prompting, influence, reason, ground, consideration, cause, occasion, prime mover, why and wherefore.
2. (*Mus.*) Theme, subject, melody, *motivo.*
**Motley,** *a.* 1. Variegated, dappled, party-colored, mottled.
2. Heterogeneous, diversified, mingled, composite, mixed.
**Mottled,** *a.* Variegated, spotted, motley, speckled, dappled, piebald, of various colors.
**Mould,** *n.* 1. Loam.
2. Material, composing substance, matter.
3. Mustiness, mildew, mouldiness, mucor, blight, smut.
4. Iron-mould, iron-rust, rust.
5. Matrix, matrice
6. Form, shape, cast, fashion, character.
7. Pattern.
**Mould,** *v. a.* Form, shape, fashion, model.
**Moulder,** *v. n.* Crumble, perish, decay, turn to dust, fall into decay, fall to pieces, waste away.
**Mouldwarp,** *n.* Molewarp, mole.
**Mouldy,** *a.* Musty, mildewed, fusty, decaying.
**Moult,** *v. n.* Shed feathers, hair, etc., mew, mue.
**Moult,** *v. a.* Shed (*feathers, hair, etc.*), mew.
**Mound,** *n.* 1. Hillock, knoll, hill.
2. Rampart, bulwark, defence.
**Mount,** *n.* [*Used before a proper name and in poetry.*] Mountain, high hill.
**Mount,** *v. n.* 1. Rise, ascend, arise, uprise, soar, go up, rise on high.
2. Tower, rise, be built up.
3. Get on horseback.
4. Amount, attain in value, count up.
**Mount,** *v. a.* 1. Ascend, climb, scale, escalade, get upon.
2. Put *or* raise (*upon something*).
3. Embellish, cover with ornaments.
4. (*Mil.*) Carry, be furnished with.
5. Prepare, make ready.
6. Get upon, bestride.
**Mountain,** *n.* Mount, high hill, vast eminence.
**Mountain-ash,** *n.* [*European.*] Rowan-tree, quicken-tree, fowler's service-tree, quick-beam, roan-tree (*Pyrus aucuparia* or *Sorbus aucuparia*).
**Mountain-laurel,** *n.* Calico-bush, spoon-wood (*Kalmia latifolia*).
**Mountainous,** *a.* 1. Full of mountains, hilly.
2. Huge, enormous, tremendous, bulky.
**Mountebank,** *n.* Pretender, charlatan, empiric, quack, quack doctor.
**Mount guard.** Do duty as sentinel.

**Mourn,** *v. n.* Grieve, lament, be sorrowful.
**Mourn,** *v. a.* Deplore, lament, bewail, bemoan, grieve for, sorrow over.
**Mournful,** *a.* I. Sad, distressing, afflicting, afflictive, grievous, calamitous, lamentable, melancholy, deplorable, woful.
2. Sad, melancholy, lugubrious, doleful, sorrowful, heavy.
3. Sorrowful, sad, unhappy, melancholy, heavy-hearted.
**Mournfulness,** *n.* Sorrow, mourning, grief.
**Mourning,** *n.* I. Lamentation, sorrow, grief.
2. Weeds, symbol of sorrow.
**Mouse,** *v. n.* I. Catch mice.
2. Peer, search, pry about, look closely.
**Mouth,** *n.* I. Chaps, jaws, cavity between the jaws.
2. Aperture (*in a vessel for receiving or discharging anything*), opening, orifice.
3. Entrance (*as of a cave* or *a river*), inlet.
4. Cry, voice.
5. Oracle, mouthpiece, speaker, spokesman.
6. Grimace, wry face, mow.
**Mouth,** *v. n.* Vociferate, rant.
**Mouth-piece,** *n.* I. Piece (*in a wind instrument*) for the mouth.
2. Cigar-holder.
3. Speaker (*in behalf of several persons*), spokesman, mouth.
**Movable,** *a.* I. Portable.
2. Changeable.
**Movables,** *n. pl.* Goods, wares, effects, furniture, chattels, movable property.
**Move,** *v. a.* I. Impel, put in motion, stir, propel.
2. Incite, instigate, rouse, actuate.
3. Influence, persuade, induce, prevail upon, act upon, determine, prompt, incline.
4. Affect, touch, impress, stir, trouble.
5. Stir up, excite, rouse, awaken, irritate, incense.
6. Excite, agitate, stir up, rouse.
7. Propose (*in a deliberative body*), bring forward, recommend, suggest, offer for consideration.
**Move,** *v. n.* I. Stir, budge, change place *or* posture.
2. Go, proceed, walk, march.
3. Act, live, have power of motion.
4. Remove, change residence.
**Move,** *n.* I. Movement, motion, change of place.
2. Proceeding, action taken.
**Movement,** *n.* I. Motion, move, change.
2. Motion, emotion, mental action.
3. Motion, manner of moving.
4. (*Mus*) (*a*) Rhythm, method of progression, *tempo*; (*b*) Strain, part.
**Moving,** *a.* I. Impelling, instigating, influencing, persuading.
2. Affecting, touching, pathetic, impressive.
**Much,** *a.* Abundant, plenteous, a great deal of, a great quantity *or* amount of.
**Much,** *ad.* I. Greatly, to a great degree.
2. Often, long, frequently, earnestly, a great deal.
3. Nearly, almost, about the same.
**Much,** *n.* Great quantity, great deal.
**Mucilaginous,** *a.* Slimy, gummy, ropy, mucous, glutinous, viscid.
**Muckiness,** *n.* Filthiness, nastiness.
**Muckworm,** *n.* Miser, niggard, churl, curmudgeon, codger, skinflint, scrimp, screw, lick-penny, hunks, sordid wretch, money-grubber.
**Mucky,** *a.* Filthy, nasty, dirty.
**Mucous,** *a.* Slimy, ropy, mucilaginous, gummy, glutinous, viscid, muculent, pituitous.
**Mucus,** *n.* Phlegm, pituite.
**Mud,** *n.* Mire, dirt.
**Muddily,** *ad.* I. Turbidly.
2. Obscurely, cloudily, confusedly.
**Muddiness,** *n.* I. Turbidness, foulness.
2. Obscurity, cloudiness, dulness.
**Muddle,** *v. a.* I. Make muddy, make turbid.
2. Stupefy, fuddle, inebriate, confuse, make half drunk, make tipsy.
3. Make a mess of, muff, mull, spoil.
**Muddle away.** Waste, misuse, squander, fool away, fritter away, spend foolishly.
**Muddled,** *a.* I. Fuddled, tipsy, disguised, mused, potulent, mellow, in liquor, half seas over, the worse for liquor, half drunk.
2. Stupefied, clouded, confused.
**Muddle-headed,** *a.* Doltish, stupid.
**Muddy,** *a.* I. Miry, dirty.
2. Turbid, foul, impure, dirty.
3. Soiled, dirty.
4. Confused, dull, stupid, heavy, muddy-headed, muddy-brained, bothered.
5. Obscure, confused, incoherent, vague.
6. Gross, impure.
**Muddy-brained,** } *a.* Dull, muddy, stupid, dolt-
**Muddy-headed,** } ish, muddle-headed, confused, fat-witted.
**Mud-turtle,** *n.* Marsh-tortoise, mud-terrapin (*Sternotherus odoratus*).
**Muff,** *v. a.* Muddle, mull, spoil.
**Muffle,** *v. a.* I. Wrap, cover, shroud, envelop.
2. Blindfold.
3. Wrap up, cover, conceal, involve, disguise.
**Muffled,** *a.* I. Wrapped up, concealed.
2. Dulled, deadened, suppressed.
**Muggy,** *a.* I. Wet, damp, moist, mouldy.
2. Close, warm, oppressive (*said of the weather*), uncomfortable.
**Mulct,** *n.* Fine, amercement, forfeit, forfeiture, pecuniary penalty.
**Mulct,** *v. a.* Fine, amerce, impose a fine upon.
**Mule,** *n.* Hybrid, mongrel, hinny.
**Muleteer,** *n.* Mule-driver.
**Muliebrity,** *n.* I. Womanhood.
2. Femineity, womanishness, womanhood, feminality, femininity.
3. Womanishness, effeminacy, softness, weakness.
**Mulish,** *a.* Stubborn, obstinate, headstrong, cross-grained, intractable.
**Mulishness,** *n.* Stubbornness, doggedness, obstinacy.
**Mull,** *n.* Muddle, mess (*colloq.*).
**Mullion,** *n.* (*Arch.*) Munnion, munion, monyall.
**Multangular,** *a.* Polygonal.
**Multifarious,** *a.* Multiform, manifold, various, divers, diversified, different, of many sorts, of various kinds, of all sorts and kinds.
**Multifold,** *a.* Manifold, numerous, diversified.
**Multiform,** *a.* I. Many-shaped, diversified, of many shapes, of many forms.
2. Manifold, multifarious, multifold, multiple, multiplex.
**Multiloquence,** *n.* Loquacity, talkativeness.
**Multiplicity,** *n.* Multitude, great number.
**Multiplied,** *a.* Numerous, many.
**Multiply,** *v. a.* Increase (*in number*), make more, make many.
**Multiply,** *v. n.* I. Increase, grow in number.
2. Increase, extend, spread.
**Multitude,** *n.* I. Great number, numerousness.
2. Host, legion, a great many.
3. Throng, concourse, army, swarm, a great number, a great many, assembly, assemblage, collection, crowd.
4. The multitude, rabble, the populace, the vulgar, mass, commonalty.
**Multure,** *n.* I. Grain-grinding.

2. Grain ground, grist.
3. Mill-fee, mill-toll.

**Mum,** *a.* Silent, mute, speechless, dumb.

**Mumble,** *v. n.* Mutter, speak inarticulately, muffle.

**Mumbler,** *n.* Mutterer.

**Mummer,** *n.* Masker, buffoon.

**Mummery,** *n.* 1. Masking, masquerade, sport, diversion, buffoonery, harlequinade, foolery, tomfoolery.
2. Empty show, solemn mockery, vain ceremony.

**Mumpish,** *a.* Sullen, morose, moody, spleeny, spleenish, dull, heavy, sour, sulky.

**Mumps,** *n.* (*Med.*) Parotitis, inflammation of the parotid gland.

**Munch,** *v. a.* Chew audibly, masticate with sound, chew eagerly, mump, nibble.

**Mundane,** *a.* Earthly, terrene, terrestrial, terraqueous, worldly, sublunary, under the sun, secular, temporal.

**Municipal,** *a.* Civic, civil.

**Munificence,** *n.* Liberality, generosity, bountifulness, bounty, beneficence, bounteousness.

**Munificent,** *a.* Liberal, bountiful, generous, bounteous, beneficent, princely, free, free-hearted.

**Muniment,** *n.* 1. Fortification, stronghold, citadel, fortress, fort.
2. Support, defence.
3. (*Law.*) Record, title-deed.

**Munition,** *n.* Ammunition, military stores, provision.

**Munnion,** *n.* [Written also *Munion.*] (*Arch.*) Mullion, monyall.

**Murder,** *n.* Homicide (*with malice*), assassination, manslaughter.

**Murder,** *v. a.* 1. Kill (*with malice*), assassinate, massacre, put to death.
2. Kill cruelly, slay.
3. Destroy, put an end to.
4. Abuse, violate grossly, mar, spoil.

**Murderer,** *n.* Slaughterer, assassin, slayer, killer, butcher, cut-throat, blood-shedder, man-slayer.

**Murderous,** *a.* Sanguinary, bloody, cruel, savage, fell, bloodthirsty, blood-guilty.

**Murder the queen's English.** Use bad grammar, commit a solecism, break Priscian's head.

**Muriate,** *n.* Chloride.

**Muriatic acid.** Hydrochloric acid, marine acid, spirit of sea-salt.

**Murky,** *a.* Dark, gloomy, obscure, dim, cloudy, clouded, dusky, lurid, overcast, lowering.

**Murmur,** *n.* 1. Whisper; low, continuous sound, hum.
2. Complaint, plaint, whimper, grumble, mutter.
3. Mutter, indistinct utterance, undertone.

**Murmur,** *v. n.* 1. Make a low, continued sound.
2. Complain, repine, croak, grumble, mutter.
3. Mutter, whisper.

**Murmurer,** *n.* Censurer, complainer, repiner, objector, fault-finder, grumbler.

**Murrain,** *n.* Cattle-plague, epizoötic disease, murr.

**Murrion,** *n.* See MORION.

**Muscadel,** / **Muscadine,** *n.* Muscat, muscatel.

**Muscat,** / **Muscatel,** *n.* Muscadel, muscadine.

**Muscovado,** *n.* Unrefined sugar.

**Muscovy-duck,** *n.* Musk-duck.

**Muscular,** *a.* 1. Musculous, sinewy.
2. Brawny, sinewy, strong, stalwart, vigorous, powerful, sturdy, lusty, athletic, Herculean, able-bodied, stout.

**Muse,** *n.* Revery, abstraction, musing, deep thought, brown study, absence of mind, musing.

**Muse,** *v. n.* 1. Ponder, meditate, contemplate, reflect, cogitate, deliberate, ruminate, think, brood.
2. Be absent-minded, be in a revery, be in a brown study, dream.

**Muse,** *v. a.* (*Poetical.*) Consider, ponder, meditate on, think on.

**Muses,** *n. pl.* [With *The* prefixed.] The tuneful Nine, the tuneful quire (*Calliope, Clio, Erato, Euterpe, Melpomene, Polykymnia, Terpsichore, Thalia, Urania*).

**Mushroom,** *n.* 1. Cryptogamous plant.
2. Upstart, *parvenu.*

**Mushroom,** *a.* Ephemeral, short-lived, transitory, transient.

**Music,** *n.* 1. Melody, harmony, symphony, minstrelsy.
2. Science of harmonical sounds.
3. Score.

**Musical,** *a.* 1. Melodious, harmonious, tuneful, symphonious, dulcet, sweet-sounding.
2. Melodious, harmonious.

**Musing,** *a.* Meditative, preoccupied, absent-minded.

**Musing,** *n.* Revery, abstraction, muse, meditation, reflection, contemplation, brown study, deep thought, absent-mindedness.

**Musk-duck,** *n.* Muscovy-duck (*Anas moschata*).

**Musk-rat,** *n.* 1. Musquash, musk-beaver (*Ondotra zibethicus*).
2. Desman, muscovy (*Mygale moschata*).

**Muslim,** *n.* See MUSSULMAN.

**Muss,** *n.* Scramble, confused struggle, disorder, state of confusion.

**Mussulman,** *n.* Mahometan, Mohammedan, Moslem, Muslim.

**Must,** *v. n.* Be obliged to, be required to, be bound to, be necessitated to, be under the necessity of.

**Must,** *n.* 1. Grape-juice (*unfermented*), new wine.
2. Mould, fust, mustiness, mouldiness, fustiness, sourness.

**Muster,** *v. a.* Assemble, collect, gather, marshal, congregate, convene, bring together, call together, get together, muster up.

**Muster,** *v. n.* Be assembled, meet together, rally.

**Muster,** *n.* Gathering, assemblage, collected show, collection.

**Musty,** *a.* 1. Mouldy, fusty, sour, fetid, rank, foul, spoiled, stale, frowzy.
2. Stale, old, hackneyed, trite, threadbare.
3. Vapid, ill-flavored, stale, insipid.
4. Dull, heavy, spiritless, rusty.

**Mutability,** *n.* 1. Changeableness, mutableness, variableness.
2. Instability, fickleness, vacillation, inconstancy.

**Mutable,** *a.* 1. Changeable, alterable, variable.
2. Inconstant, unsettled, vacillating, fickle, unstable, changeable, unsteady, wavering, variable, irresolute, changeful.

**Mutableness,** *n.* See MUTABILITY.

**Mutation,** *n.* 1. Change, alteration, variation.
2. Change.

**Mutatory,** *a.* Changing.

**Mute,** *a.* 1. Dumb, obmutescent, unable to speak, incapable of speech.
2. Silent, speechless, still.
3. Silent, unpronounced.

**Mutilate,** *v. a.* 1. Disfigure, maim, cripple.
2. Mangle, injure.

**Mutilation,** *n.* 1. Disfigurement, maim.
2. Injury.

**Mutinous,** *a.* 1. Turbulent, contumacious, refractory, unruly, insubordinate, riotous, rebellious

2. Seditious, insurgent, insurrectionary.
**Mutiny,** *v. n.* Rebel, revolt, resist authority.
**Mutiny,** *n.* Sedition, revolt, rebellion, insurrection, riot, rising, uprising.
**Mutter,** *v. n.* Grumble, murmur, mumble, muffle.
**Mutter,** *v. a.* Utter indistinctly, murmur.
**Mutter,** *n.* Murmur, indistinct utterance.
**Mutual,** *a.* Reciprocal, interchanged, correlative, reciprocally given and received, common, interchangeable.
**Mutually,** *ad.* 1. Reciprocally, in return.
2. Conjointly, in common.
**Muzzle,** *n.* 1. Snout.
2. Mouth, nozzle.
**Mynheer,** *n* [*Dutch.*] 1. Sir, Mr.
2. Dutchman, Hollander.
**Myopic,** *a.* Near-sighted, short-sighted, dim-sighted, purblind, mope-eyed.
**Myopy,** *n.* Near-sightedness, myopia, mouse-sight.
**Myriad,** *n.* 1. Ten thousand.
2. An immense number.
**Myriad,** *a.* Innumerable, multitudinous, manifold.
**Mysterious,** *a.* Unknown, enigmatical, obscure, hidden, occult, inscrutable, recondite, secret, unintelligible, mystic, mystical, dark, cabalistic, abstruse, incomprehensible.
**Mystery,** *n.* 1. Secret, enigma, riddle.
2. Secret.
3. Enigma.
4. Trade, art, calling, occupation, business.
**Mystic,** / **Mystical,** *a.* 1. Mysterious, hidden, enigmatical, obscure, occult, recondite, inscrutable, abstruse, dark, transcendental.
2. Allegorical, emblematical, cabalistic, symbolical.
**Mysticism,** *n.* Enthusiasm, quietism, doctrine of the Mystics.
**Mystify,** *v. a.* Perplex, puzzle, bewilder, embarrass, pose, befog, obfuscate.
**Myth,** *n.* 1. Fable, legend, tradition.
2. Fable, invention, allegory, parable, fiction, fabulous story.
3. Falsehood, lie, untruth.
**Mythic,** / **Mythical,** *a.* Fabulous, fabled, imaginary, mythological, fictitious, fanciful.
**Mythologic,** / **Mythological,** *a.* Fabulous, mythical.

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**Nab,** *v. a.* (*Colloq.*) Seize (*suddenly*), catch, clutch, grasp, snatch, lay hands on, lay hold on, take possession of.
**Nabob,** *n.* 1. Indian deputy, viceroy, *or* governor.
2. Millionnaire, Crœsus, Dives, very rich man, man of great wealth, man of fortune.
**Nacre,** *n.* Mother-of-pearl.
**Nacreous,** *a.* 1. Of nacre.
2. Pearly, iridescent, irisated, opalescent, pavonine, polychromatic, irisated, pearlaceous.
**Nævose,** *a.* Spotted, freckled.
**Nag,** *n.* Horse (*especially a small horse*), pony.
**Nag,** *v. a.* Torment, worry, pester, hector, harass.
**Naiad,** *n.* (*Mythol.*) Water-nymph.
**Nail,** *n.* Claw, talon.
**Naïve,** *a.* [Fr.] Artless, unaffected, ingenuous, natural, plain, simple, unsophisticated, candid.
**Naïveté,** *n.* [Fr.] Artlessness, ingenuousness, naturalness, simplicity, native candor, unaffected plainness.
**Naked,** *a.* 1. Nude, uncovered, bare.
2. Denuded, unclothed, undressed, *in puris naturalibus.*
3. Uncovered.
4. Exposed, defenceless, unarmed, unprotected, unguarded, open.
5. Manifest, unconcealed, evident, open, plain, undisguised.
6. Simple, mere, sheer, bare.
7. Unprovided, unfurnished, destitute, unaided, bare.
8. Plain, unvarnished, uncolored, unexaggerated.
**Nakedness,** *n.* 1. Nudity, bareness.
2. Openness, exposure
**Namby-pamby,** *a.* Finical, affectedly fine, silly, weakly sentimental, insipid, vapid.
**Name,** *n.* 1. Appellation, title, epithet, denomination, designation, descriptive term.
2. Reputation, repute, credit, character.
3. Note, distinction, fame, renown, celebrity, eminence, honor, praise.
4. Authority, behalf, part, stead.
5. Family, connection, race.
6. Memory, remembrance.
7. Person, individual.
**Name,** *v. a.* 1. Denominate, entitle, style, term, call, dub, phrase, christen, give an appellation to.
2. Mention, speak of, call by name.
3. Nominate, designate, specify, indicate.
**Nameless,** *a.* 1. Without a name.
2. Obscure, undistinguished, unknown.
3. Inexpressible.
**Namely,** *ad.* Particularly, that is, that is to say, to wit, to particularize, *videlicet.*
**Nap,** *v. n.* Doze, slumber, drowse, take a short sleep.
**Nap,** *n.* Dose, slumber, short sleep, *siesta.*
**Naphtha,** *n.* Rock oil, mineral oil, stone oil.
**Napless,** *a.* Threadbare.
**Nappy,** *a.* 1. Heady, strong.
2. Downy, shaggy, fuzzy, woolly, villous.
**Narcotic,** *a.* Stupefying, stupefactive.
**Narcotic,** *n.* Stupefacient, anodyne, anæsthetic, opiate, sleeping draught, sedative.
**Narrate,** *v. a.* Relate, recite, recount, rehearse, tell, detail, describe, give an account of.
**Narration,** *n.* 1. Recital, description, rehearsal, relation, account, statement.
2. Story, history, narrative, tale, chronicle, account.
**Narrative,** *n.* Narration, relation, tale, account, recital, rehearsal, description, story, history, chronicle.
**Narrator,** *n.* Relater, historian.
**Narrow,** *a.* 1. Of little breadth.
2. Contracted, circumscribed, limited, confined, straitened, cramped, pinched, scanty, incapacious.
3. Limited, straitened, pinched, scanty.
4. Bigoted.
5. Ungenerous, parsimonious, covetous, mercenary, illiberal, avaricious, niggardly, mean, selfish.
6. Close, near.
7. Close, near, accurate, scrutinizing, careful, exact, attentive.

**Narrow,** *v. a.* I. Contract.
2. Cramp, restrict, limit, confine.
**Narrow house.** Grave, tomb, sepulchre, house of death.
**Narrow-minded,** *a.* Illiberal, bigoted, prejudiced, warped, biassed, partial, narrow-souled, mean-spirited, of narrow *or* contracted views.
**Narrows,** *n. pl.* Strait, sound, narrow passage.
**Narwhal,** *n.* [Written also *Narwhale*, *Narwal*, and *Narval.*] Sea-unicorn, unicorn-fish, unicorn-whale (*Monodon monoceros*).
**Nascent,** *a.* Incipient, opening, initial, dawning, inchoative, initiatory, rudimental, beginning, commencing, at the start, in the act of evolution.
**Nastiness,** *n.* I. Filth, filthiness, dirtiness, foulness, impurity, uncleanness, pollution, defilement, squalor.
2. Obscenity, smuttiness, indecency, ribaldry, grossness.
**Nasty,** *a.* I. Filthy, foul, unclean, impure, dirty, polluted, defiled, loathsome, squalid.
2. Obscene, smutty, gross, indelicate, lewd, indecent, ribald, loose.
3. Nauseous, sickening, disgusting, offensive, repulsive, odious, disagreeable.
4. Disagreeable, annoying, troublesome, aggravating, pestering, pesky.
**Nasute,** *a.* I. Keen-smelling.
2. Critical, censorious, nice, captious.
**Natal,** *a.* Native, of birth, natalitious.
**Natal day.** Birthday.
**Natch-bone,** *n.* Aitch-bone, edge-bone, rump-bone.
**Nation,** *n.* I. State, commonwealth, realm, nationality.
2. People, community, population, race, stock.
**National,** *a.* Public, general.
**Nationality,** *n.* I. National character.
2. State, nation, commonwealth.
3. Race, people, nation, stock.
4. Patriotism, love of one's own nation, nationalism.
**Native,** *a.* I. Natal, of birth.
2. Vernacular, mother
3. Indigenous, natural.
4. Original, genuine, intrinsic, real, unartificial, natural.
5. Home, domestic.
6. Natural, inherent, innate, inborn, inbred, congenital, indigenous.
**Native,** *n.* Original inhabitant
**Nativity,** *n.* Birth.
**Natty,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Neat, spruce, tidy, nice, fine, jaunty, trig, trim, finical, foppish, dandyish.
**Natural,** *a.* I. Of nature.
2. Original, indigenous, native.
3. Essential, characteristic, native.
4. Regular, normal, legitimate, in the course of nature, consistent with nature, conformable to nature.
5. Affectionate, kind.
6. Unaffected, real, genuine, simple, ingenuous, artless, spontaneous.
7. Unregenerate.
8. Life-like.
9. Illegitimate, bastard.
**Natural,** *n.* Fool, simpleton, idiot.
**Natural-born,** *a.* Native.
**Natural child.** Bastard, love-child, illegitimate child.
**Naturalize,** *v. a.* I. Make natural, familiarize, make easy.
2. Adopt as a citizen, adopt as native.
3. Acclimatize, adapt, accustom, habituate.
4. Adapt, make one's own.
**Nature,** *n.* I. World, creation, universe, system of created things, aggregate of phenomena, world of matter and of mind, sum of causes and effects.
2. Sum total of sensible objects, world of matter.
3. Character, essence, constitution, quality, sum of attributes.
4. Kind, sort, species, quality, character.
5. Temper, disposition, humor, mood, grain.
6. Mind, intelligence, intelligent being, intellect.
7. Active principle of the universe, soul of the Universe, God, Creator, Author.
8. Regular course of things, usual *or* established order of events, normal association.
9. What is natural, conformity with nature, accordance with truth *or* reality.
10. Vitality, human life, vital powers of a man.
11. Natural affection, reverence.
12. Natural condition, nakedness.
**Naught,** *n.* Nothing, nought.
**Naught,** *a.* I. Worthless, bad, of no value.
2. Naughty, vile, base.
**Naughtiness,** *n.* Perverseness, frowardness, mischievousness, misbehavior.
**Naughty,** *a.* I. Bad, corrupt, worthless, good for nothing.
2. Perverse, froward, mischievous, bad.
**Nausea,** *n.* I. Seasickness.
2. Qualm, sickness of the stomach, inclination to vomit, squeamishness, loathing.
3. Disgust, loathing, repugnance, aversion, strong dislike.
**Nauseate,** *v. n.* Feel nausea, feel disgust, grow qualmish.
**Nauseate,** *v. a.* I. Sicken, disgust, revolt, make sick, turn one's stomach, make one's gorge rise.
2. Loathe, abhor, detest, abominate, feel nausea *or* disgust at, shrink from, recoil from, reject with disgust.
**Nauseous,** *a.* Disgusting, loathsome, disgustful, nauseating, sickening, revolting, repulsive, distasteful, offensive.
**Nautical,** *a.* Maritime, marine, naval.
**Naval,** *a.* Nautical, marine, maritime.
**Navel-string,** *n.* Umbilical cord.
**Navew,** *n.* Wild turnip (*Brassica campestris*).
**Navicular,** *a.* (*Anat. and Bot.*) Boat-shaped, cymbiform.
**Navigate,** *v. n.* Sail, cruise, course, go in a vessel, plough the waves, plough the deep.
**Navigate,** *v. a.* I. Sail over, sail on, pass in a vessel.
2. Steer, direct (*in sailing*), guide the course of.
**Navigator,** *n.* Navigating officer.
**Navy,** *n.* I. Ships, vessels, shipping, fleet of ships.
2. Ships of war, naval establishment.
**Nay,** *ad.* I. No.
2. Not only so, but more; not this only, but also.
**Naze,** *n.* Promontory, cliff, headland (same as *Ness*).
**Neap,** *a* [Written also *Neep.*] Low (*applied to tides*).
**Near,** *a.* I. Nigh, close, neighboring, adjacent, contiguous, proximate, adjoining, bordering upon, approximate to, close upon, close by, hard upon, close at hand.
2. Imminent, impending, forthcoming, approaching, threatening, at hand, about to happen, going to happen.
3. Intimate, dear, familiar, closely allied, closely attached.
4. Direct, short, straight, immediate, close.
5. Close, literal, accurate.
6. Close, narrow.
7. Left.

8. Close, narrow, niggardly, parsimonious, close-fisted.
9. Closely related, allied by blood.
10. Present, ready.

**Near,** *ad.* Nearly, closely, within a little of, almost, well-nigh.

**Near,** *prep.* Nigh, close to, close by, not far from.

**Near,** *v. n.* Approach, come nearer.

**Near,** *v. a.* Approach, draw near.

**Nearly,** *ad.* 1. Approximately, not remotely.
2. Almost, well-nigh, within a little.
3. Closely, intimately.
4. Closely, intimately, pressingly.
5. Stingily, meanly, parsimoniously, penuriously.

**Nearness,** *n.* 1. Closeness, neighborhood, proximity.
2. Propinquity, consanguinity.
3. Intimacy, familiarity.
4. Parsimony, penuriousness, closeness.

**Near-sighted,** *a.* Short-sighted, myopic, purblind.

**Neat,** *a.* 1. Clean, cleanly, unsoiled, orderly, trim, tidy.
2. Nice, spruce, trim, smart.
3. Chaste, simple, pure.
4. Pure, unadulterated, unmixed, excellent.
5. Exact, finished, adroit, clever.
6. Nice, dainty.
7. Net, clear, after every deduction.

**Neat-cattle,** *n.* Bovine animals (*bulls, oxen, cows, calves, heifers, steers*), beeves.

**Neat-handed,** *a.* Deft, dexterous, adroit, clever.

**Neatly,** *ad.* 1. Cleanly, in a neat manner, tidily.
2. Nicely, handsomely.
3. Elegantly, nicely, quietly.

**Neatness,** *n.* 1. Cleanness, cleanliness, tidiness.
2. Nicety, spruceness, trimness.
3. Chasteness, simplicity, purity.

**Neb,** *n.* Beak, bill, nib.

**Nebulosity,** *n.* Cloudiness, haziness, mistiness, nebulousness

**Nebulous,** *a.* 1. Cloudy, hazy, misty.
2. Nebular.

**Necessarily,** *ad.* Indispensably, unavoidably.

**Necessary,** *a.* 1. Inevitable, unavoidable, that must be.
2. Requisite, essential, indispensable, needful, that cannot be spared.
3. Involuntary.

**Necessary,** *n.* 1. Requisite, requirement, necessity, essential, indispensable thing, *sine qua non.*
2. Privy, jakes, water-closet, back-house.

**Necessitate,** *v. a.* 1. Compel, force, oblige, constrain, impel.
2. Make necessary, render unavoidable.

**Necessitous,** *a.* 1. Needy, indigent, poor, penniless, moneyless, destitute, distressed, pinched, reduced, in need, in want, short of money, out of money, out of pocket, out of cash.
2. Narrow, destitute, pinching.

**Necessity,** *n.* 1. Unavoidableness, inevitableness.
2. Compulsion, fatality, fate, destiny, irresistible force, overruling power.
3. Indispensableness, indispensability, need.
4. Need, needfulness, urgency, exigency, pressing want.
5. Requirement, requisite, essential, necessary, indispensable thing, *sine qua non.*
6. Indigence, poverty, need, want.

**Neck-and-neck.** Even, level, equal.

**Neck-cloth,** *n.* Cravat, neckerchief, necktie.

**Neckerchief,** / **Neckhandkerchief,** } *n.* Cravat, neck-cloth.

**Neck-or-nothing,** *a.* Dangerous, desperate.

**Necktie,** *n.* Cravat, neck-cloth.

**Necrology,** *n.* Obituary, register of deaths.

**Necromancer,** *n.* Sorcerer, conjurer, enchanter, juggler, charmer, diviner, wizard, magician, exorcist, seer, soothsayer.

**Necromancy,** *n.* Sorcery, magic, divination, enchantment, conjuration, black art, magical art.

**Necropolis,** *n.* Cemetery, churchyard, graveyard, mortuary, burial-ground, burial-place, city of the dead.

**Née,** *pp.* Born.

**Need,** *n.* 1. Necessity, want, exigency, urgency, emergency, strait, extremity.
2. Indigence, poverty, penury, destitution, distress, neediness, privation.

**Need,** *v. a.* Want, require, lack, be in want of, stand in want of.

**Needful,** *a.* 1. Needy, necessitous, distressful.
2. Necessary, requisite, essential, indispensable.

**Needle-shaped,** *a.* Aciform, acicular, aciculate.

**Needless,** *a.* Unnecessary, useless.

**Needlewoman,** *n.* Seamstress, sempstress.

**Needle-work,** *n.* Embroidery

**Needs,** *ad.* Necessarily, indispensably, of necessity.

**Needy,** *a.* Indigent, destitute, poor, necessitous.

**Nefarious,** *a.* Abominable, atrocious, detestable, execrable, iniquitous, scandalous, wicked, infamous, villanous, heinous, flagitious, very wicked, horrible, dreadful, vile.

**Negation,** *n.* Denial, disavowal, disclaimer.

**Neglect,** *v. a.* 1. Omit, leave out, pass over.
2. Disregard, slight, contemn, overlook, pay no heed to, pay no regard to, leave out of view, leave on one side, not care a straw for, disesteem, despise.

**Neglect,** *n.* 1. Omission (*of a particular act of duty*), failure, default, remissness, carelessness, heedlessness, inattention
2. Slight, disregard, disrespect.
3. Negligence, indifference.
4. Neglectedness, state of being disregarded.

**Neglectful,** *a* Heedless, careless, negligent, thoughtless, inattentive.

**Negligée,** *n.* Undress, dishabille, deshabille.

**Negligence,** *n.* 1. Neglect, carelessness, thoughtlessness, remissness, heedlessness, disregard, inattention, slackness, laches, inadvertency, indifference.
2. Shortcoming, fault, omission, defect, inadvertence.

**Negligent,** *a.* Careless (*habitually*), thoughtless, heedless, remiss, regardless, inattentive, neglectful, indifferent.

**Negotiate,** *v. n.* 1. Treat, bargain.
2. Treat with.

**Negotiate,** *v. a.* 1. Treat for, arrange for, procure.
2. Pass, put into circulation, sell.

**Negotiation,** *n.* 1. Transaction.
2. Trading, business.

**Negro,** *n.* African, black man.

**Negro-corn,** *n.* Indian millet, Guinea corn, Turkish millet, durra (*Sorghum vulgare*).

**Neigh,** *v. n.* Whinny.

**Neighborhood,** *n.* 1. Vicinity, vicinage.
2. Neighbors.
3. District, locality.
4. Nearness, propinquity.

**Neighboring,** *a.* Near, adjacent, contiguous.

**Neighborly,** *a.* 1. Friendly, kind, civil.
2. Social, obliging, attentive, friendly.

**Neither,** *pron.* and *a.* Not either, nor one nor the other.

**Neither head nor tail.** Neither one thing nor the other, nothing distinct or definite.

**Neither here nor there.** 1. Nowhere, neither in one place nor another.
2. Irrelevant, not to the purpose.

**Nem. con.** [L. Contracted from *nemine contradicente*, no one speaking against.] Unanimously, with one accord, with one consent, to a man, as one man, one and all, on all hands, in chorus, without a dissenting voice.
**Neologism,** *n.* 1. New word *or* phrase, neonism.
2. Neology, use of new words *or* phrases.
**Neology,** *n.* 1. Neologism, use of new words *or* phrases.
2. (*Theol.*) Rationalism, rationalistic interpretation.
**Neophyte,** *n.* 1. Convert, proselyte.
2. Novice, catechumen.
3. Beginner, tyro, pupil, novice.
**Neoteric,** *a.* New, modern, recent.
**Nereid,** *n.* Sea-nymph.
**Nerve,** *n.* 1. Strength, power, force, vigor, might.
2. Courage, pluck, fortitude, firmness, resolution, hardihood, manhood, self-command, steadiness, endurance, coolness.
**Nerve,** *v. a.* Strengthen, invigorate, fortify, brace, energize.
**Nerveless,** *a.* Weak, flabby, flaccid.
**Nervous,** *a.* 1. Full of nerves.
2. Of the nerves.
3. Sinewy, strong, vigorous, robust, forcible, powerful, wellstrung, nervy.
4. Timid, timorous, easily agitated, weak, weakly, irritable, fearful.
5. Vigorous, forcible, powerful, forceful, strong, spirited.
**Nervousness,** *n.* 1. Strength, force, power, vigor, forcibleness.
2. Timidity, timorousness, trepidation, tremor, flutter, nervous agitation, weakness.
**Nervy,** *a.* Nervous, strong, sinewy, vigorous.
**Nescience,** *n.* Ignorance.
**Nestle,** *v. n.* Snuggle, cuddle, snug, harbor, lodge, lie close, nuzzle.
**Net,** *n.* Snare, gin, trap, toil.
**Net,** *a.* [Written also *Neat* and *Nett.*] 1. Clear, without deductions.
2. Pure, unadulterated.
**Net,** *v. a.* Clear, get *or* gain over and above expenses.
**Nether,** *a.* Lower.
**Nettle,** *v. a.* Fret, chafe, ruffle, irritate, vex, tease, harass, provoke, incense, exasperate, sting.
**Network,** *n.* Netting, reticulated *or* decussated work, interlacement.
**Neutral,** *a.* 1. Indifferent, impartial, neuter, of neither party, taking no part with either side.
2. Indifferent, mediocre.
**Neutralize,** *v. a.* 1. Counterbalance, counterpoise, render neutral, render inert, destroy the effect of, render of no effect.
2. Invalidate, render inoperative.
**Never,** *ad.* 1. At no time, not at any time, not ever.
2. In no degree, not at all, none.
3. Not.
**Nevertheless,** *ad.* However, notwithstanding, not at all the less, yet.
**New,** *a.* 1. Novel, fresh, of recent origin.
2. Recent, modern, of the present day.
3. Just discovered, recently made known, strange.
4. Unaccustomed, unused.
5. Repaired, renovated, reinvigorated.
6. Starting anew, commencing, renovated.
7. Newly come.
**New-fangled,** *a.* 1. New-made, new-fashioned.
2. Changeable, volatile.
**News,** *n.* Tidings, intelligence, information, advice, word, recent accounts.
**Newsmonger,** *n.* Quidnunc, gossip, tale-bearer mumble-news.
**Newspaper,** *n.* Gazette, journal.
**Newt,** *n.* Eft, salamander, asker, ask.
**Next,** *a.* Nearest.
**Next door to.** 1. Next house to.
2. Near to, bordering on, close to, allied to.
**Nib,** *n.* 1. Bill, beak, neb.
2. Point (*of a pen*).
**Nibble,** *v. a.* and *v. n.* 1. Gnaw, bite (*by nips*).
2. Carp, cavil, find fault.
**Nice,** *a.* 1. Exact, accurate, precise, exquisite, correct, critical, definite, strict, rigorous.
2. Fastidious, dainty, squeamish, punctilious, finical, difficult, over-scrupulous, exacting, hard to please, very particular.
3. Delicate, scrupulous, cautious.
4. Delicate, tender.
5. Discerning, discriminating, particular, scrupulous, precise.
6. Neat, tidy, trim.
7. Subtile, fine, refined, minute.
8. Delicate, dainty, luscious, soft, tender, savory, delicious, palatable.
9. (*Colloq.*) Pleasant, agreeable, delightful, good.
**Nicely,** *ad.* 1. Fastidiously, critically, curiously.
2. Discriminatingly, keenly.
3. Accurately, exactly, delicately, daintily.
4. Agreeably, becomingly, pleasantly.
5. Well, cleverly, dexterously, deftly, neatly.
**Niceness,** *n.* 1. Exactness, accuracy, precision, nicety.
2. Scrupulousness, fastidiousness, delicacy, daintiness, squeamishness.
**Nicety,** *n.* 1. Accuracy, exactness, precision, truth, niceness.
2. Fastidiousness, daintiness, squeamishness.
3. Subtilty, nice point, minute distinction.
4. Delicacy, dainty, tidbit, delicate morsel.
**Niche,** *n.* Nook, recess.
**Nick,** *n.* 1. Critical point (*of time*), critical moment, fortunate conjuncture.
2. Notch, dent, dint, indentation, incision, score.
**Nick,** *v. a.* Notch.
**Nickname,** *n.* *Sobriquet*, by-name.
**Niggard,** *n.* Miser, curmudgeon, churl, hunks, lickpenny, skinflint, scrimp, screw, mean fellow, sordid wretch.
**Niggard,** *a.* Parsimonious, miserly, covetous, sparing, stinted, niggardly.
**Niggardliness,** *n.* Parsimony, stinginess, avarice, meanness, covetousness.
**Niggardly,** *a.* 1. Parsimonious, covetous, stingy, avaricious, miserly, penurious, sordid, mean, illiberal, mercenary, niggard, close, close-fisted.
2. Saving, sparing, chary.
**Nigh,** *a.* 1. Near, adjacent, adjoining, contiguous, close by, close, close at hand, bordering upon, approximate to, hard by.
2. Near, present, proximate.
3. Intimate, closely allied.
**Nigh,** *ad.* 1. Near.
2. Almost, nearly.
**Nigh,** *prep.* Near, close to, close by, not far from.
**Night,** *n.* 1. Darkness, obscurity.
2. Ignorance.
3. Adversity.
4. Death.
**Night-fall,** *n.* Evening, dusk, close of the day, sundown.
**Night-fire,** *n.* Ignis fatuus, Will-o'-the-wisp, Jack-o'-lantern.
**Nightingale,** *n.* Philomel, philomela, rossignol (*Philomela luscinia*).
**Night-jar,** *n.* Goat-sucker, wheel-bird, fern-owl,

night-churr, churn-owl (*Caprimulgus Europæus*).
**Nightly,** *a.* Nocturnal.
**Nightmare,** *n.* Incubus.
**Night-walker,** *n.* Somnambulist, sleep-walker, noctambulist.
**Nihilism,** } *n.* Nothingness, nothing, non-exist-
**Nihility,** } ence, nonentity, nullity.
**Nimble,** *a.* Agile, lively, brisk, active, smart, quick, spry, ready, alert, sprightly, swift, light, expeditious, speedy, prompt, expert.
**Nimble-fingered,** *a.* Dexterous, deft, adroit, expert, skilful.
**Nimble-footed,** *a.* Fleet, fast, swift.
**Nimbleness,** *n.* Briskness, smartness, agility, spryness, alertness, activity, sprightliness, celerity, speed, swiftness.
**Nimble-witted,** *a.* Quick-witted, ready.
**Nimbus,** *n.* I. Halo.
2. Raincloud.
**Nincompoop,** *n.* Fool, blockhead, dunce, simpleton (*colloq.*).
**Ninekiller,** *n.* Shrike, butcher-bird (*Lanius septentrionalis*).
**Ninepins,** *n. pl.* Skittles.
**Ninny,** *n.* [A contr. for *Nincompoop.*] Simpleton, fool, blockhead, dunce.
**Nip,** *v. a.* I. Pinch, compress, squeeze, gripe.
2. Clip, cut off, sever.
3. Blast, destroy, ruin, frost.
4. Benumb, chill.
5. Bite, vex.
**Nip,** *n.* I. Pinch, bite.
2. Dram, sip, drink, small draught.
**Nipper,** *n.* Fore tooth (*of a horse*).
**Nippers,** *n. pl.* Pincers, tweezers.
**Nipple,** *n.* Teat, dug, pap.
**Nitre,** *n.* Saltpetre, nitrate of potash.
**Nitric acid.** Aquafortis, spirit of nitre.
**Nitric oxide.** Deutoxide of nitrogen, binoxide of nitrogen, nitrous gas, nitrous air.
**Nitrogen,** *n.* Azote.
**Nitrogenize,** *v. a.* Azotize.
**Nitro-muriatic acid.** Aqua regia, nitro-hydrochloric.
**Nitrous ether.** Sweet spirits of nitre.
**Nitrous oxide.** Laughing-gas, protoxide of nitrogen, exhilarating gas, nitrogen monoxide.
**Nix,** } *n.* Water-spirit.
**Nixie,** }
**No,** *ad.* I. Nay.
2. Not at all, in no degree.
**No,** *a.* None, not any, not one.
**Nob,** *n.* Head (*in burlesque*).
**Nobility,** *n.* I. Grandeur, greatness, dignity, nobleness, elevation, superiority, worthiness, loftiness of character, eminence, moral excellence.
2. Noble birth, patrician dignity, eminence by rank.
3. Aristocracy, peerage, patrician class, *noblesse.*
**Noble,** *a.* I. Great, dignified, superior, elevated, worthy, exalted, illustrious, magnanimous, honorable, eminent.
2. Honorable, generous, magnanimous.
3. Choice, excellent.
4. Excellent, pure.
5. High-born, aristocratic, patrician.
6. Grand, stately, lordly, splendid, magnificent.
**Noble,** *n.* Nobleman, peer.
**Nobleman,** *n.* Peer, noble, grandee, lord, one of the nobility.
**Noble-minded,** *a.* Magnanimous.
**Nobleness,** *n.* I. Greatness, dignity, magnanimity, elevation, superiority, worthiness, nobility loftiness of character, moral excellence.
2. Rank, distinction by birth, station.
3. Stateliness, grandeur, magnificence.
**Noblesse,** *n.* [Fr.] Aristocracy, nobility.
**Nobly,** *ad.* I. Heroically, magnanimously, honorably.
2. Splendidly, magnificently, grandly.
**Nobody,** *n.* I. No one, no person, not any one, not anybody.
2. Unimportant person, insignificant person, cipher, nonentity.
**Noctambulation,** } *n.* Somnambulism, sleep-walk-
**Noctambulism,** } ing.
**Noctambulo,** } *n.* Somnambulist, sleep-walker
**Noctambulist,** }
**Nocturnal,** *a.* Nightly.
**Nocturnally,** *ad.* Nightly, by night.
**Nod,** *v. a.* and *v. n.* Bow.
**Nod,** *n.* Bow, beck.
**Noddle,** *n.* Head (*used ludicrously*).
**Noddy,** *n.* I. Fool, simpleton, dunce.
2. (*Ornith.*) Booby, gannet, solan-goose (*Sterna solida*).
**Node,** *n.* Knot, knob, protuberance, swelling, lump, prominence, process, excrescence, nodule, nodosity.
**Nodule,** *n.* See NODE.
**Noise,** *n.* I. Sound.
2. Clamor, din, blare, clatter, uproar, outcry, tumult, ado, cry, vociferation, hubbub, racket, fuss, breeze.
3. Talk, stir, conversation, discussion.
**Noiseless,** *a.* Silent, inaudible, quiet.
**Noisome,** *a.* I. Noxious, injurious, hurtful, unwholesome, insalubrious, unhealthy, pernicious, mischievous, detrimental, destructive, deleterious, baneful, poisonous, pestilential.
2. Offensive, fetid, disgusting.
**Noisy,** *a.* I. Clamorous, boisterous, turbulent, vociferous, obstreperous, blatant, brawling, blustering, uproarious, tumultuous, riotous, loud.
2. Full of noise, clamorous, boisterous, tumultuous.
**Nomad,** } *n.* Wanderer, one of a nomadic peo-
**Nomade,** } ple.
**Nomadic,** *a.* Wandering, migratory, pastoral, vagrant.
**Nomenclature,** *n.* Terminology.
**Nominal,** *a.* Titular, only in name, nuncupative, nuncupatory.
**Nominate,** *v. a.* Name for an office, propose as a candidate, designate for appointment *or* election.
**Nonage,** *n.* Minority, pupilage, legal immaturity
**Non-appearance,** } *n.* Absence.
**Non-attendance,** }
**Nonchalance,** *n.* [Fr.] Carelessness, indifference, unconcern, coolness.
**Nonchalant,** *a.* [Fr.] Unconcerned, indifferent, careless, cool, apathetic.
**Non compos mentis.** [L.] Demented, idiotic, lunatic, foolish, imbecile, crazy, not of sound mind.
**Nondescript,** *a.* Abnormal, amorphous, odd, unclassifiable, indescribable.
**None,** *pron. sing.* and *pl.* I. Not one.
2. Not any, not a part, not the least portion.
**Nonentity,** *n.* I. Inexistence, non-existence.
2. Nothing.
3. Nothingness, insignificance, futility.
4. Nobody, cipher.
**Non-essential,** *a.* Adventitious, incidental, accidental, extraneous, extrinsic.
**Nonesuch,** *n.* Nonpareil, paragon, pattern, model, acme of perfection, pink of perfection, *beau ideal.*
**Nonpareil,** *n.* See NONESUCH.

**Nonpareil,** *a.* Peerless, unequalled, unparalleled.
**Nonplus,** *n.* Puzzle, perplexity, poser, quandary.
**Nonplus,** *v. a.* Puzzle, confound, confuse, disconcert, perplex, pose, put to a stand.
**Nonsense,** *n.* 1. Folly, absurdity, stuff, trash, moonshine, twaddle, balderdash, fudge, inanity, platitude.
2. Trifles, things of no consequence *or* importance.
**Nonsensical,** *a.* Absurd, foolish, silly, senseless, insensate, stupid, ill-judged, unreasonable, irrational, preposterous, unmeaning, frivolous, trifling.
**Noodle,** *n.* Simpleton, fool (*colloq.*).
**Nook,** *n.* Corner, recess, niche, retired place.
**Noon,** *n.* 1. Mid-day, twelve o'clock, meridian, noonday, noontide.
2. Prime, zenith.
**Noon,** *a.* Meridional.
**Noonday,** } *n.* Mid-day, noon, meridian, twelve
**Noontide,** } o'clock.
**Noon of night.** Midnight.
**Noose,** *n.* Hitch, running knot.
**Norm,** *n.* 1. Rule, pattern, model, standard, *norma.*
2. Type.
**Norma,** *n.* 1. Rule, principle, norm.
2. Carpenter's square.
3. Pattern, gauge, templet, model.
**Normal,** *a.* 1. Regular, analogical, ordinary, natural, legitimate, usual, according to rule.
2. Perpendicular, vertical, erect.
**North,** *a.* Northerly, northern, boreal, arctic.
**Northern,** *a.* North, northerly, boreal, arctic.
**Northern lights.** See AURORA BOREALIS.
**North star.** Polestar, loadstar.
**Nosegay,** *n.* Bouquet, posy.
**Nose of wax.** Doughface, pliable person, facile person.
**Nostalgia,** *n.* (*Med.*) Homesickness, nostalgy.
**Nostrum,** *n.* Quack medicine, patent medicine, arcanum.
**Notability,** *n.* 1. Notableness, remarkableness.
2. Notable person, person of note, celebrity.
**Nōtable,** *a.* 1. Remarkable, memorable, extraordinary, signal, distinguished, noted, worthy of notice.
2. Conspicuous, manifest, observable, plain, noticeable.
3. Notorious, well-known.
**Nŭtable,** *a.* Active, diligent, sedulous, industrious, assiduous, busy, watchful, attentive, careful, clever, smart.
**Notary,** *n.* Notary public.
**Notch,** *n.* Nick, indentation, dent, dint, incision.
**Notch,** *v. a.* Nick, cut notches in, indent.
**Note,** *n.* 1. Memorandum, minute, record.
2. Comment, annotation, scholium, remark.
3. Catalogue, reckoning, account, bill, list of items.
4. Official communication, diplomatic communication.
5. Report.
6. Billet, short letter *or* epistle.
7. Notice, heed, observation, regard, consideration.
8. Distinction, reputation, celebrity, fame, repute, renown, credit, account, consequence, respectability, notedness, eminence.
9. Bill, bank-note, promissory note, note of hand, paper-money.
10. Voice, tune, song.
**Note,** *v. a.* 1. Notice, remark, observe, mark, regard, heed, attend to, take notice of, pay attention to.
2. Record, register, make a note of, make a memorandum of, make a minute of, set down in writing, jot down.
3. Designate, denote.
4. Annotate, furnish with notes.
**Note-book,** *n.* Memorandum-book, journal, commonplace book, *adversaria.*
**Noted,** *a.* Distinguished, celebrated, remarkable, notable, notorious, famous, famed, renowned, conspicuous, eminent, illustrious, well-known.
**Noteworthy,** *a.* Remarkable, extraordinary, unusual, rare, memorable, worthy of note, noticeable.
**Nothing,** *n.* 1. No thing, no quantity, no part, no degree.
2. Non-existence, nihility, inexistence, nihilism, nonentity, nothingness, nullity.
3. Trifle, bagatelle, small matter, thing of no importance, matter of no consequence.
4. Cipher, zero, nought.
**Nothing,** *ad.* Not at all, in no degree.
**Nothingness,** *n.* 1. Nihility, nihilism, non-existence, nonentity.
2. Nothing, nought, worthless thing.
**Notice,** *n.* 1. Note, heed, observation, regard, cognizance.
2. Information, notification, advice, news, intelligence, announcement, mention.
3. Intimation, premonition, warning, intelligence.
4. Instruction, direction, order.
5. Intimation, communication.
6. Attention, civility, consideration, respect.
7. Comments, remarks, critical review.
**Notice,** *v. a.* 1. Perceive, see, become aware of, heed, regard, mark, note, observe, remark, mind, take cognizance of.
2. Remark upon, mention, comment on.
3. Treat with attention, be civil to.
**Noticeable,** *a.* Observable, worthy of notice, noteworthy.
**Notification,** *n.* 1. Information, notice, advice, intelligence, announcement.
2. Advertisement.
**Notify,** *v. a.* 1. Declare, promulgate, publish, announce, advertise, make known.
2. Inform, apprise, acquaint, make known to, give notice to, signify to.
**Notion,** *n.* 1. Conception, concept, universal idea, general *or* universal conception.
2. Opinion, sentiment, apprehension, judgment, belief, view, impression, estimation, conceit, conviction, expectation.
**Notional,** *a.* 1. Ideal, abstract.
2. Imaginary, fantastical, visionary, ideal, chimerical.
3. Whimsical, capricious, fanciful, crotchety, freakish.
**Notoriety,** *n.* 1. Publicity.
2. Repute (*generally in a bad sense*), reputation, celebrity, fame, name, note, vogue, figure.
**Notorious,** *a.* 1. Open, overt, patent, manifest, obvious, apparent, evident, well-known, egregious, notable.
2. Conspicuous (*generally in a bad sense*), noted, celebrated, famous, famed, distinguished, remarkable, renowned.
**Notoriously,** *ad.* 1. Publicly, openly.
2. Enormously, egregiously.
**Notwithstanding,** *prep.* Despite, in spite of.
**Notwithstanding,** *conj.* Nevertheless, yet, however, for all that, despite, in spite of.
**Nought,** *n.* Nothing, naught.
**Noun,** *n.* Substantive.
**Nourish,** *v. a.* 1. Nurture, nurse, feed, tend, supply with food *or* nutriment, furnish sustenance to.
2. Support, maintain, provide for.

3. Train, educate, instruct, breed, bring up.
4. Cherish, encourage, foster, promote, succor, foment.
5. Cherish, comfort.

**Nourishing,** *n.* Nutrition, nourishment.

**Nourishing,** *a.* Nutritious, nutritive, strengthening, invigorating, healthful, wholesome.

**Nourishment,** *n.* 1. Nutrition, nourishing.
2. Food, aliment, diet, sustenance, nutriment, nutrition.

**Novaculite,** *n.* Turkey-stone, Turkey oil-stone, razor-stone, whet-slate.

**Novel,** *a.* New, strange, unusual, modern, recent, fresh, uncommon, rare.

**Novel,** *n.* Tale, romance, story, fiction, fictitious narrative

**Novice,** *n.* 1. Convert, proselyte.
2. Probationer, novitiate.
3. Tyro, beginner, learner.

**Novitiate,** *n.* 1 Apprenticeship.
2. Probation, noviceship.
3. Novice, probationer.

**Now,** *ad.* 1. At this time, at once, at this moment, at present.
2. Very lately, a little while ago.
3. After this, things being so.
4. At that time.
5. Since, it being so that.

**Nowadays,** *ad.* In these days, in this age, in the present age, now

**Now and then.** Occasionally, indefinitely, once in a while, not often, at intervals.

**Noway,** } *ad.* Not at all, in no degree, in no
**Noways,** } manner, nowise.

**Nowise,** *ad.* Noway, noways.

**Noxious,** *a.* 1. Injurious, hurtful, baneful, pernicious, detrimental, unwholesome, mischievous, insalubrious, deleterious, noisome, pestiferous, pestilent, deadly, destructive, poisonous.
2. Unfavorable, injurious, pernicious, baneful, harmful, corrupting.

**Nozzle,** *n.* Nose, snout.

**Nubile,** *a.* Marriageable.

**Nucleus,** *n.* Kernel, core, centre.

**Nude,** *a.* Bare, uncovered, undressed, unclothed, naked, exposed, denuded, stark naked, in a state of nature, *in puris naturalibus.*

**Nudge,** *v. a.* Push gently, jog, poke.

**Nudge,** *n.* Gentle push, jog, poke.

**Nudity,** *n.* Nakedness.

**Nugatory,** *a.* 1. Trifling, futile, vain, insignificant, trivial, frivolous, worthless.
2. Inoperative, ineffectual, inefficacious, unavailing, useless, bootless, null, to no purpose.

**Nugget,** *n.* Lump, mass.

**Nuisance,** *n.* Annoyance, plague, bane, infliction, pest, bore.

**Null,** *a.* 1. Void, invalid, useless, nugatory, of no efficacy, of no account, ineffectual.
2. Characterless, expressionless.

**Nullify,** *v. a.* Annul, invalidate, cancel, abrogate, repeal, make void, make of no effect, abolish, revoke.

**Nullity,** *n.* 1. Non-existence, nonentity, nihility, nothingness, insignificance.
2. Nothing, nonentity.
3. Invalidity, inefficacy.

**Numb,** *a.* Torpid, benumbed, paralyzed, deadened, insensible.

**Numb,** *v. a.* Benumb, stupefy, deaden, make torpid.

**Number,** *v. a.* 1. Count, enumerate, tell, reckon, calculate, compute, numerate, call over, tell off, run over, sum up.
2. Reckon, account.
3. Equal in number.
4. Amount to, reach the number of, contain, include, consist of.
5. Designate by number, affix a number to.

**Number,** *n.* 1. Figure, numeral, digit, *numero.*
2. Many.
3. Multitude, numerousness.
4. Collection of units.

**Numberless,** *a.* Innumerable, countless, infinite.

**Number one.** (*Colloq.*) Self.

**Numbers,** *n. pl.* 1. Verse, poetry, song.
2. Fourth book of the Pentateuch; census of the Hebrews.

**Numb-fish,** *n.* (*Ich.*) Torpedo.

**Numbness,** *n.* Torpor, insensibility, deadness, paralysis, torpidity, palsy.

**Numeral,** *n.* Figure, number, digit.

**Numerate,** *v. a.* Reckon, enumerate, count, number, call over, tell off.

**Numeric,** } *a.* 1. Numeral.
**Numerical,** } 2. Identical.

**Numerous,** *a.* Large (*in number*), made up of many.

**Numskull,** *n.* Blockhead, simpleton, dunce, dolt, dullard, fool.

**Nuncio,** *n.* 1. Messenger, intelligencer.
2. Ambassador (*of the Pope*), legate.

**Nuncupative,** *a.* 1. (*Law.*) Oral.
2. Nominal, nuncupatory.

**Nunnery,** *n.* Convent, cloister, abbey, monastery.

**Nuptial,** *a.* Bridal, hymeneal.

**Nuptials,** *n. pl.* Marriage, wedding, bridal, espousals, nuptial festival, marriage ceremony.

**Nurse,** *v. a.* 1. Nourish, nurture, supply with nourishment.
2. Suckle, feed at the breast, give suck to, nourish at the breast
3. Cherish, foster, encourage, succor, promote, foment, fester, feed, pamper.
4. Tend in sickness, care for, take care of, attend upon.
5. Manage, economize.
6. Caress, fondle, dandle.
7. Rear, nurture, bring up.

**Nursling,** *n.* Infant, babe, baby, suckling, child, fondling, nurse-child.

**Nurture,** *n.* 1. Nourishment, food, diet.
2. Training, education, instruction, discipline, tuition, schooling, breeding.
3. Nursing, nourishing, tender care, attention.

**Nurture,** *v. a.* 1. Feed, nourish, nurse, tend.
2. Train, educate, instruct, school, rear, breed, discipline, bring up, train up.

**Nutgall,** *n.* Gall, gall-nut.

**Nutriment,** *n.* 1. Aliment, nourishment, nutrition, food, sustenance, subsistence.
2. Pabulum.

**Nutrition,** *n.* 1. Nourishing, feeding.
2. Food, nutriment.

**Nutritious,** } *a.* Nourishing, strengthening, whole-
**Nutritive,** } some, nutrimental, alimental, nutrient.

**Nyctalopy,** *n.* Day-blindness, nocturnal sight.

**Nye,** *n.* Brood, flock.

**Nymph,** *n.* (*In poetry.*) Damsel, maiden, maid, lass, girl.

**Nympha,** *n.* (*Ent.*) Pupa, chrysalis, aurelia, nymph.

**Nyssa,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Tupelo, pepperidge, sour gum-tree.

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**Oaf,** *n.* I. Changeling (*when a foolish child is left in place of another*).
2. Fool, simpleton, dolt, idiot, blockhead, dunce.
**Oaky,** *a.* Hard, firm, strong.
**Oath,** *n.* I. Solemn affirmation, imprecatory pledge, vow, sworn statement *or* promise *or* pledge.
2. Imprecation, blasphemy, curse, malediction.
**Obduracy,** *n.* I. Contumacy, stubbornness, doggedness, hardness of heart, obstinacy.
2. Impenitence, depravity.
**Obdurate,** *a.* I. Hard, harsh, rugged, rough.
2. Hardened, obstinate, firm, callous, unfeeling, stubborn, unyielding, dogged, pig-headed, inflexible, inexorable, cantankerous, hard-hearted, unbending, unsusceptible, insensible.
3. Depraved, graceless, shameless, reprobate, lost, impenitent, irreclaimable, incorrigible.
**Obedience,** *n.* I. Compliance, submission.
2. Dutifulness, duty, reverence, respect.
**Obedient,** *a.* Compliant, submissive, deferential, dutiful, respectful, yielding compliance, observant, regardful, subservient.
**Obeisance,** *n.* Salutation, reverence, bow, courtesy.
**Obelisk,** *n.* I. Column, pillar, quadrangular pillar.
2. Dagger (*in printing*).
**Obese,** *a.* Fat, fleshy, corpulent, stout, plump, portly, gross.
**Obesity,** *n.* Fleshiness, fatness, corpulence, corpulency, plumpness, *embonpoint*, obeseness.
**Obfuscate,** *v. a.* I. Darken, cloud, obscure.
2. Bewilder, confuse, muddle.
**Obit,** *n.* I. Funeral rite, obsequies.
2. Death, decease.
**Obituary,** *n.* Necrology.
**Object,** *n.* I. Thing, reality, particular, existence, fact, phenomenon, percept, thing perceived, external reality.
2. Mark, aim, target, butt; goal, end, destination; recipient, correlate, *or* complement (*of a conscious subject*).
3. End, aim, intent, intention, purpose, design, motive, use, view, drift, goal, final cause.
4. (*Gram.*) Regimen, complement.
**Objection,** *n.* Exception, difficulty, doubt, scruple.
**Objectionable,** *a.* Exceptionable.
**Objective,** *a.* I. Belonging to *or* characterizing the object (*as distinguished from the subject*).
2. Outward, external, real, actual, positive, true, unconditional, universal, non-subjective, free from subjective limits.
3. Absorbed in objects, non-introversive, free from introversion, wholly occupied with the object *or* fact, that tells things as they are, that does not color facts, that paints things in their own light, extroitive (*rare*).
4. (*Gram.*) Denoting the object *or* regimen *or* complement.
5. (*Mil.*) Destined, aimed at, of chief aim, of ultimate strategy.
**Objectless,** *a.* Aimless, purposeless, wandering, vague, desultory.
**Object to.** Disapprove of, protest against, take exception to.
**Objurgate,** *v. a.* Chide, reprove, reprehend.
**Objurgation,** *n.* Reproof, reprehension, rebuke.
**Objurgatory,** *a.* Culpatory, reprehensory, reproving, rebuking.
**Oblation,** *n.* Offering, sacrifice.
**Obligate,** *v. a.* (*Inelegant.*) Bind, oblige, bring under obligation.
**Obligation,** *n.* I. Responsibility, accountableness, bond of duty.
2. Engagement, contract, agreement, stipulation, bond, covenant.
3. Debt of gratitude.
**Obligato,** *a.* (*Mus.*) [Written also *Obbligato.*] Required, necessary, indispensable.
**Obligatory,** *a.* Binding, coercive.
**Oblige,** *v a.* I. Compel, force, coerce, constrain, necessitate, bind.
2. Serve, accommodate, please, favor, benefit, gratify, do a service for, do a favor to.
3. Obligate, bind, bring *or* lay under obligation.
**Obliging,** *a.* Civil, complaisant, kind, considerate, accommodating, courteous, polite, friendly, urbane, affable.
**Oblique,** *a.* I. Inclined, aslant, slanting.
2. Indirect, obscure.
3. Underhand.
4. Envious, unpropitious, malignant, sinister, bad.
5. Collateral, indirect.
**Obliterate,** *v. a.* I. Efface, erase, expunge, cancel, rub out, rub off, blot out, scratch out, wipe out, strike out.
2. Wear out, destroy.
**Obliteration,** *n.* Effacement, erasure, extinction, blotting out.
**Oblivion,** *n.* I. Forgetfulness (Oblivion *refers especially to the thing forgotten*).
2. Amnesty, general pardon.
**Oblivious,** *a.* Forgetful, mindless, heedless, careless, negligent, neglectful.
**Obloquy,** *n.* Reproach, detraction, odium, censure, blame, calumny, contumely, slander, defamation, backbiting, traducing, aspersion, reviling.
**Obnoxious,** *a.* I. Reprehensible, censurable, blameworthy, faulty.
2. Hateful, unpleasing, odious, offensive, unpopular.
3. Subject, liable, answerable, exposed (with *to*), amenable.
**Oboe,** *n.* Hautboy.
**Obscene,** *a.* I. Indecent, indelicate, immodest, impure, ribald, gross, coarse, broad, unchaste, lewd, loose, smutty, offensive, shameless, filthy.
2. Dirty, filthy, foul, offensive, disgusting.
3. Inauspicious, ill-omened, ill-boding.
**Obscenity,** *n.* I. Indecency, indelicacy, immodesty, unchastity, lewdness, obsceneness.
2. Ribaldry, lewdness, smuttiness, indelicacy.
**Obscure,** *a.* I. Dark, gloomy, rayless, darksome, unilluminated, unenlightened, dusky, sombre, sombrous, lurid, shadowy, murky, dim.
2. Unintelligible, incomprehensible, indistinct, indefinite, vague, doubtful, enigmatical, mysterious, mystic, mystical, recondite, abstruse, cabalistic, transcendental, high, intricate, involved, difficult, blind.
3. Retired, remote, secluded.
4. Unknown, undistinguished, nameless, unnoted, unnoticed, renownless, unhonored, humble, inglorious.
5. Imperfect, dim, indistinct, defective.
**Obscure,** *v. a* I. Darken, cloud, eclipse, dim, shade, obfuscate.
2. Degrade, tarnish.

3. Hide, disguise, keep in the dark, conceal, cover.

**Obscurity,** *n.* 1. Darkness, dimness, gloom, gloominess, shade, obscuration, cloud, obfuscation, opacity.
2. Unintelligibleness, darkness of meaning.
3. Humbleness.
4. Seclusion, retirement, privacy.

**Obsequies,** *n. pl.* Exequies, funeral rites, funeral solemnities, obit.

**Obsequious,** *a.* Fawning, sycophantic, deferential, flattering, cringing, servile, slavish, supple, meanly submissive.

**Obsequiousness,** *n.* Fawning, cringing, servility, slavishness, suppleness, sycophancy, mean compliance.

**Observable,** *a.* Noticeable, remarkable, marked, striking, noteworthy.

**Observance,** *n.* 1. Performance, fulfilment, discharge, acquittal.
2. Form, ceremony, ceremonial, rite.
3. Practice, custom, usage, fashion.
4. Attention, service, respect.

**Observant,** *a.* 1. Mindful, regardful, heedful, attentive, watchful.
2. Obedient, attentive to.
3. Attentive, submissive.

**Observation,** *n.* 1. Notice, attention, observance.
2. Remark, note, annotation.
3. Knowledge, experience, note.
4. Remark, comment.
5. Observance.

**Observe,** *v. a.* 1. Notice, remark, note, watch, eye, mark, take note of, pay attention to.
2. See, behold, notice, perceive, detect, discover.
3. Utter, express, remark, mention, say.
4. Fulfil, obey, follow, comply with, conform to, adhere to, be faithful to.
5. Celebrate, regard, keep, solemnize.

**Observe,** *v. n.* 1. Take notice, attend.
2. Make a remark, comment.

**Observer,** *n.* 1. Beholder, spectator, bystander, on-looker, looker-on.
2. Regarder, keeper.
3. Student, examiner, watcher.
4. Fulfiller, performer, keeper.

**Obsolete,** *a.* Antiquated, disused, neglected, unfashionable, old-fashioned, out of date, fallen into desuetude, ancient, antique, old, archaic, past.

**Obstacle,** *n.* Hindrance, obstruction, impediment, difficulty, check, barrier, stumbling-block.

**Obstetrician,** *n.* Midwife, *accoucheur.*

**Obstetrics,** *n. pl.* Midwifery, tocology.

**Obstinacy,** *n.* 1. Stubbornness, doggedness, headiness, wilfulness, perversity, contumacy, obduracy, inflexibility, pertinacity, persistency, firmness, resoluteness.
2. Fixedness, immovability, stubbornness, tenacity, tenaciousness.

**Obstinate,** *a.* 1. Stubborn, dogged, contumacious, unyielding, inflexible, perverse, mulish, opinionated, opinionative, wilful, heady, headstrong, refractory, unruly, cross-grained, intractable, obdurate, persistent, self-willed, immovable, firm, resolute, pertinacious.
2. Unyielding, immovable, stubborn, tenacious.

**Obstreperous,** *a.* Loud, noisy, clamorous, turbulent, tumultuous, boisterous, uproarious.

**Obstruct,** *v. a.* 1. Close, bar, stop, choke, blockade, barricade, block up, dam up.
2. Hinder, impede, oppose, stop, prevent.
3. Retard, interrupt, check, clog, embarrass, arrest.

**Obstruction,** *n.* 1. Hindrance, obstacle, impediment, barrier, check, difficulty, bar.
2. Check, hindrance, embarrassment, clog, interruption.

**Obtain,** *v. a.* Procure, get, acquire, achieve, gain, win, earn, secure, get possession of, attain.

**Obtain,** *v. n.* Hold good, subsist, continue in use, be received, become prevalent, be established.

**Obtest,** *v. a.* 1. Beseech, implore, conjure, supplicate, beg, invoke, entreat, pray, solicit, importune, conjure, adjure.
2. Beg for, supplicate.

**Obtrude,** *v. a.* Intrude, thrust in, press in, foist in, worm in, interfere.

**Obtrusive,** *a.* Intrusive, forward, officious, inclined to obtrude.

**Obtuse,** *a.* 1. Blunt.
2. Dull, stupid, stolid, doltish, blockish, stockish, heavy, slow, unintelligent, unintellectual, dull-witted, blunt-witted.
3. Dull, obscure, deadened, muffled.

**Obtuseness,** *n.* 1. Bluntness.
2. Dulness, stupidity, stolidity, doltishness, obtusion, obtusity.
3. Dulness, obscurity.

**Obviate,** *v. a.* Preclude, prevent, turn aside, remove, provide against.

**Obvious,** *a.* 1. Open, exposed, liable, subject, obnoxious.
2. Plain, evident, manifest, clear, palpable, visible, patent, apparent, unmistakable, perceptible, distinct, self-evident.

**Occasion,** *n.* 1. Occurrence, incident, casualty, event.
2. Opportunity, convenience, juncture, conjuncture, opening, suitable time, favorable time, nick of time, golden opportunity.
3. Necessity, need, exigency, requirement, want.
4. Cause (*incidental*), ground, reason.
5. Motive, reason, inducement, influence.
6. Circumstances, juncture, exigency.

**Occasion,** *v. a.* 1. Cause, produce, originate, breed, create, bring about, give rise to, give occasion to, bring to pass, be the cause of.
2. Induce, influence, persuade, move.

**Occasional,** *a.* 1. Incidental, accidental, casual, irregular.
2. Causative, causing.

**Occasionally,** *ad.* Sometimes, casually, at times, now and then.

**Occasive,** *a.* Falling, setting, descending, western.

**Occident,** *n.* West.

**Occidental,** *a.* Western.

**Occult,** *a.* Hidden, secret, unrevealed, invisible, unknown, undiscovered, undetected, mysterious, mystic, mystical, recondite, cabalistic, latent, abstruse, veiled, shrouded.

**Occultation,** *n.* Eclipse, occulting.

**Occupancy,** *n.* Possession (*for the time*), tenure, holding, use, occupation, enjoyment.

**Occupant,** *n.* Possessor (*for the time*), occupier, holder, tenant.

**Occupation,** *n.* 1. Possession, holding tenure, use, occupancy.
2. Business, engagement, employment.
3. Employment, business, calling, vocation, avocation, profession, pursuit, trade, craft, walk of life.

**Occupy,** *v. a.* 1. Possess (*for the time*), keep, hold, have possession of.
2. Cover, fill, take up, possess.
3. Employ, use.
4. Follow, pursue, be engaged with.
5. Employ, busy, engage.

**Occur,** *v. n.* 1. Appear, arise, offer, come into view, present itself, be met with, meet the eye, be found.

2. Come to one's mind, come into one's head, flash on the mind, present itself, appear.
3. Befall, happen, fall out, take place, come about, come to pass.

**Occurrence,** *n.* Incident, event, accident, casualty, adventure, affair, transaction, proceeding.

**Ocean,** *n.* 1. Sea, main, deep, great deep, great sea, high sea.
2. Immense expanse, infinity.

**Oceanic,** *a.* Marine, pelagic, Neptunian.

**Ochlocracy,** *n.* Mobocracy, mob-government.

**Octagon,** *n.* Eight-sided figure.

**Octagonal,** *a.* Eight-sided, eight-angled.

**Octopus,** *n.* Cuttlefish, ink-fish, squid (*Sepia officinalis*).

**Octuple,** *a.* Eightfold.

**Od,** *n.* Odyle, odyllic force, odic force, odyl.

**Odd,** *a.* 1. Uneven, not divisible by 2.
2. Unmatched, single (*of a pair* or *set*).
3. Supernumerary, redundant, left over (*from a specified number*), additional, remaining.
4. Unheeded.
5. Retired, secluded.
6. Incidental, casual, fragmentary.
7. Unsuitable, inappropriate, queer.
8. Singular, unusual, extraordinary, queer, quaint, strange, uncommon, eccentric, fantastic, whimsical, peculiar, unique, comical, droll, grotesque, extravagant, out of the way, *bizarre*.

**Oddity,** *n.* Singularity, strangeness, queerness.

**Oddly,** *ad.* Strangely, unusually, irregularly, singularly, uncouthly.

**Odds,** *n. sing.* and *pl.* 1. Difference, disparity, inequality.
2. Probability.
3. Advantage, superiority, supremacy.

**Odds and ends.** Fragments, remnants, scraps, refuse.

**Ode,** *n.* Lyric poem.

**Odious,** *a.* 1. Hateful, detestable, execrable, abominable, shocking.
2. Hateful, invidious.
3. Hated, obnoxious, unpopular.
4. Disagreeable, offensive, disgusting, repulsive, loathsome, forbidding.

**Odium,** *n.* 1. Hatred, hate, dislike, enmity, abhorrence, detestation, antipathy.
2. Odiousness, repulsiveness.
3. Obloquy, opprobrium, reproach.

**Odontalgia,** *n.* (*Med.*) Toothache, odontalgy.

**Odor,** *n.* Scent (*good* or *bad*), smell, perfume, fragrance, redolence.

**Odoriferous,** } *a.* Fragrant, perfumed, balmy,
**Odorous,** } aromatic, sweet-smelling, sweet-scented, odorant.

**Odyl,** } *n.* Od, odyllic force.
**Odyle,** }

**Œcumenical,** *a.* See ECUMENICAL.

**Œsophagus,** *n.* Gullet.

**Off,** *prep.* 1. Not on, not upon.
2. Against, opposite, opposite to, distant from, along, facing.

**Off,** *a.* 1. Most distant, on the farther side.
2. Right side, right hand.

**Off,** *ad.* 1. Away.
2. From, away.
3. Over, done.

**Offal,** *n.* 1. Garbage.
2. Waste, refuse, rubbish.
3. Carrion.

**Offence,** *n.* 1. Attack, assault, aggression, onset (*in the expression "weapons of offence"*).
2. Hurt, harm, injury.
3. Displeasure, anger, indignation, wrath, umbrage, resentment.
4. Injury, injustice, affront, wrong, insult, indignity, outrage.
5. Trespass, transgression, misdeed, delinquency, misdemeanor, crime, sin, fault.

**Offend,** *v. a.* 1. Affront, displease, vex, chafe, annoy, irritate, provoke, nettle, mortify, fret, gall, give offence to, make angry.
2. Shock, wound, pain, annoy, molest.

**Offend,** *v. n.* 1. Give offence.
2. Transgress, sin, do wrong, commit offence, stumble, err, fall.
3. Take offence, be scandalized.

**Offender,** *n.* 1. Transgressor, culprit, trespasser, delinquent.
2. Convict, felon, criminal, malefactor.

**Offensive,** *a.* 1. Aggressive, assailant, attacking, invading.
2. Disgusting, nauseating, nauseous, sickening, loathsome, repulsive.
3. Disagreeable, unpleasant, unpalatable, displeasing, revolting, shocking, abominable, detestable, hateful, execrable, obnoxious.
4. Irritating, disagreeable, unpleasant, impertinent, rude, saucy, opprobrious, insolent, insulting, abusive.

**Offer,** *v. a.* 1. Present, tender, proffer.
2. Exhibit, proffer, put forward.
3. Furnish, propose, propound, show, give, move.
4. Sacrifice, immolate, present.
5. Bid (*as price*).

**Offer,** *v. n.* 1. Occur, present itself, be at hand.
2. Volunteer, propose, make an offer.
3. Make an attempt, venture, dare, essay, endeavor.

**Offer,** *n.* 1. Proposal, proposition, proffer, tender, overture.
2. Bid.
3. Attempt, endeavor, essay.

**Offering,** *n.* Sacrifice, oblation.

**Off-hand,** *a.* Unpremeditated, unstudied, extempore, free and easy, *impromptu*.

**Off-hand,** *ad.* Extempore, at the moment, on the spur of the moment, without premeditation *or* study, readily, with ease, *impromptu*.

**Office,** *n.* 1. Work, service, duty, customary duty.
2. Station (*conferred by authority*), post, situation, place, position, berth.
3. Charge, trust, business, employment, duty, service, function, capacity.
4. Place of business, room, bureau.
5. Service, act of worship, formulary of devotion.
6. Company, corporation.

**Officer,** *n.* Official, functionary, magistrate.

**Official,** *a.* Authoritative, by authority.

**Official,** *n.* Functionary, officer, magistrate.

**Officiate,** *v. n.* Act, serve, perform.

**Officious,** *a.* Meddlesome, interfering, intermeddling, obtrusive, busy, pragmatical, meddling, pushing forward.

**Offscouring,** *n.* Refuse, sweepings, dirt, scum, dross, recrement, rubbish, offscum.

**Offset,** *n.* 1. Sprout, shoot, slip, branch, offshoot, twig, scion.
2. Counterpoise, counterbalance, set-off, equivalent.

**Offshoot,** *n.* Shoot, branch, offset.

**Offspring,** *n.* 1. Issue, progeny, child *or* children, descendant *or* descendants, posterity.
2. Production.

**Offuscate,** *v. a.* See OBFUSCATE.

**Of old.** Anciently, a long while ago, in the olden time, in ancient times, in days of yore, long ago, in days long gone, formerly.

**Oft,** *ad.* (*Poetical.*) Often, frequently.

**Often,** *ad.* Frequently, repeatedly, many times, oftentimes, ofttimes (*poetical*).

**Of the first water.** Of the first *or* highest excellence (*said of a gem*).
**Ogee,** *n.* (*Arch.*) Cymatium, cyma.
**Ogle,** *n.* Side glance, leer, fond look.
**Ogre,** *n.* Monster, spectre, goblin, hobgoblin, bugbear, frightful object.
**Oh for.** Oh that I had, would that I had.
**Oiliness,** *n.* Unctuousness, greasiness.
**Oil of vitriol.** Sulphuric acid, vitriolic acid.
**Oil-plant,** *n.* Sesame, benne, oily-grain (*Sesamum*).
**Oil-seed,** *n.* Castor-bean.
**Oil-skin,** *n.* Waterproof cloth, dreadnaught.
**Oily,** *a.* 1. Unctuous, greasy, oleaginous, sebaceous, fatty, fat, oleose, oleous.
2. Unctuous, smooth, glib, lubricous, oleaginous, supple-chapped, plausible.
3. Supple, compliant, subservient.
**Ointment,** *n.* Unguent.
**Okra,** *n.* [Written also *Ochra*, *Ocra*, and *Okro*.] Gumbo (*Abelmoschus esculentus*).
**Old,** *a.* 1. Aged, elderly, of advanced age, advanced in years.
2. Ancient, antique, antiquated, old-fashioned, olden.
3. Of long date, not new.
4. Going to decay, worn out, good for nothing, decayed.
5. Ancient, pristine, primitive, original.
6. Former, pre-existing, preceding.
7. Experienced, practised, skilled.
8. Long-cultivated, fertile, rich.
9. Thoughtful, sensible, intelligent.
10. Crafty, cunning, sly, wise, shrewd, sagacious (*colloq.*).
11. Aged, antiquated, bad, mean.
**Old age.** Senility, oldness.
**Olden,** *a.* Ancient, old.
**Old-fashioned,** *a.* Antiquated, antique, ancient, old, archaic, out of fashion, out of date.
**Oldness,** *n.* 1. Antiquity.
2. Age, old age.
**Old-time,** *a.* Former, quondam, late, in former times.
**Old-womanish,** *a.* Anile, aged, doting, imbecile, decrepit, superannuated.
**Old-world,** *a.* Antiquated, old-fashioned.
**Oleaginous,** *a.* Oily, unctuous, greasy, sebaceous, adipose, fatty, fat.
**Oleander,** *n.* Rose-bay (*Nerium oleander*).
**Olfactory,** *a.* Smelling.
**Olibanum,** *n.* Frankincense (*of the ancients*).
**Olio,** *n.* 1. Stew, *ragoût*.
2. Medley, mixture, jumble, farrago, hodgepodge, hotch-potch, salmagundi, gallimaufry.
3. (*Mus.*) Miscellany, mixed collection.
**Olive,** *a.* Olive-green, brownish-green, olivaceous, olivaster, olive-colored, brownish, tawny.
**Olla-podrida,** *n.* [Sp.] Mixture, medley, olio.
**Ombrometer,** *n.* Rain-gauge, pluviameter, udometer.
**Omen,** *n.* Prognostic, presage, augury, foreboding, portent, auspice, sign.
**Omentum,** *n.* (*Anat.*) Caul, epiploön.
**Ominous,** *a.* Portentous, monitory, premonitory, inauspicious, unpropitious.
**Omission,** *n.* Failure, neglect, default, oversight.
**Omit,** *v. a.* 1. Leave out, drop.
2. Neglect, miss, let slip, let go, pass by, disregard, pretermit.
**Omnibus,** *n.* Stage, stagecoach.
**Omnipotence,** *n.* 1. Almighty power.
2. God, the Omnipotent.
3. Unlimited power.
**Omnipotent,** *a.* Almighty, all-powerful.
**Omnipotent,** *n.* [With *The* prefixed.] God, the Almighty.
**Omnipresence,** *n.* Ubiquity, universal presence.
**Omnipresent,** *a.* Ubiquitous, universally present, ubiquitary.
**Omniscience,** *n.* 1. Infinite wisdom, boundless knowledge, omnisciency.
2. God, the Omnipotent.
**Omniscient,** *a.* Infinitely wise, all-wise, all-knowing, all-seeing.
**Omnivorous,** *a.* All-devouring, pantophagous.
**Omoplate,** *n.* Shoulder-blade, shoulder-bone, scapula.
**On,** *prep.* Upon.
**On,** *ad.* 1. Forward, onward.
2. Forward, in succession.
3. In continuance, without interruption, without ceasing.
4. Steady, adhering.
5. Attached, put on, upon the body.
**On account of.** By reason of, by virtue of, in consequence of.
**On all fours.** 1. On four legs.
2. Evenly balanced, quite parallel, quite symmetrical.
**On all hands.** By all parties, by everybody.
**On an average.** Taking a mean of all cases, taking the average.
**Onanism,** *n.* Masturbation, self-pollution, self-abuse, secret vice.
**On a par.** On a level, on an equality.
**On a sudden.** Suddenly.
**Once,** *ad.* 1. One time.
2. Formerly.
**Once and again.** Repeatedly, at repeated times.
**Once in a way.** Once and no more, on rare occasions.
**On-coming,** *a.* Approaching, nearing.
**On-dit,** *n.* [Fr.] Rumor, report, bruit, flying report.
**One,** *a.* 1. Single, individual.
2. The same, common, single in kind.
3. United, undivided.
4. Some, any.
**One,** *n.* 1. Unit
2. Individual, person, human being.
**One-berry,** *n.* True-love, herb-paris (*Paris quadrifolia*).
**One day.** Some day, sooner or later, one of these days.
**On end.** Erect, upright.
**Oneness,** *n.* Individuality, unity, singleness.
**One of these days.** Some day, one day, sooner or later.
**Onerous,** *a.* Burdensome, oppressive, heavy, weighty, hard, difficult.
**One-sided,** *a.* Partial, unjust, unfair, prejudiced.
**On exhibition.** Displayed, exhibited, on view.
**On fire.** Burning, aflame.
**On hand.** In possession, in store.
**On high.** Aloft.
**On horseback.** On a horse's back, riding.
**On-looker,** *n.* Spectator, beholder, observer, bystander, looker-on.
**Only,** *a.* Sole, solitary, alone, single.
**Only,** *ad.* 1. Merely, barely, simply, and nothing else.
2. Solely, no other than.
3. Singly, without more.
**Only,** *conj.* But, excepting that.
**On sale.** For sale, to be sold, offered for sale.
**Onset,** } *n.* Attack, assault, charge, storm,
**Onset,** } storming, first brunt.
**On stilts.** Pretentious, pompous, bombastic.
**On tap.** Tapped, broached, abroach.
**On the alert.** Watching, watchful, attentive, vigilant, on the lookout.
**On the anvil.** In preparation, in progress, in process.

**On the contrary.** I. In opposition, on the other side.
2. So far from being so, it is just the reverse; it is quite otherwise.
**On the docket.** In hand, under consideration.
**On the lookout.** Watchful, watching, on the alert.
**On the mend.** Convalescent, recovering.
**On the passage.** On the way, *en route*.
**On the qui vive.** On the alert.
**On the score of.** On account of.
**On the sly.** Furtively, slyly.
**On the spot.** Immediately, instantly, at once.
**On the way.** On the passage, *en route*.
**On the whole.** All things considered, in view of all the circumstances, taking everything into account, upon the whole.
**On the wing.** I. Flying, in flight.
2. Departing.
**On tick.** (*Colloq.*) On credit.
**Onus,** *n.* [L.] Burden.
**On view.** On exhibition.
**Onward,** / **Onwards,** } *ad.* Forward, in advance, on, ahead.
**Onward,** *a.* I. Advancing.
2. Forward, advanced, improved.
3. Conducting.
**Oolite,** *n.* I. Egg-stone.
2. Roestone.
3. Pisolite, pea-grit, pea-stone.
**Ooze,** *n.* Mire, slime, mud.
**Ooze,** *v. n.* Percolate, filter, transude, exude, strain, drain, leak.
**Ooze,** *v. a.* Drip, drop, shed, distil.
**Oozy,** *a.* Miry, slimy, muddy.
**Opacity,** *n.* I. Opaqueness, want of transparency.
2. Darkness, obscurity.
**Opalescence,** *n.* Iridescence, lustre.
**Opalescent,** *a.* Iridescent, irisated, polychromatic, nacreous.
**Opaque,** *a.* Not transparent.
**Opaqueness,** *n.* Opacity, want of transparency.
**Ope,** *v. a.* and *v. n.* (*Poetical.*) Open.
**Open,** *v. a.* I. Unclose, lay open, make open, render free of access.
2. Spread, expand.
3. Exhibit, explain, interpret.
4. Begin, commence, enter upon, initiate.
5. Show, bring to knowledge.
6. Reveal, disclose.
7. Make liberal, liberalize.
**Open,** *v. n.* I. Part, be unclosed, be parted, be sundered, be severed.
2. Come into view, begin to appear.
3. Begin, commence.
**Open,** *a.* I. Unclosed, uncovered.
2. Expanded, extended, unclosed, spread.
3. Frank, unreserved, candid, ingenuous, undisguised, undesigning, artless, undissembling, sincere, guileless, fair, honest, single-minded, above-board, open-hearted, hearty, cordial.
4. Liberal, generous, munificent, bountiful, open-handed, free, bounteous.
5. Exposed, unprotected, undefended.
6. Clear, unobstructed.
7. Unenclosed, accessible, public, unrestricted, free to all.
8. Unsettled, not adjusted.
9. Mild, moderate.
10. Plain, evident, apparent, laid bare, obvious.
11. Fully prepared, attentive.
12. Undetermined, to be debated, debatable.
**Open-eyed,** *a.* Watchful, vigilant, alert.
**Open-handed,** *a.* Generous, liberal, munificent, bountiful, open.
**Open-hearted,** *a.* Candid, frank, artless, guileless, open, sincere, ingenuous, honest, generous.
**Opening,** *a.* First, commencing, introductory, initiatory.
**Opening,** *n.* I. Aperture, hole, orifice, perforation, breach, chasm, cleft, gap, fissure, rent, rift, flaw.
2. Beginning, commencement, dawn, first appearance.
3. Opportunity, chance, vacancy.
**Openly,** *ad.* I. Publicly.
2. Candidly, frankly, plainly.
**Open-mouthed,** *a.* I. Gaping.
2. Greedy, ravenous.
3. Clamorous, vociferous.
**Openness,** *n.* I. Clearness.
2. Unreservedness, plainness.
3. Frankness, candor, honesty, ingenuousness.
4. Mildness, pleasantness, fair weather.
**Opera-glass,** *n.* *Lorgnette.*
**Operate,** *v. n.* [Followed by *on* or *upon*.] Act, work, have effect, have influence.
**Operate,** *v. a.* I. Produce, effect, cause, occasion.
2. Work.
**Operation,** *n.* I. Action, agency.
2. Influence, effect, action, force.
3. Performance, procedure, process, proceeding, manipulation.
4. Movement, motion, manœuvre.
**Operative,** *a.* I. Acting, active, in action, in operation.
2. Effective, efficient, effectual, efficacious, serviceable, vigorous.
3. Practical.
**Operative,** *n.* Laborer, artisan, laboring man, workman.
**Operator,** *n.* I. Doer, actor, performer, agent, executor.
2. Manipulator.
**Operose,** *a.* I. Laborious, toilsome, hard, onerous, burdensome, difficult.
2. Wearisome, tedious, irksome.
**Ophite,** *n.* (*Min.*) I. Serpentine, ophiolite.
2. Verd-antique marble.
3. Green porphyry, oriental verd-antique.
**Ophiuchus,** *n.* Serpent-bearer (*Serpentarius*).
**Ophthalmia,** *n.* [L.] See OPHTHALMY.
**Ophthalmy,** *n.* (*Med.*) Ophthalmia, inflammation of the eye.
**Opiate,** *n.* Anodyne, narcotic, sedative.
**Opiate,** *a.* Soporiferous, somniferous, narcotic, anodynous, sedative.
**Opine,** *v. n.* Think, judge, believe, suppose, conceive, apprehend, fancy, presume, take it, be of opinion, have an opinion, ween.
**Opinion,** *n.* I. Judgment, notion, view, idea, conception, impression, sentiment.
2. Estimate.
3. Belief, persuasion.
4. Estimation, favorable judgment, esteem.
**Opinionated,** *a.* Conceited, dogmatical, opinionative, stiff *or* stubborn in opinion, opinioned.
**Opinionative,** *a.* See OPINIONATED.
**Opponent,** *n.* Antagonist, adversary, rival, competitor, enemy, foe, adverse party, opposer, opposite.
**Opponent,** *a.* I. Opposing, antagonistic, adverse, repugnant, contrary.
2. Opposite.
3. Opposing, rival, emulous.
**Opportune,** *a.* Seasonable, convenient, timely, fit, suitable, favorable, propitious, auspicious, fortunate, lucky, well-timed, felicitous, appropriate.

**Opportunely,** *ad.* Seasonably, in the nick of time, all in good time, in the fulness of time, *apropos.*

**Opportunity,** *n.* Chance; fit, suitable, *or* favorable time; good chance, fitting occasion, nick of time, occasion, time.

**Oppose,** *v. a.* I. Resist, withstand, confront, contravene, thwart, oppugn, combat, strive against, set one's face against, make a stand against.
2. Check, withstand, prevent, obstruct.
3. Set against, put in opposition.
4. Contradict, gainsay, deny.

**Opposed,** *a.* I. Opposite, opponent.
2. Antagonistic, hostile, adverse, opposite.

**Opposing,** *a.* Conflicting, counteracting, antagonistic, adverse, opposite, hostile, inimical.

**Opposite,** *a.* I. Facing, over against, fronting.
2. Contrary, diverse, unlike, incompatible, inconsistent, irreconcilable.
3. Adverse, opposed, opposing, antagonistic, hostile, inimical, repugnant.

**Opposition,** *n.* I. Contrariety, repugnance, diversity, inconsistency.
2. Counteraction, hostility, resistance.
3. Obstacle, obstruction.

**Oppress,** *v. a.* I. Load, burden, weigh heavily upon, bear hard upon.
2. Overburden, crush, overwhelm, overpower, subdue.
3. Persecute, wrong, maltreat, treat cruelly, tyrannize over.

**Oppression,** *n.* I. Hardship, misery, suffering, calamity.
2. Tyranny, severity, cruelty, injustice, persecution.
3. Depression, lassitude, heaviness, dulness.

**Oppressive,** *a.* I. Burdensome, severe.
2. Heavy, overwhelming, overpowering.
3. Tyrannical, cruel, severe, hard, rigorous, inhuman, grinding, galling.
4. Close, uncomfortable.

**Oppressor,** *n.* Tyrant.

**Opprobrious,** *a.* I. Reproachful, scurrilous, abusive, vituperative, insolent, condemnatory, damnatory, scandalous, contemptuous, offensive, insulting.
2. Infamous, despised, shameful, dishonorable, disgraceful, disreputable, hateful.

**Opprobrium,** *n.* I. Scurrility, abusive language, contemptuous reproaches, contumely.
2. Reproach, disgrace, infamy, ignominy, obloquy, odium.

**Oppugn,** *v. a.* Assail, attack, combat, resist, oppose, thwart, contravene, withstand, strive against.

**Optic,** *n.* Eye.

**Optic,** / **Optical,** } *a.* Visual.

**Option,** *n.* Choice, election, preference, selection.

**Optional,** *a.* Discretional, elective.

**Opulence,** *n.* Wealth, affluence, riches, fortune, independence, easy circumstances, ample means, opulency.

**Opulent** *a.* Wealthy, rich, affluent, flush, moneyed, well off.

**Oracle,** *n.* I. Divine communication.
2. (*Jewish History.*) Sanctuary, Holy of Holies.
3. (*Greek History.*) Deity *or* god (*from whom divine communications come*).
4. Sage, prophet, Solomon, Nestor, wise man, master-mind, shining light.

**Oracular,** *a.* I. Prophetic, portentous, ominous.
2. Authoritative, magisterial, positive, dogmatical.
3. Sage, wise, grave, venerable.
4. Obscure, ambiguous, dark, blind, equivocal.

**Oral,** *a.* Spoken, verbal, nuncupative, parole, vocal.

**Orally,** *ad.* By word of mouth, in words, vocally, verbally, *viva voce.*

**Oration,** *n.* Discourse, address, speech, harangue, declamation.

**Orator,** *n.* Public speaker, eloquent speaker.

**Oratorical,** *a.* Rhetorical, eloquent.

**Oratory,** *n.* I. Eloquence, art of speaking well (*in public*), rhetoric, elocution.
2. Eloquence, eloquent language, exercise of eloquence.

**Orb,** *n.* I. Globe, sphere, ball.
2. Circle, orbit, circuit, ring.
3. Wheel, disk, circle.
4. Revolution, period.

**Orbicular,** *a.* I. Spherical, globular, globated, globous, globose, round, orbed, orbic.
2. Circular, orbed, round.

**Orbit,** *n.* I. Orb, circular path (*of a celestial body*).
2. (*Anat.*) Cavity of the eye.

**Orchestra,** *n.* I. Place for musicians (*as in a theatre*).
2. Band of instrumental musicians (*in an orchestra*).

**Orchotomy,** *n.* (*Med.*) Emasculation, castration.

**Ordain,** *v. a.* I. Appoint, call, elect, consecrate, destine, set apart.
2. Establish, institute, regulate.
3. Decree, enact, order, prescribe, enjoin.
4. Appoint, constitute.

**Ordeal,** *n.* Trial, test, touchstone, proof, assay, experiment, scrutiny, probation.

**Order,** *n.* I. Method, regularity, symmetry, regular arrangement, disposition.
2. Fit condition, proper state.
3. Regulation, rule, canon, prescription, law, standing rule.
4. Regular government, public tranquillity, peace, quiet, discipline.
5. Mandate, precept, injunction, command, direction, instruction.
6. Rank, class, grade, degree, kind.
7. (*Bot.*) Family, tribe.
8. (*Zoöl.*) Sub-class, subordinate class.
9. Fraternity, society, brotherhood, community, class.
10. Commission, direction.
11. Succession, sequence.

**Order,** *v. a.* I. Regulate, arrange, systematize, adjust, methodize.
2. Manage, conduct, carry on.
3. Command, instruct, direct, bid, require, give an order to.
4. Ordain.

**Orderly,** *a.* I. Regular, methodical, systematic.
2. Peaceable, quiet, well-behaved.
3. Well-regulated.

**Orders,** *n. pl.* Holy orders, office of the Christian ministry, the sacred profession, ecclesiastical office.

**Ordinance,** *n.* I. Decree, edict, law, enactment, statute, rule, regulation, command, prescript, order, appointment.
2. Rite, ceremony, observance, sacrament.

**Ordinarily,** *ad.* I. Commonly, usually, generally.
2. Customarily, habitually.

**Ordinary,** *a.* I. Customary, settled, established, wonted, every-day, regular, normal, accustomed.
2. Common, usual, frequent, habitual.
3. Common, usual.
4. Mean, inferior, commonplace, indifferent, mediocre.
5. Plain, homely, commonplace.

**Ordinary,** *n.* I. Eating-house (*where a meal is offered at a settled price*).
2. Public table, *table d'hôte.*
**Ordination,** *n.* I. Consecration, induction, institution.
2. Tendency, foreordination.
**Ordnance,** *n.* Cannon, great guns, artillery.
**Ordure,** *n.* Dung, excrement, fæces.
**Oread,** *n.* Mountain nymph.
**Organ,** *n.* I. Instrument, means.
2. Medium, instrument, means of communication.
3. Voice, vocal organs.
**Organic,** / **Organical,** *a.* I. Radical, fundamental, constitutional, vital.
2. Organized, systematized.
3. Instrumental.
**Organism,** *n.* I. Organic structure.
2. Organization, organized being, organized existence.
**Organization,** *n.* I. Construction, constitution, organizing, forming, making.
2. Organism, organized being, organized existence, organic structure.
**Organize,** *v. a.* I. Constitute (*by assignment of parts*), dispose *or* arrange in parts (*for special functions*), construct, form, make, shape, frame, adjust.
2. Arrange, establish, systematize.
**Orgies,** *n. pl.* Revels, bacchanals, saturnalia, carousal, revelry, wassail, debauch, drunken bout.
**Orient,** *a.* I. Rising.
2. Eastern, oriental.
3. Bright, shining, glittering, sparkling, brilliant.
4. Perfect, precious, faultless.
**Orient,** *n.* I. East.
2. Morning land, Asia, East.
**Oriental,** *a.* I. Eastern, orient.
2. Precious, valuable, perfect.
**Orifice,** *n.* Hole, aperture, perforation, pore, vent, mouth.
**Origin,** *n.* I. Source, rise, spring, fountain, fountain-head, beginning, commencement, derivation, root, foundation, birth, cradle, original, starting-point.
2. Cause, occasion, derivation, root, foundation, fountain, spring.
**Original,** *a.* I. Primitive, aboriginal, primeval, primary, primordial, pristine, first.
2. Untranslated.
3. Inventive, creative.
**Original,** *n.* I. Source, spring, origin, cause, commencement.
2. Archetype, model, pattern, type, prototype, protoplast, exemplar, first copy.
3. (*Colloq.*) Oddity, eccentric person.
**Originate,** *v. a.* Create, bring into existence, be the author of, be the cause of, give rise to, cause to be.
**Originate,** *v. n.* Arise, rise, begin, spring, proceed, emanate, flow, take its rise.
**Originator,** *n.* Inventor, author, maker, creator, father, former, first cause.
**Orison,** *n.* (*Poetical.*) Prayer, supplication, petition, solicitation.
**Ormolu,** *n.* Mosaic gold.
**Ornament,** *n.* Embellishment, decoration, adornment, ornamentation.
**Ornament,** *v. a.* Decorate, adorn, embellish, beautify, garnish, bedeck, grace, emblazon, deck.
**Ornamental,** *a.* Embellishing, serving for ornament.
**Ornate,** *a.* Ornamented, embellished, decorated, bedecked, adorned, rich-wrought, highly wrought, florid.
**Ornithorynchus,** *n.* (*Zool.*) Duck-bill, tambreet.
**Orotund,** *a.* Round, rich, full, sonorous, mellow, musical, clear, ringing.
**Orrery,** *n.* Planetarium.
**Orsedew,** / **Orsedue,** *n.* Mannheim gold, Dutch gold, Dutch foil, Dutch leaf, Dutch metal, Dutch mineral.
**Orthoclase,** *n.* Potash-felspar, orthose, prismatic felspar, felspar.
**Orthodox,** *a.* Sound (*in religious opinions*), of the true faith.
**Orthodoxy,** *n.* True faith, soundness of doctrine.
**Orthogonal,** *a.* Rectangular, right-angled, perpendicular.
**Orthography,** *n.* Spelling.
**Ortive,** *a.* Rising, eastern.
**Orts,** *n. pl.* Fragments, scraps, refuse, odds and ends.
**Oscillate,** *v. n.* I. Swing, vibrate, sway, move to and fro, move backward and forward.
2. Vary, fluctuate.
**Oscillation,** *n.* Vibration, swinging.
**Oscillatory,** *a.* Vibratory, swinging, oscillating, vibrating, oscillative.
**Oscitancy,** *n.* I. Gaping, yawning, oscitation.
2. Sleepiness, drowsiness, dulness.
**Oscitate,** *v. n.* Gape, yawn.
**Osculant,** *a.* I. Kissing, osculatory, osculating.
2. (*Ent.*) Embracing, adhering.
**Osculate,** *v. a.* I. Kiss.
2. (*Geom.*) Touch.
**Osier,** *n.* I. Willow, water-willow.
2. Wicker, withe, willow twig.
**Osseous,** *a.* Bony.
**Ossuary,** *n.* Charnel-house.
**Ostensible,** *a.* I. Shown, declared, avowed, assigned, manifest, apparent, exhibited, presented, visible.
2. Specious, plausible, colorable, pretended, professed.
**Ostentation,** *n.* I. Display, show, parade, pomp, flourish, dash, pomposity, pompousness, pageantry, high pretension, vaunting.
2. Semblance, appearance, show.
**Ostentatious,** *a.* I. Boastful, vain, showy, dashing, flaunting, pompous, vain-glorious, fond of display, pretentious.
2. Showy, gaudy.
**Ostentatiously,** *ad.* Showily, pompously, boastfully, with a flourish of trumpets, with beat of drum.
**Ostler,** *n.* See HOSTLER.
**Ostracism,** *n.* Banishment, expulsion, exclusion, excommunication, separation.
**Ostracize,** *v. a.* Banish, exile, put under the ban.
**Otalgia,** / **Otalgy,** *n.* (*Med.*) Ear-ache.
**Otherwise,** *ad.* I. Differently, not so.
2. Other causes.
3. In other respects.
**Otherwise,** *conj.* Else, but for this.
**Otiose,** *a.* Idle, unemployed, indolent.
**Ottoman,** *n.* Turk.
**Ottoman,** *a.* Turkish.
**Oust,** *v. a.* Eject, expel, dislodge, turn out, dispossess, evict.
**Out,** *ad.* I. On the outside, without.
2. Abroad, not at home, gone out.
3. Revealed, public, disclosed.
4. Finished, exhausted, used up.
5. Lacking, wanting, deficient in.
6. Extinguished.
7. To the end, through.
8. Thoroughly, completely, fully.
9. Loudly, aloud, outright, audibly.
10. At a loss, in a puzzle, confused.
11. Away, off.
12. Uncovered.

**Out and out.** 1. (*Colloq.*) Completely, thoroughly, utterly, wholly.
2. (*Colloq.*) Complete, thorough, consummate, unqualified, thorough-paced, extreme, absolute, perfect.
**Outbalance,** *v. a.* Overweigh, overbalance, overpoise, outweigh.
**Outbreak,** *n.* 1. Eruption, explosion, outburst, ebullition.
2. Riot, row, fray, affray, broil, conflict, breach of the peace, commotion.
3. Manifestation.
**Outburst,** *n.* Eruption, outbreak.
**Outcast,** *n.* 1. Exile.
2. Reprobate, castaway, vagabond, Pariah, abandoned wretch.
**Outcome,** *n.* Issue, result, consequence.
**Outcrop,** *n.* (*Geol.*) 1. Basseting, cropping out.
2. Basset, basset-edge, crop.
**Outcry,** *n.* 1. Cry, scream, screech, yell.
2. Clamor, vociferation, noise, hue and cry, tumult.
3. Auction, public sale.
**Outdo,** *v. a.* Excel, surpass, exceed, beat, outstrip, outvie, outgo, go beyond, be superior to.
**Outdoor,** *a.* Exterior, open-air, out-of-door, extraforaneous.
**Outdoors,** *ad.* Abroad, out-of-doors, in the open air, out of the house.
**Outer,** *a.* Exterior, external.
**Outface,** *v. a.* Brave, look out of countenance, stare down.
**Outfit,** *n.* Equipment.
**Outflow,** *n.* Efflux, effusion, flow, outpouring.
**Outgo,** *v. a.* 1. Outstrip, go beyond.
2. Surpass, excel, exceed, outdo, outvie, beat, be superior to.
3. Circumvent, overreach
**Outgo,** *n.* Expenditure, outlay, outgoing.
**Outgrowth,** *n.* Offshoot, result.
**Out-Herod Herod.** Be very extravagant, overdo the matter, surpass.
**Outing,** *n.* Excursion, airing.
**Outlandish,** *a.* 1. Foreign, strange, exotic, alien, from abroad.
2. Barbarous, strange, uncouth, queer, *bizarre*.
**Outlaw,** *n.* Robber, bandit, brigand, freebooter, highwayman, marauder.
**Outlaw,** *v. a.* Proscribe.
**Outlay,** *n.* Expenditure, outgo.
**Outlet,** *n.* Exit, egress, vent.
**Outline,** *n.* 1. Contour.
2. Outline drawing.
3. Sketch, plan, draft, delineation, drawing, rough draft.
**Outlive,** *v a.* Survive, live longer than.
**Outlook,** *n.* 1. Watch.
2. Prospect, view, sight
3. Foresight.
4. Watch-tower, lookout.
**Outlying,** *a.* 1. Remote, distant.
2. Exterior, frontier, bounding.
**Outmost,** *a.* Remotest, farthest, outermost.
**Out of.** 1. From.
2. By means of, in consequence of, induced by.
3. Not in.
4. Abroad, not within.
5. Beyond
**Out of character.** Inappropriate, improper, unsuitable, out of keeping, out of place, in bad taste.
**Out of conceit with.** Tired of, no longer fond of, no longer pleased with.
**Out of date.** Antiquated, antique, archaic, obsolete, old-fashioned, out of fashion, gone by, fallen into desuetude.
**Out-of-doors,** *ad.* Abroad, outdoors, in the open air, out of the house.
**Out of fashion.** See OUT OF DATE.
**Out of hand.** Immediately, forthwith, at once.
**Out of humor.** Irritated, ruffled, vexed, angry, sullen, peevish, out of temper, out of tune.
**Out of joint.** 1. Dislocated.
2. Disordered, displaced, going wrong.
**Out of season.** Inopportunely, at an improper time.
**Out of sorts.** 1. Ill, unwell, ailing, sick, indisposed, laid up.
2. (*Printing.*) Without an assortment of types.
**Out of temper.** See OUT OF HUMOR.
**Out of the frying-pan into the fire.** From bad to worse.
**Out-of-the-way,** *a.* 1. Remote, secluded, unfrequented.
2. Uncommon, unusual, singular, strange, rare.
**Out of tune.** 1. Harsh, discordant, inharmonious, not in tune.
2. Irritated, ruffled, out of humor.
**Out of wind.** / **Out of winding.** } Plane, even, level, flat.
**Outpouring,** *n.* Effusion, efflux, outflow.
**Outrage,** *n.* Insult, affront, indignity, abuse, offence.
**Outrage,** *v. a.* Insult, abuse, maltreat, offend, shock, injure.
**Outrageous,** *a.* 1. Furious, violent, turbulent, abusive, raging, wild, mad, frantic, infuriate, frenzied.
2. Atrocious, heinous, villanous, enormous, monstrous, nefarious.
3. Excessive, exorbitant, enormous, extravagant, unwarrantable.
**Outré,** *a.* [Fr.] Extravagant, excessive, exorbitant, immoderate, inordinate, overstrained.
**Outright,** *ad.* 1. Immediately, instantly, at once, without delay.
2. Completely, utterly, entirely, wholly, altogether.
**Outrival,** *v. a.* Surpass, excel.
**Outrun,** *v. a.* Exceed, surpass, outstrip, outgo, beat, go beyond.
**Outset,** *n.* Beginning, commencement, opening, starting-point, start, entrance.
**Outshine,** *v. a.* Eclipse, surpass, overshadow, throw into shadow.
**Outside,** *n.* 1. Exterior, surface, superficies, external part, externality.
2. Utmost, farthest limit.
**Outside,** *a.* Exterior, external, outward, outer, on the surface, superficial.
**Outskirt,** *n.* Suburb, border, precinct, purlieu, outpost.
**Outspoken,** *a.* Plain, frank, candid, unreserved.
**Outspread,** *a* Extended, expanded, outstretched, unfolded.
**Outstanding,** *a.* Unsettled, unpaid, owing, due, uncollected, ungathered.
**Outstep,** *v. a.* Exceed, overstep, transgress.
**Outstretch,** *v. a.* Extend, expand, outspread.
**Outstrip,** *v. a.* 1. Outgo, outrun, go beyond, outspeed, distance.
2. Excel, surpass, exceed, outvie, outdo, beat.
**Outvie,** *v. a.* Excel, exceed, surpass, outdo, outstrip.
**Outward,** *a.* 1. External, exterior, outer, outside.
2. External, visible, showing, appearing, apparent, superficial.
3. Adventitious, extrinsic, extraneous.
4. Civil, public.
5. Carnal, fleshly, corporeal.
**Outweigh,** *v. a.* Overbalance, overpoise, overweigh.

**Outwit,** *v. a.* I. Outgeneral, out-manœuvre, baffle, steal a march upon.
2. Overreach, cheat, dupe, deceive, circumvent, swindle, defraud, victimize, cozen, gull, diddle, take in, impose upon.
**Oval,** *a.* Elliptical.
**Ovate,** *a.* Egg-shaped.
**Ovation,** *n.* Triumph.
**Over,** *prep.* I. Above.
2. Across, athwart, from one side of to the other.
3. Throughout, through, through the whole extent of.
4. More than, upward of.
5. Covering, immersing.
**Over,** *ad.* I. Above the top.
2. Across, athwart, transversely, from one side to the other.
3. From one to another, from hand to hand.
4. Besides, to boot, in addition, into the bargain, in excess.
5. Throughout, completely, from beginning to end.
6. Past, by.
7. Excessively, extremely, very, too.
**Over,** *a.* I. Covering, outer, upper.
2. Superior.
**Over-abundant,** *a.* Exuberant, plenteous, copious, full, rank, plentiful, ample, replete, liberal, lavish.
**Over again.** Once more.
**Over against.** Opposite, in front.
**Over and above.** Besides.
**Over and over.** Repeatedly, once and again.
**Overawe,** *v. a.* Awe, intimidate, cow, frighten, affright, daunt, browbeat.
**Overbalance,** *v. a.* I. Outweigh, overweigh, surpass, preponderate in.
2. Overpoise, lose balance.
**Overbear,** *v. a.* Overpower, overwhelm, subdue, overthrow, prostrate, repress, subdue.
**Overbearing,** *a.* I. Overpowering, oppressive, repressing.
2. Imperious, domineering, dictatorial, supercilious, lordly, haughty, arrogant, dogmatical.
**Over-bold,** *a.* Forward, impudent, pert, officious, presuming.
**Overcast,** *v. a.* I. Cloud, darken, obscure, eclipse.
2. Cover, overspread.
**Overcharge,** *v. a* I. Burden, oppress, surcharge, overload, overburden.
2. Crowd, overfill.
3. Exaggerate, overstate, overstrain, overlay with ornament.
**Overcoat,** *n.* Greatcoat, topcoat.
**Overcome,** *v. a.* I. Subdue, conquer, vanquish, subjugate, overthrow, overwhelm, overturn, overbear, overpower, overmaster, defeat, crush, beat, rout, discomfit, choke, get the better of, get the upper hand of, prostrate.
2. Surmount, rise above.
3. Rule, domineer over.
**Overcome,** *v. n.* Prevail, conquer, gain the victory.
**Over-confident,** *a.* Rash, venturesome, presumptuous, overweening, headlong, precipitate, incautious, imprudent.
**Overdo,** *v. a.* I. Do to excess.
2. Overact, exaggerate.
3. Surpass, exceed.
4. Fatigue, harass, oppress.
5. Cook too much.
**Overestimate,** *v. a.* Overvalue, overprize, overrate, make too much of.
**Overfill,** *v. a.* Surcharge.
**Overflow,** *v. a.* I. Inundate, flow over.
2. Deluge, flood, overwhelm, cover, overspread, overrun.
**Overflow,** *v. n.* Overrun, run over.
**Overflow,** *n.* I. Inundation.
2. Superabundance, exuberance, luxuriance, profusion, excess, surplus, overflowing, copiousness, redundancy.
**Overflowing,** *a.* Abundant, copious, exuberant.
**Over-fond,** *a.* Doting, too fond.
**Over-full,** *a.* Surcharged, overcharged, overloaded, surfeited, plethoric.
**Overhaul,** *v. a.* I. Overtake, come up with, gain upon.
2. Examine, look into.
3. Re-examine.
**Overhead,** *ad.* Above, aloft.
**Overjoyed,** *a.* Transported, enraptured, in raptures, in ecstasies, in a transport.
**Overlay,** *v. a.* I. Cover, spread over.
2. Smother, overlie, oppress.
3. Overwhelm, oppress with weight, crush, overpower.
4. Cloud, overcast, hide, obscure.
5. Span, over-span, cover.
**Over-liberal,** *a.* Lavish, profuse, prodigal, thriftless, unthrifty, extravagant, wasteful, too free.
**Overload,** *v. a.* Surcharge, overburden, overlade.
**Overlook,** *v. a.* I. View from above.
2. Rise above, look down upon, overtop.
3. Inspect, superintend, supervise, oversee, have charge of.
4. Review, survey, re-survey.
5. Disregard, neglect, miss, slight, pass by, be inattentive to, not notice, not think of.
6. Excuse, forgive, pardon, pass over, forgive and forget.
**Overmaster,** *v. a.* See OVERPOWER.
**Over-modest,** *a.* Bashful, shy, timid, timorous, coy, diffident, shamefaced, sheepish.
**Overnight,** *ad.* I. Last night, yesterday night.
2. During the night, all night.
**Overplus,** *n.* Excess, surplus, surplusage, residue.
**Overpoise,** *v. a.* Overbalance, outweigh.
**Overpower,** *v. a.* I. Subdue, conquer, overwhelm, overcome, overturn, overbear, overmaster, defeat, rout, crush, beat, vanquish, subjugate, discomfit, get the better of, get the upper hand of, overmatch.
2. Overwhelm, overcome, overmaster, get the better of, affect by intensity.
**Overpowering,** *a.* Irresistible, overwhelming, subduing.
**Overprize,** } *v. a.* Overestimate, overvalue, make
**Overrate,** } too much of.
**Overreach,** *v. a.* Deceive, cheat, dupe, outwit, circumvent, defraud, swindle, cozen, gull, trick, victimize, diddle, take in, impose upon.
**Override,** *v. a.* I. Pass, ride beyond, outride.
2. Outweigh, surpass, be superior to, take precedence of, supersede, annul, trample down.
3. Ride over.
**Over-righteous,** *a.* Sanctimonious, pharisaical.
**Overrule,** *v. a.* I. Control, govern, sway, have control of.
2. Annul, cancel, revoke, rescind, repeal, nullify, recall, reject, repudiate, supersede, set aside.
**Overruling,** *a.* Controlling, governing, directing, prevailing, predominant.
**Overrun,** *v. a.* I. Run over, spread over, grow over.
2. Ravage, devastate, despoil, lay waste, harass, subdue, oppress.
3. Outrun.
4. Injure, trample down.
**Overrun,** *v. n.* Overflow, run over.
**Oversee,** *v. a.* Superintend, supervise, overlook, inspect, have charge of, have the direction of.

**Overseer,** *n.* Superintendent, inspector, supervisor, director, overaman.
**Overset,** *v. a.* 1. Overturn, upset, capsize, turn topsy-turvy.
2. Subvert, overthrow, destroy.
**Overshadow,** *v. a.* 1. Overshade, overcloud.
2. Shelter, protect, cover, hover over.
**Overshoe,** *n.* Galoche, goloche, goloe-shoe.
**Oversight,** *n.* 1. Superintendence, control, direction, management, supervision, inspection, charge, care, surveillance
2. Error, blunder, mistake, slip, trip, lapse, miss, inadvertency, inattention, neglect, omission, fault.
**Overspent,** *a.* Wearied, exhausted, forespent, over-tired.
**Overspread,** *v. a.* Cover, spread over, overstrew.
**Overstate,** *v. a.* Exaggerate, overcharge, overdo.
**Overstock,** *v. a.* Crowd, overfill.
**Overt,** *a.* 1. Open, manifest, public, patent, notorious, glaring, apparent.
2. (*Law.*) Open, manifest.
**Overtake,** *v. a.* Catch, come up with.
**Overthrow,** *v. a.* 1. Overturn, upset, overset, throw down.
2. Demolish, destroy, level, throw down.
3. Vanquish, conquer, defeat, worst, overcome, master, overpower, overbear, overwhelm, subjugate, crush, discomfit, beat, rout, foil.
4. Subvert, destroy, ruin.
**Overthrow,** *n.* 1. Fall.
2. Subversion, prostration, ruin.
3. Destruction, demolition, ruin, shipwreck.
4. Defeat, discomfiture, rout, dispersion.
**Overtop,** *v. a.* 1. Rise above, surpass in height.
2. Excel, transcend, surpass, exceed.
3. Obscure, make less important, eclipse.
4. Transgress, disregard, go beyond.
**Overture,** *n.* 1. Proposal, offer, proposition.
2. (*Mus.*) Orchestral introduction to an opera, oratorio, etc.
**Overturn,** *v. a.* See OVERTHROW.
**Overvalue,** *v. a.* Overrate, overprize, overestimate, make too much of.
**Overweening,** *a.* Conceited, haughty, proud, arrogant, opinionated, egotistical, consequential, supercilious, vain, vain-glorious, puffed up.
**Overwhelm,** *v. a.* 1. Overflow, spread over and cover, swallow up, whelm, submerge, sink, drown.
2. Overbear, overpower, overcome, subdue, vanquish, conquer, defeat.
**Over-wise,** *a.* Conceited, pragmatical.
**Overworn,** *a.* 1. Exhausted, worn out.
2. Trite, threadbare, old, stale, musty, hackneyed.
**Overwrought,** *a.* 1. Overdone, elaborated too much.
2. Over-excited, excessively stirred.
**Oviform,** *a.* Egg-shaped, ovoid, ovoidal.
**Oviparous,** *a.* Egg-bearing.
**Ovule,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Rudimentary seed.
**Ovum,** *n.* [L. *pl. Ova.*] Egg.
**Owe,** *v. a.* 1. Be indebted to, be bound to pay.
2. Be obliged to ascribe to, be obliged for, have to attribute to.
3. Be due, be owing.
**Owing,** *a.* 1. Due.
2. Attributable, ascribable, traceable, resulting from, due, consequential.
3. Imputable, attributable.
**Own,** *v. a.* 1. Possess, hold, have, be in possession of, have a title to.
2. Acknowledge, confess, avow.
3. Admit, allow, concede, confess, acknowledge.
4. Recognize.
**Owner,** *n.* Proprietor, possessor, holder.
**Oxalis,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Sorrel.
**Oxford-school,** *a.* Puseyite, Tractarian, Tractite.
**Oxidate,** *v. a.* See OXIDIZE.
**Oxidize,** *v. a.* Oxidate, calcine, convert into an oxide.
**Oxygenate,** *v. a.* Oxygenize, unite *or* impregnate with oxygen.
**Oxygenize,** *v. a.* Oxygenate.
**Oxygon,** *n.* Acute-angled triangle.
**Oxygonal,** / **Oxygonial,** } *a.* Acute-angled.
**Oyster-plant,** *n.* Salsify.

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**Pabulum,** *n.* 1. Food, aliment.
2. Fuel.
**Pace,** *n.* 1. Step.
2. Gait, walk, manner of walking.
3. Amble (*of a horse*), pacing.
4. Rate, degree of progress.
5. Dais.
**Pace,** *v. n.* 1. Walk (*with measured steps*), step, move, go.
2. Hasten, hurry, make haste.
3. Go at a pace, go at an ambling gait.
**Pacha,** *n.* [Written also *Pasha*, *Pashaw*, and *Bashaw.*] Turkish governor.
**Pachydermatous,** *a.* Thick-skinned.
**Pacific,** *a.* 1. Conciliatory, appeasing, mild, peace-making.
2. Peaceful, peaceable, tranquil, gentle, calm, smooth, quiet, unruffled.
3. Peaceful, not warlike.
**Pacification,** *n.* Tranquillization, reconciliation, reconcilement, accommodation, appeasement.
**Pacificator,** *n.* Peacemaker.
**Pacify,** *v. a.* 1. Conciliate, appease, give peace to, restore harmony to, tranquillize.
2. Tranquillize, assuage, calm, still, quiet, lull, smooth, compose, moderate, hush, quell, lay, allay, soften, soothe, mollify, appease.
**Pacing,** *n.* Pace, amble.
**Pack,** *n.* 1. Bundle, package, budget, parcel, packet, bale.
2. Burden, load.
3. Collection, assemblage, assortment, set.
4. Gang, crew, set, knot, band, clan, company, bevy, lot, squad.
5. Pack-ice.
**Pack,** *v. a.* Compress (*into a bundle*), put together (*in close order*), stow, compact.
**Package,** *n.* Bundle, budget, parcel, pack, bale.
**Packet,** *n.* 1. Package (*small*).
2. Vessel (*for freight and passengers between stated ports*).
**Packfong,** *n.* [Written also *Pakfong.*] German silver, white copper, Chinese alloy.
**Pack off.** (*Active.*) Despatch, send off, send away.
**Pack off.** (*Neuter.*) Depart, go, start, set out, set off, be off.
**Pact,** *n.* Compact, contract, agreement, league,

bond, alliance, bargain, covenant, stipulation, convention, concordant.

**Pad,** *n.* 1. Horse (*for the saddle*), saddle-horse, easy-paced horse, padnag.
2. Cushion, bolster.
3. Blotter.

**Paddy,** *n.* 1. [Corrupted from *St. Patrick.*] Pat, Milesian, Hibernian, Irishman, son of Erin (*in joke* or *contempt*), teague.
2. Rice (*in the husk*).

**Padishah,** *n.* 1. Shah (*of Persia*).
2. Sultan (*of Turkey*), Turkish emperor.

**Pean,** *n.* [Written also *Pean.*] Triumphal song, jubilation, peanism.

**Pagan,** *n.* [Anciently written *Paien, Payen, Painim, Paynim,* and *Panym.*] Heathen, gentile, idolater.

**Pagan,** *a.* Heathenish, heathen, idolatrous, paganic, paganical.

**Paganism,** *n.* Heathenism.

**Page,** *n.* Boy-servant (*attending a royal* or *noble personage* or *a legislature*), serving-boy.

**Pageant,** *n.* Spectacle, show, display, parade.

**Pageantry,** *n.* Show, display, parade, pomp, state, splendor, magnificence, flourish, showing off.

**Pagoda,** *n.* 1. East Indian temple.
2. East Indian idol, idol.

**Pagodite,** *n.* Agalmatolite, figurestone, lardite.

**Palliasse,** *n.* [Fr.] Straw bed, palliasse.

**Pain,** *n.* 1. Penalty, punishment.
2. Suffering, distress, discomfort, ache, pang, torment, torture, anguish, agony, throe, twinge.
3. Uneasiness, disquietude, anxiety, solicitude, care, grief, sorrow, bitterness, affliction, woe, heartache, chagrin, vexation, anguish, dolor, trouble, distress, unhappiness, misery, wretchedness.

**Pain,** *v. a.* 1. Torment, torture, rack, agonize, distress, hurt.
2. Disquiet, trouble, afflict, grieve, aggrieve, displease, annoy, plague, bore, harass, vex, worry, tease, chafe, fret, incommode, distress.

**Painful,** *a.* 1. Tormenting, torturing, agonizing, racking, distressing, distressful, excruciating.
2. Grievous, afflicting, afflictive, distressing, disquieting, troublesome, displeasing, provoking, annoying, vexatious, unpleasant, disagreeable.
3. Toilsome, arduous, difficult, hard, severe.

**Painfully,** *ad.* 1. With pain.
2. Laboriously, with toil, industriously, sedulously.

**Pains,** *n.* [*Often used in the singular number by the best writers.*] 1. Labor, care, trouble, toilsome effort, task.
2. Travail, childbirth, labor.

**Painstaking,** *a.* Laborious, sedulous, diligent, industrious, careful, plodding, assiduous, strenuous, hard-working, persevering, sparing no pains.

**Painstaking,** *n.* Labor, industry, assiduity, diligence, perseverance, careful toil, conscientious exertion

**Paint,** *v. a.* 1. Represent (*by colors*).
2. Color (*with a pigment*), coat with paint, smear.
3. Depict, delineate, describe, sketch, portray, pencil, set forth, image, picture, draw.
4. Embellish, deck, adorn, beautify, ornament.

**Paint,** *n.* Pigment, coloring matter.

**Painting,** *n.* 1. Coloring.
2. Picture (*in colors*).

**Pair,** *n.* 1. Two (*of the same kind* or *suited to each other*).
2. Couple, brace.
3. Span, couple.
4. Yoke, couple.

**Pair,** *v. a.* and *v. n.* 1. Couple, mate.
2. Suit, fit.

**Pakfong,** *n.* See PACKFONG.

**Palace,** *n.* Stately mansion.

**Paladin,** *n.* Knight-errant, champion, hero.

**Palatable,** *a.* Savory, agreeable, enjoyable, gustable, flavorous, tasteful, pleasant, delicious, nice, luscious, delicate.

**Palate,** *n.* 1. Roof of the mouth.
2. Taste, relish.

**Palatial,** *a.* Stately, magnificent, splendid.

**Palaver,** *n.* 1. Twaddle, chatter, balderdash, rigmarole, gibberish, stuff, trash, fudge, nonsense, platitude, moonshine, wish-wash, flummery, jargon, senseless prate, frothy discourse, idle talk.
2. Talk, conversation, conference, colloquy.

**Pale,** *a.* 1. White, pallid, wan, ashy, whitish, colorless.
2. Dim, obscure.

**Pale,** *n.* 1. Picket, stake.
2. Enclosure, circuit.
3. District, region, territory.
4. Confine, limit, boundary, fence.

**Paleology,** *n.* Archæology.

**Palfrey,** *n.* Saddle-horse, riding-horse.

**Paling,** *n.* 1. Fence (*made of pales*).
2. Limit, enclosure.

**Palingenesis,** *n.* [Gr.] Palingenesy, regeneration, second birth, new birth.

**Palinode,** *n.* Poetical recantation.

**Pall,** *n.* 1. Cloak, mantle, outer garment.
2. *Pallium*, archbishop's scarf.
3. [Written also *Pawl* and *Paul.*] Detent, click.

**Pall,** *v. a.* 1. Make vapid *or* insipid.
2. Satiate, cloy, surfeit, sate, glut, gorge, fill to repletion.
3. Dispirit, depress, discourage, dishearten, deject.
4. Weaken, impair, damage.
5. Cloak, cover, shroud, invest.

**Pall,** *v. n.* Become insipid, grow tasteless, become vapid.

**Palladium,** *n.* Bulwark, safeguard, security.

**Palliasse,** *n.* Straw-bed, *paillasse.*

**Palliate,** *v. a.* 1. Extenuate, excuse, gloss, apologize for, lessen, cover, cloak, hide, conceal.
2. Allay, ease, soothe, mitigate, moderate, assuage, alleviate, soften, abate, mollify, lessen, diminish, relieve, dull, blunt, quiet, still, quell.

**Palliation,** *n.* 1. Extenuation.
2. Mitigation, alleviation, relief, abatement.

**Palliative,** *n.* Lenitive.

**Pallid,** *a.* Wan, pale, whitish, ashy, colorless, cadaverous.

**Palling,** *a.* Nauseating, loathsome, sickening.

**Pallor,** *n.* Paleness, wanness, pallidness, pallidity.

**Palm,** *n.* 1. Token of victory, prize, crown, laurel, bays, trophies.
2. Hand-breadth, hand.
3. Palm-tree.

**Palm,** *v. a.* 1. Conceal in the palm (*as a juggler*).
2. Impose (*by fraud*), obtrude, pass off.
3. Handle, touch.

**Palmer,** *n.* 1. Pilgrim (*returned from the Holy Land*), crusader.
2. Cozener, cheat, trickster (*at cards* or *dice*).

**Palmetto,** *n.* Cabbage-tree (*Areca oleracea*).

**Palmigrade,** *a.* Plantigrade.

**Palmiped,** *a.* Web-footed.

**Palmistry,** *n.* Chiromancy.

**Palm-sugar,** *n.* Jaggery, jagghery.

**Palmy,** *a.* 1. Palm-producing, palmiferous.
2. Prosperous, fortunate, flourishing, victorious, glorious, thriving, happy, joyous, halcyon, golden, Saturnian, worthy of the palm.

**Palpable,** *a.* I. Tangible, tactile, material, corporeal.
2. Manifest, obvious, plain, evident, glaring, unmistakable, gross, easily seen, very perceptible.
**Palpi,** *n. pl.* [L.] (*Ent.*) Feelers.
**Palpitate,** *v. n.* I. Pulsate, throb, flutter, beat rapidly, go pit-a-pat.
2. Tremble, quiver, shiver.
**Palpitation,** *n.* Throbbing, fluttering, beating, pulsation, throb.
**Palsgrave,** *n.* Count palatine, count of the palace.
**Palsy,** *n.* Paralysis.
**Palsy,** *v. a.* Paralyze, benumb, deaden.
**Palter,** *v. n.* Equivocate, shuffle, dodge, haggle, shift, quibble, evade, prevaricate, trifle.
**Paltry,** *a.* I. Small, little, diminutive, inconsiderable, insignificant, unimportant, petty, miserable, wretched, slight, slender, feeble, trifling, trivial, of no consequence, of no importance.
2. Base, vile, abject, grovelling, low, mean, beggarly, pitiful, despicable, contemptible, worthless, shabby, shuffling, shifty.
**Paludal,** *a.* Marshy, boggy, fenny, swampy.
**Pamper,** *v. a.* I. Feed to excess, feed luxuriantly.
2. Indulge (*unduly*), cocker, gratify, spoil, fondle.
**Pamphlet,** *n.* *Brochure.*
**Panacea,** *n.* Catholicon, cure-all, panpharmacon, universal medicine, universal remedy.
**Pancake,** *n.* Fritter.
**Pandemonium,** / **Pandæmonium,** } *n.* Hell.
**Pander,** *n.* [Formerly written *Pandar.*] Procurer, pimp, male bawd.
**Pander to.** Subserve, minister to.
**Pandit,** *n.* See PUNDIT.
**Panegyric,** *n.* I. Eulogy, eulogium, encomium, tribute of praise.
2. Praise, laudation, commendation.
**Panegyric,** / **Panegyrical,** } *a.* Encomiastic, encomiastical, eulogistic, eulogistical, commendatory, laudatory.
**Panegyrize,** *v. a.* Praise (*highly*), extol, eulogize.
**Panel,** *n.* (*Law.*) Array, body of jurors.
**Pang,** *n.* Pain (*sharp and sudden*), throe, twinge, gripe, distress.
**Pangolin,** *n.* Manis, scaly ant-eater.
**Panic,** *n.* Fright, affright, alarm, terror, consternation, sudden fear.
**Panic,** *a.* Extreme, sudden, imaginary, causeless, violent (*applied to fright*).
**Panic,** *n.* Panic-grass, *panicum.*
**Panicle,** *n.* Compound raceme.
**Panic-stricken,** *a.* Dismayed, terrified, horrified, appalled, frightened, horror-struck.
**Panoply,** *n.* Armor (*complete*), suit of armor.
**Panorama,** *n.* Periscope, bird's eye view, complete view.
**Pansy,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Heart's-ease, garden violet (*Viola tricolor*).
**Pant,** *v. n.* I. Puff, gasp, blow, breathe hard, lose breath.
2. Throb, heave, palpitate.
3. Languish, gasp.
4. Long, yearn, hunger, thirst, sigh, desire.
**Pantaloons,** *n. pl.* Trousers.
**Pantomime,** *n.* Dumb show, mute action.
**Pantophagous,** *a.* Omnivorous, all-devouring.
**Pap,** *n.* I. Nipple, teat, dug, *papilla.*
2. Food (*made soft for infants and weablings*), nutriment, nourishment.
3. Pulp (*of fruit*).
**Papa,** *n.* Father (*so used by children*).
**Papacy,** *n.* I. Popedom.
2. Popes, line of popes, popes collectively.
**Papal,** *a.* Popish.
**Papaver,** *n.* Poppy.
**Papaverous,** *a.* Poppy-like.
**Paper,** *n.* I. Document, writing, written instrument.
2. Newspaper, journal.
3. Dissertation, essay, article.
4. (*Com.*) Notes, bank-notes, drafts, bills of exchange.
5. Wall-paper, paper hangings.
**Paper-currency,** *n.* Paper-money, bank-notes, bank-bills.
**Papilionaceous,** *a.* Butterfly-shaped.
**Papillose,** *a.* Verrucose, warty.
**Papillote,** *n.* Curl-paper.
**Papism,** *n.* Popery.
**Papist,** *n.* Roman Catholic.
**Papistic,** / **Papistical,** } *a.* Popish, Roman Catholic.
**Papistry,** *n.* Popery, papism, Roman Catholic religion.
**Pappy,** *a.* Soft, tender, succulent.
**Papyrus,** *n.* Paper-reed (*Papyrus antiquorum*).
**Par,** *n.* Equality, equivalence.
**Parable,** *n.* Fable (*in which what is stated as fact is probable, or which is founded on the ordinary incidents of daily life*), apologue, story, short tale, fictitious narrative (*intended to illustrate some spiritual truth*).
**Parabolic,** / **Parabolical,** } *a.* Figurative, allegorical, expressed by a parable *or* similitude.
**Paraclete,** *n.* I. Advocate, intercessor.
2. Comforter, consoler, intercessor, Holy Spirit, Spirit of Truth, Holy Ghost.
**Parade,** *n.* I. Ostentation, display, ceremony, show, pompous exhibition, flaunting, pomp.
2. Pageant, spectacle, pompous procession, show.
3. Military display, review, array.
4. Drill-ground.
5. Public walk, promenade, mall.
**Parade,** *v. a.* Display, flaunt, show off.
**Parade,** *v. n.* Make a show, show off.
**Paradigm,** *n.* Example, model.
**Paradise,** *n.* I. Eden, the garden of Eden.
2. Elysium, place of bliss.
3. Heaven, abode of the blest.
**Paradox,** *n.* Absurdity (*as appears at first sight, yet not so in fact*), seeming contradiction.
**Paradoxical,** *a.* Absurd (*to appearance, yet conformable to fact*), incredible, puzzling, inconceivable, contradictory.
**Paragon,** *n.* Model, pattern, masterpiece, nonesuch, pink, *beau ideal.*
**Paragraph,** *n.* I. Passage, clause, section of a discourse, sentence.
2. Item (*as in a newspaper*), remark, short notice.
**Paraguay tea,** *n.* *Maté*, leaves of the *Ilex paraguayensis.*
**Parallel,** *a.* I. Equidistant throughout (*as lines*).
2. In conformity, in harmony, in accordance.
3. Like, similar, analogous, resembling, allied, equal, correspondent.
**Parallel,** *n.* I. Parallel line.
2. Resemblance, similarity, likeness.
3. Comparison.
4. Counterpart.
**Paralogism,** / **Paralogy,** } *n.* Sophistry (*unintentional*), false reasoning.
**Paralysis,** *n.* Palsy.
**Paralyze,** *v. a.* Palsy, benumb, deaden, unnerve.
**Paramount,** *a.* I. Supreme, superior, pre-eminent, principal, chief.
2. Eminent.
3. Superior.
**Paramour,** *n.* I. Lover (*in a bad sense*), leman.
2. Concubine, mistress.

**Parapet,** *n.* I. (*Fort.*) Breastwork (*on a rampart*).
2. Breast wall (*as on a bridge*).
**Paraphernalia,** *n. pl.* Appendages, ornaments, trappings, equipment, equipage, appurtenances, accoutrements.
**Paraphrase,** *n.* I. Explanation (*by amplifying*), exposition.
2. Free translation.
3. Metrical translation.
**Paraphrastic,** } *a.* Explanatory (*by amplifica-*
**Paraphrastical,** } *tion*), free, diffuse.
**Parasite,** *n.* Sycophant, flatterer, toady, fawner, wheedler, flunky, spaniel, pick-thank, toad-eater, time-server, hanger-on, trencher-friend.
**Parasitic,** } *a.* Sycophantic, fawning, flattering,
**Parasitical,** } wheedling, servile, slavish, meanly submissive.
**Parasol,** *n.* Sunshade.
**Paratonnerre,** *n.* Lightning-rod, lightning-conductor.
**Parboil,** *v. a.* Coddle, boil slightly.
**Parcæ,** *n. pl.* Fates, sisters three.
**Parcel,** *n.* I. Bundle, package, packet, budget.
2. Set, lot, batch, collection, group.
3. (*Law.*) Piece, part, portion, tract, plot, patch.
**Parcel,** *v. a.* Divide, distribute, apportion, deal out, allot.
**Parcel,** *a.* Part, half, in part.
**Parch,** *v. a.* I. Burn (*slightly*), scorch.
2. Dry, shrivel, dry up.
**Pardon,** *v. a.* I. Remit, overlook, pass over, forgive, condone.
2. Forgive (*especially for a grave offence*), absolve, excuse, acquit, discharge, release, clear.
**Pardon,** *n.* Forgiveness (*especially of a grave offence after conviction, and granted to a specified person*), remission (*of a penalty incurred*), absolution, grace, mercy.
**Pardonable,** *a.* Excusable, venial.
**Pare,** *v. a.* I. Peel (*by the use of a knife*).
2. Clip, cut, shave off.
3. Diminish (*gradually*), lessen, reduce.
**Parent,** *n.* I. Father *or* mother.
2. Author.
3. Cause, source, producer.
**Parentage,** *n.* Extraction, birth, descent, lineage, pedigree, stock, origin, family, ancestry.
**Parental,** *a.* Affectionate, kind, tender, cherishing.
**Parentless,** *a.* Orphaned.
**Parget,** *v. a.* Plaster, cover with plaster.
**Pargeter,** *n.* Plasterer.
**Parhelion,** *n.* [Gr. *pl. Parhelia.*] Mock sun.
**Pariah,** *n.* Outcast, wretch, miserable person.
**Parish,** *a.* Parochial, parishional.
**Parity,** *n.* Equality, equivalence, likeness, sameness, analogy, close correspondence.
**Parlance,** *n.* Conversation, discourse, talk, phrase.
**Parley,** *v. n.* Talk, converse, discourse, discuss, hold a conference (*especially with an enemy*), confer, treat.
**Parley,** *n.* Conference (*especially between enemies*), talk, discourse, conversation, discussion, oral treaty.
**Parliament,** *n.* House of Lords and House of Commons (*of Great Britain and Ireland*), British legislature.
**Parlor,** *n.* Sitting-room, living-room.
**Parochial,** *a.* Parish, pertaining to a parish.
**Parody,** *n.* Travesty, burlesque, caricature, ludicrous imitation.
**Parody,** *v. a.* Travesty, burlesque, caricature, turn into burlesque.
**Parol,** } *a.* (*Law.*) Oral, verbal, by word of
**Parole,** } mouth.
**Parol,** } *n.* I. (*Law.*) Word of mouth, oral
**Parole,** } declaration.
2. (*Mil.*) Word of honor, word of promise, plighted faith.
**Paronymous,** *a.* Conjugate, allied radically.
**Paroxysm,** *n.* (*Med.*) Exacerbation (*of a disease, periodically*), fit, convulsion, sudden attack.
**Parquet,** *n.* [Fr.] Pit, *parterre.*
**Parquetry,** *n.* Marquetry.
**Parricidal,** *a.* Patricidal *or* matricidal.
**Parricide,** *n.* Patricide *or* matricide.
**Parrot,** *n.* See POLL.
**Parry,** *v. a.* I. Ward off, turn aside, prevent, avert.
2. Shift off, avoid, evade.
**Parsimonious,** *a.* Stingy, close, avaricious, niggardly, miserly, mean, penurious, grasping, covetous, close-fisted, sordid, very saving, excessively frugal, near, illiberal, hard-fisted, sparing.
**Parsimony,** *n.* Stinginess, niggardliness, penuriousness, avarice, covetousness, cupidity, meanness, closeness, miserliness, frugality, economy, illiberality, savingness.
**Parson,** *n.* I. Parish priest, rector, incumbent.
2. Minister, priest, clergyman, pastor, ecclesiastic, churchman, divine.
**Parsonage,** *n.* I. Rectory.
2. Parson's mansion, parsonage house.
3. Parson's dues, benefice, living.
**Part,** *n.* I. Piece, portion, section, division, subdivision.
2. Member, organ, constituent, element, component, ingredient.
3. Share, portion, lot.
4. Share, concern, interest, participation.
5. Share, allotment, lot, dividend, apportionment.
6. Business, charge, duty, office, function, work.
7. Side, party, interest, concern, faction.
8. Character, *rôle.*
9. Action, conduct, behavior.
10. Portion, passage, clause, paragraph.
**Part,** *v. a.* I. Divide, sever, dissever, sunder, dismember, subdivide, break, break in pieces, tear asunder.
2. Disunite, separate, disjoin, disconnect, detach, dissociate.
3. Hold apart, keep apart, stand between, intervene betwixt.
4. Apportion, allot, share, distribute, parcel out, deal out, divide, mete, dole out.
5. Secrete, secern.
**Part,** *v. n.* I. Be parted, be divided, become separated, divide.
2. Give up, quit, lose, let go hold.
3. Quit each other, take leave, bid farewell.
4. Share, have a share.
5. Break, be broken, be torn asunder.
6. Depart, go away, set out.
**Partake,** *v. n.* Participate, share, have a share of, take a part of, have a part of, participate in.
**Partake,** *v. a.* Share, partake of, participate in, have a part of, take a part of.
**Partaker,** *n.* Participator, sharer, communicant, participant.
**Parterre,** *n.* [Fr.] Pit, *parquet.*
**Part from.** Leave, be detached from, be separated from.
**Partial,** *a.* I. Incomplete, imperfect, limited.
2. Biassed, prejudiced, prepossessed, warped, interested, unfair, unjust, one-sided, influenced.
3. Fond, favorably disposed.
4. Indulgent, fond.
5. (*Bot.*) Subordinate.

**Partiality,** *n.* 1. Unfairness, injustice, favoritism, bias.
2. Fondness, predilection, liking, fancy, inclination, leaning, bent.
**Partially,** *ad.* 1. Unfairly, unjustly.
2. Partly, imperfectly, in part.
**Partibility,** *n.* Separability.
**Partible,** *a.* Separable, divisible.
**Particeps criminis.** [L.] Accomplice, confederate, abettor, *socius criminis.*
**Participant,** *a.* Sharing, partaking.
**Participant,** *n.* Participator, sharer.
**Participate,** *v. a.* and *v. n.* Partake, share, have a part in, take a part in.
**Participation,** *n.* Partaking.
**Participator,** *n.* Partaker, sharer, partner.
**Particle,** *n.* Bit, atom, molecule, corpuscle, mote, jot, iota, tittle, whit, grain, scrap, mite, scintilla, ace, speck.
**Particular,** *a.* 1. Especial, special, specific.
2. Individual, single, separate, distinct, special.
3. Peculiar, characteristic, distinctive.
4. Personal, private, individual, own, peculiar.
5. Notable, noteworthy, special.
6. Minute, circumstantial, precise, exact, detailed.
7. Exact, precise, nice, scrupulous, fastidious, critical, careful, strict, finical.
8. Peculiar, odd, singular, strange, notable, uncommon, marked.
**Particular,** *n.* Instance, circumstance, detail, item, particularity, special point, feature.
**Particularity,** *n.* 1. Exactness, preciseness, precision.
2. Singleness, individuality.
3. Detail, item, particular, special point, minute circumstance.
4. Peculiarity, singularity, characteristic.
**Particularize,** *v. a.* Specify, mention in detail, set forth minutely.
**Particularize,** *v. n.* Be particular, descend to particulars, mention particulars.
**Particularly,** *ad.* 1. Especially, specially, specifically.
2. Separately, singly, distinctly, individually.
**Parting,** *a.* 1. Dividing, separating, breaking.
2. Last, farewell, valedictory.
3. Departing, declining.
**Parting,** *n.* 1. Breaking, rupture, disruption, severing, tearing asunder.
2. Separation, detachment, division.
3. Leave-taking, farewell.
**Partisan,** *n.* 1. Adherent, follower, supporter, disciple, champion, votary, party-man.
2. Truncheon, staff, *bâton.*
3. Halberd, pike.
4. Quarter-staff.
**Partisan,** *a.* Factionary, biassed.
**Partisanship,** *n.* Championship.
**Partition,** *n.* 1. Division, separation.
2. Dividing wall, division wall, barrier, screen.
3. Division, distribution, apportionment, allotment.
4. (*Mus.*) Score.
**Partition,** *v. a.* 1. Apportion, share, divide into shares, parcel out.
2. Divide by partitions.
**Partitive,** *a.* (*Gram.*) Distributive, dividing.
**Partitive,** *n.* (*Gram.*) Distributive.
**Partly,** *ad.* In part, in some measure, in some degree.
**Partner,** *n.* 1. Associate, colleague, partaker, sharer, participator, participant.
2. Member of a partnership, member of a firm, one of a firm *or* house, coadjutor, confederate.
3. Spouse, companion, consort.
**Partnership,** *n.* 1. Union, connection, interest, participation.
2. Copartnership, company, association, society, firm, house.
**Partridge-berry,** *n.* 1. Creeping wintergreen, wintergreen, aromatic wintergreen, teaberry, boxberry (*Gaultheria procumbens*).
2. Checkerberry, squaw-vine, winter-clover (*Mitchella repens*).
**Parts,** *n. pl.* 1. Talents, faculties, powers, abilities, endowments, gifts, genius, qualities, accomplishments, intellect, mind, intelligence.
2. Quarters, regions, districts.
**Parturition,** *n.* Delivery, labor, travail, childbirth, bringing forth, birth.
**Part with.** Relinquish, resign, surrender, lose, give up.
**Party,** *n.* 1. Faction, set, junto, circle, ring, combination, league, confederacy, alliance, cabal, clique, coterie.
2. Body, company, detachment, troop, squad.
3. Company.
4. Company, assembly, gathering, social assemblage.
5. Participator, participant, partaker, sharer.
6. Litigant, plaintiff or defendant.
7. Person, individual, one, somebody, some one.
8. Cause, side.
**Party-colored,** *a.* Variegated, piebald, pied, motley, many-colored, many-hued, divers-colored.
**Party-man,** *n.* See PARTISAN, 1.
**Par value.** Nominal value.
**Parvenu,** *n.* [Fr.] Upstart, mushroom, snob, pretentious fellow, pretender to gentility.
**Pas,** *n.* 1. Step.
2. Precedence.
**Paschal,** *a.* 1. Passover.
2. Easter.
**Pasch-egg,** *n.* [Written also *Pace-egg.*] Easter-egg.
**Pasha,** *n.* See PACHA.
**Pasigraphy,** *n.* Universal language.
**Pasquillant,** / **Pasquiller,** } *n.* Satirist, lampooner, libeller.
**Pasquin,** *v. a.* Lampoon, satirize, abuse by satire.
**Pasquinade,** *n.* Lampoon, satire.
**Pass,** *v. n.* 1. Go, move, proceed, go on, make a transit.
2. Elapse, lapse, be spent, pass away.
3. Vanish, disappear, cease, fade, die, be lost.
4. Occur, happen, take place.
5. Circulate, be current, gain currency, be received.
6. Be enacted, be sanctioned by a majority of votes.
7. Be deemed, be considered, be held, be regarded.
8. Answer, do, do well enough.
9. Go unheeded, go unregarded.
10. Make a thrust, make a pass, thrust.
11. Determine, pass judgment.
12. Move through, go through.
**Pass,** *v. a.* 1. Allow to proceed, let go.
2. Go by.
3. Go over, go across.
4. Go through, go along.
5. Undergo, experience, live through, make trial of, suffer.
6. Spend (*as time*), live through.
7. Omit, neglect, disregard, take no notice of.
8. Overstep, go beyond, overpass.
9. Exceed, surpass, excel, transcend.
10. Be enacted by, be passed by.
11. Enact, ratify, sanction by a majority of votes.
12. Utter, deliver, pronounce.

13. Give currency to, put into circulation.
14. Void, discharge, eject, excrete.
15. Finish, accomplish, end, achieve.
16. Send, transmit, deliver, transfer, make over.

**Pass,** *n.* 1. Passage, way, road, avenue.
2. Defile, ravine, gorge, narrow passage.
3. Passport, ticket, permission to pass.
4. Conjuncture, state, condition, situation, plight.
5. Thrust, push, allonge, lunge, tilt, passado.
6. Ford.

**Passable,** *a.* 1. Fit for travel.
2. Tolerable, middling, moderate, ordinary, allowable, admissible, so-so, mediocre, pretty good.
3. Current, receivable, acceptable.

**Passage,** *n.* 1. Passing, transit.
2. Transit, journey, voyage.
3. Road, path, way, avenue, pass, course, thoroughfare, channel, route.
4. Access, entry, reception, currency.
5. Exploit, act, deed, event, feat, occurrence, incident.
6. Gallery, corridor.
7. Clause, sentence, paragraph, text.
8. Departure, death, decease.
9. Enactment, passing.
10. (*Mus.*) Phrase, portion of a tune.
11. Fare.
12. Pass, encounter, contest, combat, skirmish, conflict, collision, brush, joust, tilt, affair.

**Pass away.** (*Active.*) Spend, waste.

**Pass away.** (*Neuter.*) 1. Elapse, lapse, pass; glide, slip away.
2. Move from sight, vanish.
3. Die.
4. Be spent, be lost.

**Pass by.** 1. Overlook, disregard, omit, take no notice of, pass over, neglect.
2. Overlook, excuse, forgive.

**Pass current.** Be received, be admitted.

**Passé,** *a.* [Fr.] Past, worn, faded, out of use, out of date, antiquated.

**Passenger,** *n.* Traveller, wayfarer, voyager, itinerant, tourist.

**Passim,** *ad.* [L.] Here and there, everywhere, throughout.

**Passing,** *a.* Transient, fleeting, momentary, going by.

**Passing,** *ad.* Surpassingly, wonderfully, exceedingly, excessively.

**Passing,** *prep.* Exceeding, beyond, over.

**Pass in review.** Review, revise, reconsider, reexamine.

**Pass into.** Unite, blend.

**Passion,** *n.* 1. Suffering (*specifically that of Christ by crucifixion*).
2. Emotion, ardor, fervor, zeal, rapture, transport, excitement, impulse, glow, strong feeling.
3. Zeal, ardor, vehement desire.
4. Pathos, warmth of feeling, tender emotion.
5. Anger, resentment, wrath, indignation, fury, rage, vehemence, excitement.
6. Love, affection, attachment, fondness, devotion, adoration.
7. Object of passion, absorbing pursuit, rage.

**Passionate,** *a.* 1. Warm, ardent, earnest, vehement, excited, animated, fiery, enthusiastic, fervent, glowing, burning, zealous, violent, furious, impetuous, impulsive, impassioned.
2. Irascible, excitable, choleric, hasty, impatient, touchy, hot, peppery, hot-tempered, angry, quick-tempered, hot-headed, fiery, violent.

**Passionless,** *a.* 1. Impassive, unsusceptible, unimpressible, apathetic, cold, phlegmatic, stoical, cold-blooded, without passion *or* feeling, self-contained.
2. Cool, calm, collected, unmoved, quiet, imperturbable, of a calm temper.

**Passion week.** Holy Week, week before Easter.

**Passive,** *a.* 1. Quiet, quiescent, inert, inactive, receptive.
2. Unresisting, submissive, patient, long-suffering, enduring, suffering.

**Passiveness,** *n.* 1. Passivity.
2. Passibility.
3. Patience, calmness, submission.

**Pass muster.** Answer, do, pass, serve, do well enough.

**Pass off.** Palm, palm off, impose by trick, impose fraudulently.

**Pass on or upon.** (*Active.*) 1. Befall, happen to, come upon.
2. Impose upon, palm upon, palm off upon, practise artfully, put upon.

**Pass on.** (*Neuter.*) Proceed.

**Pass over.** (*Active.*) Overlook, disregard, omit, pass by.

**Pass over.** (*Neuter.*) Cross, move from side to side.

**Passport,** *n.* 1. Pass.
2. Safeguard.

**Password,** *n.* Watchword, countersign, secret parole.

**Past,** *a.* 1. Spent, gone, ended, accomplished.
2. Gone by.

**Past,** *n.* Past time, bygone time.

**Past,** *prep.* 1. Beyond, out of the reach of.
2. After (*in time*).
3. Beyond (*in position*), farther than.
4. Above, more than, exceeding.

**Past,** *ad.* By.

**Pastime,** *n.* Amusement, entertainment, diversion, sport, play, recreation.

**Pastor,** *n.* 1. Shepherd.
2. Minister, clergyman, priest, parson, ecclesiastic, churchman, divine.

**Pastoral,** *a.* 1. Rural, rustic, of shepherds.
2. Bucolic.
3. Ministerial, of a pastor.

**Pastoral,** *n.* Bucolic, idyl, eclogue, pastoral poem.

**Pastoral-staff,** *n.* Crosier.

**Pastorate,** *n.* Pastorship.

**Pastorship,** *n.* Pastorate.

**Pasturage,** *n.* Pasture, grazing land.

**Pasture,** *n.* 1. Herbage, herbs, pasturage, grass.
2. Grazing land, pasturage, pasture-ground.

**Pasture,** *v. a.* Supply with pasturage, graze, turn out to pasture.

**Pasty,** *n.* Meat-pie.

**Pat,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Fit, apt, pertinent, suitable, appropriate.

**Pat,** *ad.* (*Colloq.*) Seasonably, fitly, aptly, conveniently, *apropos.*

**Pat,** *n.* 1. Rap, dab, tap, hit, light blow.
2. Small lump, cake.
3. (*Colloq.*) [Abbreviated from *St. Patrick*, their patron saint.] Irishman, paddy, Milesian, Hibernian, son of Erin.

**Pat,** *v. a.* Rap, dab, tap, strike lightly, hit.

**Patch,** *n.* 1. Piece.
2. Tract, parcel, plot.

**Pate,** *n.* Head (*in a ludicrous sense*).

**Patella,** *n.* [L.] 1. Knee-pan, knee-cap.
2. (*Conch.*) Limpet.

**Patent,** *a.* 1. Open, spreading, expanded.
2. Patented.
3. Open, apparent, evident, plain, obvious, manifest, clear, public, conspicuous, unconcealed, palpable, unmistakable, glaring, notorious, indisputable.

**Paternal,** *a.* 1. Fatherly.
2. Hereditary.

**Paternal estate.** Patrimony, inheritance, heritage.

**Paternity,** *n.* I. Fathership, fatherhood.
2. Origin, derivation from a father.
3. Origin, authorship.
**Pater noster.** [L.] I. The Lord's prayer.
2. Rosary.
**Path,** *n.* I. Track (*trodden*), footway, pathway.
2. Road, way, course, route, passage, avenue.
**Pathetic,** *a.* Affecting, touching, moving, melting, tender, plaintive.
**Pathless,** *a.* Untrodden, trackless.
**Pathos,** *n.* I. Passion, warmth of feeling, tender emotion.
2. Pathetic quality, tender tone, pathetically.
**Pathway,** *n.* I. Path, footway, track.
2. Way, course of life.
**Patience,** *n.* I. Endurance.
2. Endurance (*without complaint*), fortitude, resignation, submission, sufferance, long-sufferance, long-suffering, calmness, composure.
3. Quietness, calmness.
4. Forbearance, leniency, indulgence, long-suffering.
5. Perseverance, persistence, indefatigableness, constancy, diligence, assiduity.
**Patient,** *a.* I. Enduring, able to endure.
2. Submissive, resigned, uncomplaining, unrepining, passive, long-suffering.
3. Quiet, calm, contented.
4. Indulgent, lenient, long-suffering.
5. Persevering, persistent, diligent, assiduous, indefatigable, constant.
**Patient,** *n.* Invalid, sufferer, sick person.
**Patness,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Suitableness, appropriateness, fitness, propriety, aptness, pertinency, convenience.
**Patois,** *n* [Fr.] Rustic *or* provincial dialect.
**Patrician,** *n.* Nobleman.
**Patrician,** *a.* Noble, senatorial, aristocratic, high-born, well-born.
**Patricidal,** *a.* Parricidal.
**Patricide,** *n.* Parricide.
**Patrimony,** *n.* Inheritance, heritage, paternal *or* hereditary estate.
**Patriot,** *n.* Lover of one's country.
**Patriotism,** *n.* Love of country, devotion to one's country, national spirit, *amor patriæ.*
**Patron,** *n.* Defender, advocate, protector, supporter, favorer, guardian, good genius, tutelary saint.
**Patronage,** *n.* I. Favor, countenance, support, assistance, influence, friendship, aid, protection, encouragement.
2. Custom, good-will (*of an established place of business*).
**Patronize,** *v. a.* Favor, countenance, support, aid, assist, help, befriend, make interest for, defend, maintain.
**Patronymic,** *n.* Surname, family name, ancestral name, sirname, cognomen.
**Pattern,** *n.* I. Exemplar, model, archetype, prototype, original.
2. Specimen, sample, example.
3. Figure, shape, design.
4. Figure, style.
**Pattern,** *v. a.* Imitate, copy, follow.
**Paucity,** *n.* I. Fewness, small number, rarity.
2. Smallness of quantity, poverty, exiguity.
**Pauhaugen,** *n.* (*Indian name.*) See MANHADEN.
**Paul,** *n.* See PAWL.
**Paunch,** *n.* I. Abdomen, belly.
2. First stomach (*of a ruminating animal*).
**Pauper,** *n.* Poor person (*depending on charity*).
**Pauperism,** *n.* Indigence, destitution, penury, extreme poverty, want, need.
**Pause,** *n.* I. Stop, cessation, suspension, interruption, rest, halt, intermission, remission, stoppage, stopping, break.
2. Suspense, hesitation, uncertainty.
3. Break, paragraph (*in writing*).
4. Point, punctuation-mark.
**Pause,** *v. n.* I. Stop, cease, desist, wait, delay, rest, breathe, stay, break off.
2. Stop, wait, forbear, delay, tarry, stay, intermit.
3. Hesitate, demur, deliberate, waver, hold back.
**Pave the way.** Prepare, make ready, get ready, make preparation, smooth the way, prepare a way, prepare a passage for, facilitate the introduction of.
**Pavilion,** *n.* I. Tent.
2. Canopy, covering.
3. (*Anat.*) Auricle, ala, external ear.
**Pavonine,** *a.* Iridescent, irisated, nacreous, *gorge de pigeon.*
**Paw,** *n.* I. Foot (*of beasts with claws*).
2. Hand (*in contempt*).
**Pawl,** *n.* [Written also *Paul* and *Pall.*] Click, detent, catch, ratchet.
**Pawn,** *n.* Pledge (*of a chattel to secure a debt*), gage, security.
**Pawn,** *v. a.* I. Pledge, offer *or* give as security.
2. Stake, wager, hazard, lay, bet, risk.
**Pawnee,** *n.* (*Law.*) Pledgee.
**Pay,** *v. a.* I. Discharge, settle, liquidate, defray.
2. Compensate, recompense, requite, remunerate, reward, make payment to, satisfy, discharge one's obligation to, indemnify.
3. Punish, take revenge upon, retort upon.
4. Give, render, offer.
5. (*Naut.*) Smear (*with tar* or *pitch*).
**Pay,** *v. n.* I. Make compensation.
2. Be profitable, be remunerative, make a good return, be a good investment, give a good interest.
**Pay,** *n.* Compensation, recompense, remuneration, reward, requital, wages, hire, stipend, salary, allowance, emolument.
**Payable,** *a.* I. Due.
2. That may be paid.
**Pay-bill,** *n.* Pay-roll.
**Pay down.** Pay on the spot, pay on delivery.
**Pay for.** I. Give an equivalent for, bear the expense of, be mulcted on account of, defray the cost.
2. Atone for, make amends for.
**Paying,** *a.* Remunerative, profitable, gainful.
**Payment,** *n.* I. Paying, discharge of a debt, settlement.
2. Recompense, requital, reward, remuneration, compensation, fee.
3. Chastisement, punishment.
**Pay off.** I. Pay and discharge (*as hired men*).
2. Punish, pay, take revenge upon, retort upon, retaliate, be quits, be even with, give a *quid pro quo.*
3. (*Naut.*) Fall off, fall to leeward, fall off from the wind.
**Pay one's addresses to.** Woo, court, solicit in love, make love to, pay court to.
**Pay the debt of nature.** Die, expire, pass away, depart this life, breathe one's last, end one's days, be no more, give up the ghost, join the majority, go to one's long account, shuffle off this mortal coil, take one's last sleep, go down into silence.
**Pay up.** (*Colloq.*) Settle, pay arrears, settle an account, square accounts, quit scores, strike a balance, pay the bill, pay the piper, pay the fiddler.
**Peace,** *n.* I. Calm, repose, quiet, tranquillity, stillness, silence, calmness, quietness.
2. Amity, harmony.

3. Public tranquillity, good order, quiet.
4. Tranquillity, calmness, quiet of conscience.
5. Harmony, concord, reconciliation, pacification.

**Peaceable,** *a.* 1. Peaceful, pacific, free from war.
2. Gentle, mild, amicable, friendly, disposed to peace, inoffensive.
3. Quiet, tranquil, placid, unmoved, undisturbed, serene, peaceful, still.

**Peaceful,** *a.* 1. Quiet, undisturbed.
2. Mild, gentle, kindly, friendly, pacific, peaceable.
3. Calm, still, placid, tranquil, serene.

**Peace-maker,** *n.* Mediator, intercessor.

**Peace-making,** *a.* Conciliatory, mild, appeasing.

**Peace-offering,** *n.* 1. Atonement, satisfaction, amends, reparation, atoning sacrifice.
2. Mediation, olive-branch, intercession.

**Peak,** *n.* 1. Point.
2. Top (*of a mountain*), summit, crest, crown, pinnacle, *pico.*

**Peak,** *v. n.* Grow thin *or* lean, become emaciated, dwindle.

**Peaked,** *a.* Pointed, picked, piked.

**Peal,** *n.* Blast, burst, blare, clang.

**Peal,** *v. n.* Resound, echo, re-echo, boom, thunder, roar.

**Pean,** *n.* See PÆAN.

**Peanism,** *n.* Jubilation, shouts of triumph.

**Pea-nut,** *n.* Ground-nut, earth-nut (*Arachis hypogæa*).

**Pearl,** *n.* 1. Margarite.
2. Jewel, gem.
3. Drop, tear.

**Pearlash,** *n.* Commercial carbonate of potash, calcined potash.

**Pearl-powder,** *n.* See PEARL-WHITE.

**Pearl-white,** *n.* Pearl-powder, oxychloride of bismuth.

**Pearly,** *a.* 1. Abounding in pearls.
2. Clear, pure, translucent, limpid, pellucid.

**Peasant,** *n.* Rustic, countryman, hind, swain, clown, laborer.

**Peasant,** *a.* Rustic, rural.

**Peasantlike,** } *a.* Rude, clownish, illiterate.
**Peasantly,** }

**Peasantry,** *n.* Laborers, peasants, rustics, hinds, lowest agricultural class.

**Pebble,** *n.* 1. Stone (*of small size*), pebble-stone.
2. (*In jewelry.*) Agate.
3. (*Among opticians.*) Colorless rock-crystal, quartz, pure silica.

**Pebble-stone,** *n.* Pebble.

**Peccability,** *n.* Frailty, infirmity, weakness, liability to sin.

**Peccable,** *a.* Frail, weak, imperfect, erring, sinning, liable to sin.

**Peccadillo,** *n.* Petty fault, slight offence, petty trespass, slight crime.

**Peccant,** *a.* 1. Sinning, erring, guilty, criminal.
2. Morbid, malignant, corrupting, corroding, bad, corrupt, unhealthy.
3. Wrong, incorrect, bad, defective, informal.

**Peccary,** *n.* Mexican hog, tajaçu (*Dicotyles torquatus*).

**Peculate,** *v. n.* Embezzle, appropriate criminally, steal, pilfer, rob, defraud.

**Peculation,** *n.* Embezzlement, pilfering, theft.

**Peculiar,** *a.* 1. That specially pertains, that belongs exclusively, one's own, appropriate, proper.
2. Singular, characteristic, exceptional, rare, striking, unusual, uncommon, eccentric, odd, extraordinary, strange, queer.
3. Special, select, particular, individual, especial, specific.

**Peculiarity,** *n.* 1. Appropriateness, specialty, individuality, distinctiveness.
2. Individuality, idiocrasy, idiosyncrasy, characteristic, specialty, singularity, particularity.

**Peculiarly,** *ad.* 1. Especially, particularly, unusually.
2. Particularly, singly.

**Pecuniary,** *a.* Monetary, nummular, nummulary, nummary, financial.

**Pedagogue,** *n.* (*A contemptuous term.*) 1. Schoolmaster, teacher.
2. Pedant.

**Pedant,** *n.* 1. Schoolmaster, pedagogue.
2. Vain scholar, conceited scholar, ostentatious man of learning.

**Pedantic,** } *a.* Conceited, pragmatical, vain of
**Pedantical,** } knowledge, ostentatious of learning, over-learned, pedagogic, pedagogical, priggish, pompous, stilted.

**Pedantry,** *n.* Ostentation of learning, boastful display of knowledge, pedantism.

**Peddle,** *v. a.* Hawk, retail, vend.

**Peddle,** *v. n.* 1. Hawk, retail, vend.
2. Trifle, dawdle.

**Peddler,** *n.* [Written also *Pedlar* and *Pedler.*] Travelling chapman, hawker, vender, petty dealer, travelling trader.

**Pedestrian,** *n.* 1. Foot-traveller, traveller afoot, walker.
2. Foot-racer, professional walker.

**Pedigree,** *n.* Lineage, descent, ancestry, genealogy, stock, breed, family, race, house, line of ancestors, strain, line, extraction.

**Pedlar,** }
**Pedler,** } *n.* See PEDDLER.

**Peel,** *v. a.* 1. Pare (*by cutting*), bark, flay, decorticate.
2. Strip off, remove by stripping.

**Peel,** *v. n.* Exfoliate, come off (*as skin* or *rind*), peel off.

**Peel,** *n.* Rind, skin.

**Peeler,** *n.* Policeman.

**Peep,** *v. n.* 1. Chirp (*as a chicken*), pule, cheep, cry, pip.
2. Begin to appear, issue, come forth.
3. Peer, look slyly.

**Peep of day.** Dawn, morning, aurora, sunrise, prime, prime of day, cock-crow, break of day, early morning, first flush of the morning, *point du jour.*

**Peer,** *n.* 1. Equal, mate, match, compeer.
2. Companion, associate, fellow, comrade, contemporary.
3. Nobleman, lord.

**Peer,** *v. n.* 1. (*Poetical.*) Appear, peep, come in sight.
2. Peep, pry, look closely *or* narrowly.

**Peerless,** *a.* Unequalled, unmatched, unsurpassed, matchless, superlative, unique, without an equal, without a peer.

**Peevish,** *a.* 1. Fretful, petulant, querulous, irritable, waspish, snappish, pettish, captious, cross, crusty, snarling, testy, churlish, crabbed, acrimonious, spleeny, ill-natured, ill-tempered.
2. Discontented, fretful, captious.
3. Self-willed, stubborn, obstinate, headstrong, froward.
4. Silly, childish, thoughtless, trifling.

**Pelagian,** }
**Pelagic,** } *a.* Oceanic, marine, of the ocean.

**Pelargonium,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Stork's bill.

**Pelf,** *n.* Money, riches, lucre, mammon, gain, wealth (*contemptuous term*).

**Pellicle,** *n.* Film, thin skin, thin coating, crust.

**Pell-mell,** *ad.* Confusedly, irregularly, disorderly, in confusion, in disorder, helter-skelter, at sixes and sevens.

**Pellucid,** *a.* Clear, limpid, crystalline, bright, lucid, translucent, diaphanous.

**Pelt,** *n.* Skin (*of a beast with the hair on it*), hide, raw hide, undressed hide.
**Pelt,** *v. a.* 1. Strike (*with something thrown*), beat, batter, assail with missiles, belabor.
2. Throw, cast, hurl.
**Peltate,** } **Peltated,** } *a.* (*Bot.*) Shield-shaped.
**Pelting,** *n.* Beating, battering.
**Peltry,** *n.* Pelts, hides, skins, raw hides.
**Pen,** *v. a.* 1. Write, compose, indite, commit to paper, inscribe.
2. Encage, coop, confine, enclose, impound, imprison, incarcerate, shut up, shut in, hem in, wall in, rail in.
**Pen,** *n.* Enclosure, pinfold, pound, sty, coop, penfold.
**Penal,** *a.* Punitive.
**Penalty,** *n.* 1. Punishment, penal retribution.
2. Forfeiture, fine, mulct, amercement.
**Penance,** *n.* Punishment (*self-inflicted* or *imposed by ecclesiastical authority*), mortification, maceration, humiliation, penalty.
**Penates,** *n.* Household gods.
**Penchant,** *n.* [Fr.] Inclination, bent, propensity, proneness, proclivity, disposition, tendency, turn, leaning, predisposition, liking, fondness, predilection, taste, bias, propension.
**Pencil,** *n.* 1. Brush (*made of hair* or *fine bristles*).
2. Crayon.
**Pencil,** *v. a.* 1. Paint, depict, delineate, portray, sketch.
2. Mark *or* draw with a pencil.
**Pencilling,** *n.* Sketch, outline.
**Pencraft,** *n.* 1. Penmanship, chirography, writing.
2. Authorship, composition.
**Pendant,** *n.* 1. Hanging appendage, bob.
2. Ear-ring, ear-drop.
3. (*Naut.*) Pennant, pennon.
4. Chandelier, gas-fixture, lustre.
5. Appendix, addition.
**Pendent,** *a.* 1. Hanging, pendulous, suspended, pensile, depending.
2. Overhanging, projecting, jutting over.
**Pendente lite.** [L.] While the suit is pending, pending the suit *or* action, during litigation.
**Pending,** *a.* Depending, undecided, undetermined, unsettled, in suspense.
**Pending,** *prep.* During.
**Pendragon,** *n.* Generalissimo, chief leader.
**Pendulous,** *a.* 1. Hanging, pendent.
2. Doubtful, unsettled, uncertain, in suspense.
**Penetrable,** *a.* 1. Permeable, pervious.
2. Susceptible, impressible.
**Penetralia,** *n. pl.* 1. Sanctuary, inner parts, recesses.
2. Secrets, mysteries, hidden things.
**Penetrate,** *v. a.* 1. Pierce, perforate, bore, enter.
2. Touch, make sensible, affect.
3. Discern, understand, comprehend.
**Penetrate,** *v. n.* 1. Pass, make way, enter.
2. See into, make way intellectually.
**Penetrating,** *a.* 1. Sharp, subtle, piercing, penetrative, permeating.
2. Discerning, intelligent, sagacious, sharp-witted, clear-sighted, acute, keen, quick, shrewd, keen-sighted.
**Penetration,** *n.* 1. Penetrating.
2. Insight.
3. Acuteness, discernment, sagacity, sagaciousness, shrewdness, astuteness, sharpness, perspicacity, insight, discrimination, acumen.
**Penetrative,** *a* 1. Piercing, sharp, subtle, sagacious, discerning, acute.
2. Sharp, subtle, piercing, penetrating, keen, acute.
**Penfold,** *n.* See PINFOLD.
**Penitence,** *n.* Repentance, contrition, compunction, regret, remorse, sorrow.
**Penitent,** *a.* Repentant, contrite, remorseful, sorry, sorrowful.
**Penitent,** *n.* 1. Repentant.
2. Penitentiary, repentant, penance-doer.
**Penitentiary,** *n.* 1. Prison, jail, bridewell, workhouse, house of correction.
2. Penitent, repentant, penance-doer.
**Penman,** *n.* 1. Teacher of penmanship, writing-teacher, calligrapher, calligraphist.
2. Writer, scribe, chirographer, chirographist, quill-driver, penner.
3. Author, writer, composer.
**Penmanship,** *n.* 1. Calligraphy, pencraft, art of writing.
2. Chirography, writing.
**Pennant,** *n.* (*Naut.*) Pendant, pennon, small flag.
**Penniless,** *a.* Moneyless, destitute, poor, necessitous, needy, indigent, distressed, pinched, reduced, poverty-stricken, impecunious, out of money, out of cash, out of pocket, in need, in want.
**Pennon,** *n.* Banner, streamer, standard, flag, colors, ensign.
**Pensile,** *a.* Hanging, suspended, pendent, pendulous.
**Pension,** *n.* 1. Allowance (*from a government for past services*), annuity.
2. Boarding-house.
**Pensive,** *a.* 1. Thoughtful, meditative, reflective, dreamy, sober.
2. Expressive of sadness, sad, serious, grave, mournful, melancholy, solemn, *triste*.
**Pentagonal,** *a.* Five-angled, five-cornered, five-sided, pentangular, pentagonous.
**Pentecost,** *n.* Whitsuntide, Whit-Sunday, pinxter.
**Pent-house,** *n.* Lean-to.
**Pent-roof,** *n.* Shed-roof.
**Penult,** *n.* Penultima, penultimate, last syllable but one, penultimate syllable.
**Penultima,** } **Penultimate,** } *n.* See PENULT.
**Penurious,** *a.* 1. Niggard, scanty, insufficient, inadequate, meagre, ill-provided, poor, stinted.
2. Parsimonious, covetous, avaricious, illiberal, miserly, niggardly, sordid, mercenary, close, stingy, mean, close-fisted, hard-fisted, grasping, near.
**Penury,** *n.* Indigence, destitution, extreme poverty, want, need.
**People,** *n.* 1. Tribe, nation, race, clan, family.
2. Population, folks, persons, the public, the community, the bulk of mankind.
3. Commonalty, populace.
4. Rabble, mob, the vulgar, vulgar herd, lower classes, humbler classes, the multitude, the million, the many, the crowd, the masses, *canaille*.
5. Persons, men, folks (*colloq.*).
**People,** *v. a.* Populate.
**Pepper-grass,** *n.* 1. Pill-wort (*Pilularia globulifera*).
2. Pepper-wort (*Lepidium sativum*).
**Pepperidge,** *n.* Tupelo, sour gum, sour gum-tree (*Nyssa multiflora*).
**Pepperidge-bush,** *n.* Barberry.
**Pepper-wort,** *n.* Pepper-grass (*Lepidium sativum*).
**Peppery,** *a.* 1. Hot, pungent, high-seasoned, hot as pepper.
2. Irritable, irascible, touchy, testy, waspish, snappish, snarling, churlish, choleric, petulant, excitable, passionate, hasty, quick, like tinder, like touch-wood.
**Peptic,** *a.* Dietetic.

**Per,** *prep.* [L.] By, for, through, by means of.
**Peradventure,** *ad.* (*Rare.*) Perhaps, perchance, it may be, by chance, maybe, haply, mayhap, possibly.
**Perambulate,** *v. a.* Go around, go about, traverse.
**Perambulation,** *n.* Round, circuit, tour.
**Per annum.** [L.] Annually, by the year, in each year.
**Per capita.** [L.] By heads, by polls, according to the number of persons.
**Perceivable,** *a.* Discernible, cognizable, perceptible, appreciable, sensible, distinguishable.
**Perceive,** *v. a.* 1. See, discover, note, notice, remark, observe, descry, behold, discern, distinguish.
2. Feel, be sensible of.
3. Understand, comprehend, know, appreciate.
**Per cent.** / **Per centum.** [L.] By the hundred.
**Perceptible,** *a.* Visible, discernible, apparent, perceivable.
**Perceptibly,** *ad.* Evidently, notably.
**Perception,** *n.* 1. Seeing, discernment, cognition, apprehension, recognition, perceiving.
2. Perceptivity, understanding, apprehension, comprehension, discernment, feeling.
3. Sensation, sense, feeling.
**Perch,** *n.* 1. Pole, staff, rod.
2. Roost.
3. Elevated position, height.
4. Pole, rod, 5½ yards.
5. Rod, $\frac{1}{160}$ of an acre.
6. (*Arch.*) Bracket, console.
**Perch,** *v. n.* Roost, sit on a perch.
**Perchance,** *ad.* Perhaps, possibly, by chance, haply, maybe, it may be, as luck may have it, peradventure, mayhap.
**Perchers,** *n. pl.* Insessores, perching birds.
**Percolate,** *v. n.* Filter, transude, ooze, exude, strain, drain.
**Percolation,** *n.* Filtration, straining.
**Per contra.** [L.] On the contrary.
**Per curiam.** [L.] By the court.
**Percussion,** *n.* 1. Collision, clash, shock, concussion, encounter, crash.
2. Vibratory shock.
**Percussion-cap,** *n.* Capsule.
**Percussion-powder,** *n.* Fulminating powder, detonating powder.
**Per diem.** [L.] By the day.
**Perdition,** *n.* 1. Ruin, destruction, overthrow, wreck, downfall, utter loss, demolition.
2. Eternal death, future misery.
**Perdu,** / **Perdue,** *a.* Lost to sight, hid, concealed, in concealment.
**Peregrination,** *n.* Travelling, travel, wandering, roaming, tour.
**Peremptorily,** *ad.* Absolutely, positively, decisively.
**Peremptoriness,** *n.* Positiveness, dogmatism, decision.
**Peremptory,** *a.* 1. Decisive, express, authoritative, categorical, imperative, positive, absolute, imperious.
2. Resolute, determined, resolved.
3. Dogmatical, arbitrary.
4. (*Law.*) Final, determinate.
**Perennial,** *a.* Lasting, enduring, permanent, constant, continual, uninterrupted, undying, unceasing, ceaseless, perpetual, imperishable, deathless, never-failing, unfailing, immortal.
**Perfect,** *a.* 1. Finished, completed.
2. Full, complete, entire, whole.
3. Complete, consummate, excellent, capital, exquisite, faultless.
4. Skilled, disciplined, accomplished, expert fully informed.
5. Pure, holy, blameless, faultless, without sin immaculate, unblemished, spotless.
6. Sound, faultless.
**Perfect,** *v. a.* 1. Finish, complete, consummate elaborate, make perfect, bring to perfection.
2. Accomplish, instruct fully, make skilful make expert, finish.
**Perfection,** *n.* 1. Perfectness, maturity, completion, consummation, wholeness, excellence.
2. Excellent quality, beauty, excellence.
**Perfectly,** *ad.* 1. Exquisitely, consummately.
2. Fully, entirely, totally, completely, altogether, thoroughly.
3. Exactly, accurately.
**Perfectness,** *n.* 1. Perfection, excellence, completeness, completion.
2. Excellence, highest virtue.
**Perfidious,** *a.* 1. Faithless, unfaithful, venal, treacherous, false, dishonest, disloyal, double-faced, traitorous, false-hearted, deceitful, untrustworthy.
2. Treacherous, traitorous, false, disloyal, dishonest.
3. Perjured, forsworn, faithless, false.
**Perfidiousness,** *n.* See PERFIDY.
**Perfidy,** *n.* Perfidiousness, treachery, faithlessness, infidelity, traitorousness, treason, defection, disloyalty, breach of faith, foul play, Punic faith.
**Perforate,** *v. a.* Pierce, penetrate, bore, drill, bore through, puncture.
**Perforation,** *n.* 1. Pertusion, piercing.
2. Hole, aperture, opening, orifice.
**Perforce,** *ad.* By force, by violence, violently, of necessity, absolutely, by compulsion, forcibly.
**Perform,** *v. a.* 1. Do, execute, effect, accomplish, achieve, compass, bring about, bring to pass, work out, transact.
2. Observe, fulfil, meet, discharge, satisfy, complete, adhere to, be faithful to, comply with, act up to, execute.
3. Act, represent, play, sustain a part, support a character.
4. Play, execute.
**Performance,** *n.* 1. Accomplishment, execution, completion, doing, consummation, achievement.
2. Action, deed, act, achievement, exploit, feat, work.
3. Composition, literary work, production, work.
4. Acting, exhibition of character on the stage, entertainment, exhibition, play, representation.
5. Playing, execution.
**Performer,** *n.* 1. Doer, operator, executor, agent.
2. Actor, player, stage-player.
3. Musician, player.
**Perfume,** *n.* 1. Fragrance, balminess, aroma, redolence, incense, pleasing scent, grateful odor, sweetness of smell, *bouquet.*
2. Sweet-smelling substance.
**Perfume,** *v. a.* Scent, impregnate *or* imbue with grateful odor.
**Perfumery,** *n.* Perfumes.
**Perfunctory,** *a.* Indifferent, careless, slovenly, heedless, reckless, negligent, slight, mechanical, unmindful, thoughtless.
**Perhaps,** *ad.* Perchance, possibly, haply, by chance, maybe, it may be, as luck may have it, peradventure.
**Pericarp,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Capsule, pod, seed-vessel, ripened ovary.
**Peril,** *n.* Danger, hazard, jeopardy, risk.
**Peril,** *v. a.* Risk, endanger, imperil, jeopard, hazard, put in danger, expose to danger.

**Perilous,** *a.* Dangerous, hazardous, full of danger, fraught with danger, full of risk.
**Period,** *n.* 1. Circuit.
2. Cycle, circle of time, revolution of time, round of years.
3. Time, term, era, epoch, age, date.
4. Duration, continuance.
5. End, limit, bound, termination, conclusion, determination.
6. (*Rhet.*) Sentence (*full* or *completed*), proposition, phrase, clause.
7. (*Gram.*) Dot, full stop.
**Periodic,** } *a.* Recurring (*regularly*).
**Periodical,** }
**Periodical,** *n.* Magazine, review, serial.
**Periodically,** *ad.* Regularly, statedly, at stated times, at regular times, at fixed periods.
**Peripatetic,** *a.* 1. Itinerant, walking about, wandering.
2. Aristotelian, of Aristotle.
**Peripatetic,** *n.* 1. Disciple of Aristotle.
2. Pedestrian, walker (*ludicrously*).
**Periphery,** *n.* 1. Outside, surface, superficies.
2. Perimeter, outer boundary.
3. Circumference.
**Periphrase,** *n.* Circumlocution, circuit of words, roundabout expression, periphrasis.
**Periphrasis,** *n.* [L.] See PERIPHRASE.
**Periphrastic,** } *a.* Circumlocutory, roundabout,
**Periphrastical,** } indirect, going round.
**Perish,** *v. n.* 1. Decay, waste, wither, shrivel, moulder.
2. Pass away, be destroyed, be ruined, be lost, come to nought, go to destruction.
3. Die, expire, decease, cease to exist, lose life, pass away.
**Perishable,** *a.* 1. Destructible, decaying, liable to decay.
2. Dying, mortal, frail.
**Perish with cold.** Freeze.
**Perish with hunger.** Starve, famish.
**Periwig,** *n.* Wig, peruke, scratch.
**Perjured,** *a.* Forsworn, perfidious, false, treacherous, traitorous, lost to shame.
**Perjure one's self.** Forswear one's self, swear falsely, take a false oath, bear false witness, break one's word, break one's faith, play false.
**Perjury,** *n.* False swearing.
**Perk,** *v. a.* Dress, prank, make trim, make smart.
**Perk,** *v. n.* 1. Be perk, be proud, be perky, be smart.
2. Peer, look narrowly, look sharply, scan.
**Perk,** *a.* Pert, trim, smart, brisk, airy, jaunty, vain, perky.
**Perking,** *a.* Sharp, inquisitive, keen.
**Perk up.** Cheer up, brighten up, bear up, take heart, cast away care.
**Perky,** *a.* Perk, trim, jaunty, airy.
**Permanence,** } *n.* Duration, durability, lasting-
**Permanency,** } ness, continuance, fixedness, stability.
**Permanent,** *a.* Lasting, abiding, fixed, enduring, continuing, durable, stable, steadfast, unchangeable, unchanging, immutable, perpetual, invariable, constant, persistent.
**Permeable,** *a.* Pervious, penetrable, pervadible.
**Permissible,** *a.* Allowable, admissible, sufferable, lawful, legal, legitimate, proper.
**Permission,** *n.* Leave, license, liberty, allowance, consent, permit, warrant, authorization, permittance.
**Permissive,** *a.* 1. Permitting, allowing, granting.
2. Granted, suffered.
**Permit,** *v. a.* 1. Allow, let, suffer, tolerate, endure, put up with.
2. Empower, authorize, warrant, give permission to, give leave to, give *carte-blanche* to, grant, admit, license, consent to.
**Permit,** *v. n.* Allow.
**Permit,** *n.* Leave, license, permission, liberty, warrant.
**Permittance,** *n.* Allowance, permission.
**Permutable,** *a.* Exchangeable.
**Permutation,** *n.* Exchange, mutual transference, change.
**Pernicious,** *a.* 1. Hurtful, harmful, deleterious, injurious, detrimental, baneful, baleful, prejudicial, noxious, noisome, mischievous, damaging, disadvantageous, destructive, ruinous, fatal, deadly, malign.
2. Malicious, wicked, evil-hearted, malignant, malign, mischievous, mischief-making, malevolent.
**Perorate,** *v. n.* Speechify, spout, harangue.
**Perpendicular,** *a.* 1. Vertical, upright, pointing to the zenith.
2. At right angles, making a right angle, normal.
**Perpetrate,** *v. a.* Do (*as something base*), commit, perform, execute, be guilty of.
**Perpetration,** *n.* Commission (*as of a crime*), doing, performing.
**Perpetual,** *a.* Endless, unending, everlasting, eternal, ever-during, ceaseless, unceasing, continual, incessant, unintermitted, uninterrupted, constant, interminable, perennial, never-ceasing, never-failing, unfailing, enduring, permanent, sempiternal.
**Perpetuate,** *v. a.* Eternize, make perpetual.
**Perpetuity,** *n.* Eternity, endless duration, continued existence, uninterrupted existence, perennity, sempiternity, everlastingness.
**Perplex,** *v. a.* 1. Entangle, tangle, complicate, involve, snarl, make intricate, make difficult, encumber.
2. Embarrass, puzzle, distract, pose, bewilder, beset, mystify, confuse, confound, pother.
3. Plague, vex, harass, tease, molest, trouble, annoy, disturb, worry, pester, embarrass, bother.
**Perplexing,** *a.* Troublesome, puzzling, embarrassing, bewildering, confusing, difficult, intricate.
**Perplexity,** *n.* 1. Intricacy, intricateness, complexity, obscurity, hardness, complication, involution, unintelligibility, entanglement.
2. Concern, care, anxiety, solicitude, trouble, embarrassment, distraction, doubt, confusion, bewilderment.
3. Embarrassment, difficulty, strait, hobble, pickle, critical situation, plight, predicament, dilemma, quandary, pass, pinch, scrape.
**Perpotation,** *n.* Drinking-bout, debauch, carouse.
**Perron,** *n.* (*Arch.*) External stair, doorsteps, stoop.
**Per saltum.** [L.] By a leap, by a jump.
**Per se.** [L.] By itself, alone, apart.
**Persecute,** *v. a.* 1. Oppress, harass, afflict, molest, distress, worry, hunt down, run down, pursue malignantly, drive from pillar to post, injure persistently.
2. Harass, solicit, importune, annoy, tease, worry, pester.
**Perseides,** *n. pl.* August meteors.
**Perseverance,** *n.* Steadiness, persistence, persistency, constancy, steadfastness, resolution, indefatigableness.
**Persevere,** *v. n.* Persist, be steady, continue, be steadfast, be constant, go on, keep on, hold on, keep one's course, keep one's ground, maintain one's ground, stick to it, not give it up, stand firm, stand fast, move heaven and earth, go through fire and water, go all lengths, stick at nothing.
**Persiflage,** *n.* [Fr.] Banter, raillery, ridicule,

jeering, mockery, quizzing, joking, pleasantry, frivolous talk.

**Persifleur,** *n.* Quiz, banterer.

**Persist,** *v. n.* 1. Continue, remain, last, endure.
2. Persevere, be steadfast.

**Persistence,** } *n.* 1. See PERSEVERANCE.
**Persistency,** }
2. Obstinacy, contumacy, doggedness, stubbornness, perverseness, pertinacity, obduracy, headiness, pig-headedness.
3. Continuance, continuation.

**Persistent,** *a.* Persevering, constant, enduring, tenacious, fixed, immovable, persistive, persisting, steady.

**Person,** *n.* 1. Individual, one, somebody, some one.
2. Body, bodily substance, bodily form, human frame, living body.
3. Character, part, *rôle.*
4. Moral agent, living soul, self-conscious being.
5. Human being, human creature.

**Personable,** *a.* Graceful, good-looking, well-appearing, comely, seemly, well-favored.

**Personage,** *n.* 1. Individual, person.
2. Person of rank, great person, illustrious person.
3. Exterior appearance, stature, air.
4. Character assumed, disguise.
5. Character represented, impersonation.

**Personal,** *a.* 1. Individual, private, special.
2. Corporal, exterior, physical, material.

**Personality,** *n.* 1. Individuality, distinct existence
2. Personal criticism, remark, reflection, allusion, animadversion, stricture, *or* exception.

**Personally,** *ad.* 1. Individually, as to one's person.
2. In person, by bodily presence.
3. Particularly.

**Personate,** *v. a.* 1. Play, act, act the part of, take the part of, assume the character of, imitate, represent, impersonate.
2. Disguise, mask.
3. Counterfeit, feign, simulate.

**Personation,** *n.* Representation, acting, simulation.

**Personification,** *n.* (*Rhet.*) 1. Prosopopœia.
2. Embodiment, impersonation.

**Personify,** *v. a.* Impersonate, ascribe personal qualities to.

**Perspective,** *n.* Vista, prospect, view.

**Perspicacious,** *a.* 1. Quick-sighted, sharp-sighted, keen-sighted.
2. Discerning, acute, keen, sagacious, shrewd, clear-sighted, keen-sighted, sharp-witted, keen-witted, long-headed, eagle-eyed, penetrating.

**Perspicaciousness,** *n.* See PERSPICACITY.

**Perspicacity,** *n.* 1. Quick-sightedness, acuteness of sight.
2. Perspicaciousness, acuteness, sharpness, shrewdness, discernment, penetration, sagacity, astuteness, insight, acumen.

**Perspicuity,** *n.* Clearness, lucidness, lucidity, transparency, plainness, intelligibility, perspicuousness, distinctness, explicitness.

**Perspicuous,** *a.* Clear, lucid, plain, transparent, intelligible, distinct, explicit, unequivocal, obvious.

**Perspicuousness,** *n.* See PERSPICUITY.

**Perspiration,** *n.* 1. Exudation, sweating.
2. Sweat.

**Perspire,** *v. n.* Sweat.

**Persuade,** *v. a.* 1. Induce, influence, lead, incite, impel, actuate, move, entice, allure, prevail upon, bring over, win over, bring round.
2. Advise, counsel, try to influence.
3. Convince, satisfy by proof *or* evidence.
4. Inculcate by argument, teach.

**Persuasion,** *n.* 1. Influence, inducement, incitement, suasion, bringing over.
2. Conviction, belief, opinion.
3. Conviction, creed, belief, doctrine, tenet, dogma, way of thinking, system of opinions.

**Persuasive,** *a.* Convincing, cogent, logical, valid, sound, weighty, inducing, persuasory.

**Persuasive,** *n.* Inducement, incitement, exhortation.

**Pert,** *a.* 1. Lively, brisk, smart, dapper, nimble, sprightly, perk.
2. Saucy, forward, bold, impertinent, impudent, flippant, free, presuming, malapert.

**Pertain to.** 1. Belong to, appertain to, be the property of.
2. Behoove, befit, beseem, be incumbent on, be the duty of, devolve on.
3. Regard, concern, relate to, refer to, answer to, have relation to.

**Pertinacious,** *a.* 1. Constant, steady, firm, determined, resolute, steadfast, stanch.
2. Stubborn, obstinate, dogged, wilful, mulish, unyielding, intractable, headstrong, perverse, wayward, inflexible.

**Pertinaciousness,** *n.* See PERTINACITY.

**Pertinacity,** *n.* 1. Resolution, determination, steadiness, constancy, inflexibility, firmness, perseverance, persistence, persistency, pertinacy, tenacity of purpose.
2. Stubbornness, obstinacy, wilfulness, doggedness, headiness, mulishness, persistence, persistency.

**Pertinence,** } *n.* Fitness, appropriateness, relevancy, appositeness, suitableness,
**Pertinency,** }
applicability, propriety, patness.

**Pertinent,** *a.* 1. Fit, appropriate, suitable, relevant, apposite, adapted, applicable, pat, proper, to the point, to the purpose.
2. Regarding, concerning, belonging, pertaining, appurtenant.

**Pertly,** *ad.* 1. Briskly, smartly, roundly, promptly.
2. Saucily, boldly, impudently, flippantly, impertinently.

**Pertness,** *n.* 1. Briskness, smartness, sprightliness, liveliness.
2. Sauciness, forwardness, impertinence, impudence, flippancy.

**Perturb,** *v. a.* 1. Disquiet, trouble, agitate, disturb.
2. Disorder, confuse.

**Perturbation,** *n.* 1. Disturbance, disorder, confusion, commotion.
2. Agitation, trepidation, disquiet, uneasiness, excitement, discomposure, worry, vexation, restlessness, commotion.
3. Cause of disquiet.

**Perturbed,** *a.* Disturbed, disquieted, distressed, agitated, discomposed, excited, worried, vexed.

**Peruke,** *n.* Wig, periwig, scratch, *perruque.*

**Perusal,** *n.* Reading.

**Peruse,** *v. a.* 1. Read.
2. Observe, examine, scrutinize, consider, inspect.

**Peruvian bark.** Cinchona, Jesuit's bark, Cinchona bark.

**Pervade,** *v. a.* 1. Permeate, penetrate, pass through.
2. Overspread, fill, run through, be diffused through, be disseminated through, extend through, affect entirely.

**Perverse,** *a.* 1. Distorted (*from the right*), bad, perverted.
2. Obstinate, stubborn, wilful, dogged, mulish, untractable, unyielding, headstrong, pertina-

cious, wayward, ungovernable, froward, pervicacious.

3. Cross, petulant, peevish, waspish, captious, snappish, touchy, testy, crusty, churlish, crabbed, froward, morose, surly, snarling, ill-tempered, ill-natured, spleeny, spiteful.

4. Untoward, vexatious, troublesome, inconvenient.

**Perverseness,** *n.* 1. Obstinacy, stubbornness, wilfulness, waywardness, perversity.

2. Petulance, peevishness, churlishness, moroseness, surliness, ill-temper, perversity.

**Perversion,** *n.* Impairment, injury, vitiation, corruption, debasement, prostitution, abasement.

**Perversity,** *n.* See PERVERSENESS.

**Pervert,** *v. a.* 1. Distort, stretch, falsify, make an ill use of, misinterpret.

2. Entice, tempt, corrupt.

3. Convert, proselyte.

**Pervert,** *n.* Apostate, proselyte.

**Pervious,** *a.* Permeable, penetrable.

**Pest,** *n.* 1. Plague, pestilence, infection, fatal epidemic, infectious disease.

2. Bane, scourge, curse, infliction, nuisance, great annoyance, plague.

**Pester,** *v. a.* 1. Disturb, annoy, harass, provoke, nettle, trouble, plague, vex, tease, hector, harry, molest, bother, worry, fret, gall, bore, incommode, disquiet, infest, torment, badger, chafe, irritate.

2. Crowd, infest, encumber, fill.

**Pest-house,** *n.* Lazar-house, hospital, lazaretto.

**Pestiferous,** *a.* 1. Pestilential, infectious, contagious, pest-bearing, infected, malignant, morbific.

2. Noxious, mischievous, venomous, malignant, vexatious, troublesome, malign, injurious, destructive.

**Pestilence,** *n.* 1. Plagde, pest.

2. Plague, pest, infectious disease, contagious disease, fatal epidemic.

**Pestilent,** *a.* 1. Pestilential, contagious, infectious, malignant.

2. Mischievous, noxious, evil, injurious, malign, deadly.

3. Troublesome, mischievous, corrupt, pernicious, vexatious.

**Pestilential,** *a.* 1. Infectious, contagious, catching, malignant, poisonous, pestilent.

2. Pestiferous, pest-bearing.

3. Mischievous, destructive, ruinous, deadly, pernicious.

**Pet,** *n.* 1. Fondling, darling, favorite.

2. Angry mood, fit of peevishness, miff (*colloq.*).

**Pet,** *a.* Favorite, especially liked, petted.

**Pet,** *v. a.* Fondle, indulge, caress, make much of.

**Peter-pence,** *n.* Rome-scot, Peter's pence.

**Peter's fish.** Haddock.

**Petiole,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Leaf-stalk.

**Petition,** *n.* Request, prayer, supplication, entreaty, suit, solicitation, application, appeal, address.

**Petition,** *v. a.* Entreat, pray, supplicate, solicit, crave, ask, beg, apply to, make application to, prefer a request to.

**Petitioner,** *n.* Suppliant, solicitor, applicant, suitor.

**Petitio principii.** [L.] (*Log.*) Begging of the question, taking for granted the question in dispute.

**Petit-maître,** *n.* [Fr.] Coxcomb, dandy, fop, beau, exquisite, popinjay, jackanapes, jack-a-dandy, man of dress; vain, showy fellow.

**Petrify,** *v. a.* 1. Change to stone, convert to stone.

2. Make callous, make obdurate.

3. Astonish, amaze, astound, dumfound, confound, stupefy, take by surprise, strike dumb, stun.

**Petroleum,** *n.* Rock oil, mineral oil, mineral pitch, mineral tar, stone oil, Barbadoes tar, Seneca oil.

**Petticoat,** *n.* Skirt, woman's skirt.

**Petticoat government.** Female government, female home rule.

**Pettifogger,** *n.* Petty lawyer.

**Pettish,** *a.* Peevish, fretful, petulant, testy.

**Petty,** *a* 1. Little, small, trifling, trivial, frivolous, inconsiderable, unimportant, insignificant, slight, diminutive, of small moment, of small account.

2. Inferior, unimportant.

**Petty-chaps,** *n.* Fig-pecker, fig-eater, becafico, garden warbler, greater petty-chaps (*Sylvia hortensis*).

**Petulance,** *n.* Peevishness, fretfulness, testiness, waspishness, crustiness, pettishness, snappishness, irritability, ill-temper.

**Petulant,** *a.* 1. Irascible, irritable, fretful, peevish, hasty, touchy, testy, crusty, pettish, waspish, choleric, snappish, snarling, cross, crabbed, captious, censorious, acrimonious, perverse, froward, ill-tempered, out of sorts, cavilling, ill-humored.

2. Wanton, freakish, capricious.

**Pew,** *n.* Slip.

**Pewit,** *n.* [Written also *Pewet* and *Peevit.*] Lapwing, green plover, bastard plover, wype (*Tringa vanellus*).

**Phalansterianism,** *n.* Fourierism, socialism, humanitarianism, Saint-Simonianism.

**Phantasm,** *n.* 1. Vision (*fancied*), appearance, apparition, phantom, illusion.

2. Idea, notion, fancy.

**Phantasmagoria,** *n.* 1. Magic lantern, phantasmagory.

2. Illusive images, optical illusions.

**Phantasmal,** / **Phantasmalian,** / **Phantasmatical,** } *a.* Spectral, illusive, dreamy.

**Phantom,** *n.* 1. Spectre, apparition, vision, airy spirit, ghost.

2. Manikin.

**Phantom-like,** *a.* Spectral.

**Phantom ship.** Flying Dutchman.

**Pharaoh,** *n.* 1. Hebrew name of the ancient Egyptian monarch.

2. Faro, pharaon.

**Pharaoh's chicken.** Egyptian vulture.

**Pharaoh's rat.** Ichneumon.

**Pharisaic,** / **Pharisaical,** } *a.* Sanctimonious, hypocritical, formal.

**Pharisaism,** *n.* Hypocrisy, formalism, sanctimoniousness, cant, pietism, phariseeism, assumed piety, false piety.

**Phariseeism,** *n.* See PHARISAISM.

**Pharmaceutics,** *n.* Pharmacy.

**Pharmaceutist,** *n.* Apothecary, pharmacopolist.

**Pharmacist,** *n.* Druggist.

**Pharmacon,** *n.* 1. Medicine, drug.

2. Poison.

**Pharmacopœia,** *n.* Dispensatory.

**Pharmacopolist,** *n.* Apothecary, druggist.

**Pharos,** *n.* Lighthouse, watch-tower, beacon.

**Phascolomys,** *n.* Wombat, phascolome (*Phascolomys ursinus*).

**Phase,** *n.* Appearance (*as of the moon* or *a planet*), aspect, phasis.

**Phenomenon,** *n.* [*pl. Phenomena.*] 1. Appearance, manifestation, what is seen (*as distinguished from its essence* or *substance*).

2. Prodigy, wonder, marvel, miracle.

**Philander,** *v. n.* Conuet, flirt, make love, make a

show of love, affect to be in love, play at courtship, pretend admiration, dally.

**Philanthropic,** } *a.* Benevolent, kind, benig-
**Philanthropical,** } nant, gracious, humane, loving mankind.

**Philanthropy,** *n.* Humanity, love of mankind, general benevolence, good-will to all men, universal good-will, large-heartedness, public-spiritedness.

**Philibeg,** *n.* [Written also *Fillibeg*]. Kilt.

**Philippic,** *n.* Invective.

**Philister,** *n.* Commonplace person, philistine.

**Philistine,** *n.* Commonplace person, prosaic man, practical man, utilitarian, mediocre person, narrow-minded man.

**Philology,** *n.* 1. Love of learning, love of literature, love of letters.
2. Study of language, study of literature.
3. Criticism, grammatical learning.
4. Science of language, linguistic science, linguistics.

**Philomath,** *n.* Scholar, lover of learning.

**Philomel,** } *n.* Nightingale (*Luscinia philo-*
**Philomela,** } *mela*).

**Philosophe,** *n.* Philosopher, petty philosopher, puny philosopher (*used in contempt*).

**Philosopher,** *n.* 1. Searcher after truth, student of first principles, seeker of wisdom.
2. Theorist, theorizer, man of abstractions, speculator.

**Philosophic,** } *a.* 1. Of philosophy.
**Philosophical,** }
2. Of a philosopher, of philosophers.
3. Wise, rational, reasonable, sound.
4. Calm, cool, collected, composed, unruffled, sedate, serene, tranquil, imperturbable, stoical, Platonic.
5. Temperate, frugal, abstemious.

**Philosophy,** *n.* 1. Science of causes *or* first principles, science of the absolute, the science of sciences.
2. Principles (*of any department of knowledge*), laws.
3. Hypothesis, theory, system, doctrine.
4. Stoicism, practical wisdom, equanimity.
5. Reasoning, argumentation.

**Philosophy of the academy.** Philosophy of Plato, Platonic philosophy.

**Philosophy of the garden.** Philosophy of Epicurus, Epicurean philosophy.

**Philosophy of the lyceum.** Philosophy of Aristotle, peripatetic philosophy.

**Philosophy of the porch.** Philosophy of Zeno and the Stoics, Stoical philosophy.

**Philter,** *n.* Love potion, love charm.

**Phiz,** *n.* [*Humorously so used.*] Face, visage, countenance, physiognomy, phiznomy.

**Phlebotomy,** *n.* Venesection, blood-letting.

**Phlegm,** *n.* 1. Mucus, excrementitious humor.
2. Apathy, insensibility, dulness, indifference, coldness, sluggishness.

**Phlegmatic,** *a.* Apathetic, stoical, dull, sluggish, tame, cold, frigid, unfeeling, unsusceptible, impassible, impassive, indifferent, cold-blooded, heavy.

**Phœbus,** *n.* Apollo, Sol, sun, god of day, Helios.

**Phœnix,** *n.* Paragon, nonesuch, nonpareil.

**Phonetic,** } *a.* Phonic, phonical.
**Phonetical,** }

**Phonetics,** *n.* Phonics, phonology.

**Phonic,** } *a.* Phonetic, pertaining to sound.
**Phonical,** }

**Phonology,** *n.* Phonetics, phonics.

**Phosphorescent,** *a.* Phosphoric, phosphorical, luminous, without heat.

**Phosphorus,** *n.* (*Poetical.*) The morning star, Lucifer, Venus, Phosphor.

**Phrase,** *n.* 1. Expression (*forming part of a sentence*), brief expression.
2. Idiom, peculiar expression, turn of expression.
3. Style, diction, phraseology, manner of expression, mode of speech.

**Phrase,** *v. a.* Call, name, style, term, denominate, entitle, designate, christen, dub.

**Phraseology,** *n.* Diction, style, phrase, expression, language, manner of expression, mode of speech.

**Phrenitis,** *n.* [L.] (*Med.*) 1. Inflammation of the brain.
2. Delirium, frenzy.

**Phrenology,** *n.* Craniology, craniognomy.

**Phrensy,** *n.* See FRENZY.

**Phthisis,** *n.* (*Med.*) 1. Consumption, marasmus, emaciation, wasting, atrophy, decline, tabes.
2. Pulmonary consumption, phthisic.

**Phylactery,** *n.* Charm, amulet, talisman, spell, phylecter.

**Physeter,** *n.* Cachalot, spermaceti whale, sperm-whale (*Physeter macrocephalus*).

**Physic,** *n.* 1. Medicine, medical art, science of medicine, art of healing.
2. Drug, medicine, remedy, medicament.
3. Cathartic, purge, purgative, drench, drastic, scourer.

**Physic,** *v. a.* 1. Purge, drench, scour.
2. Cure, heal, treat with remedies.

**Physical,** *a.* 1. Material, natural.
2. Pertaining to physics *or* natural philosophy, natural.
3. External, corporeal, bodily, sensible, tangible, substantial.

**Physician,** *n.* 1. Doctor, medical man.
2. Curer, healer.

**Physicist,** *n.* Natural philosopher.

**Physics,** *n.* 1. Science of nature.
2. Natural philosophy, science of energy, dynamics.

**Physiognomy,** *n.* Face, countenance, visage, cast of countenance, expression of countenance, phiznomy.

**Physiology,** *n.* Science of life, animal and vegetable economy, science of organized beings, science of the functions of animals and vegetables.

**Physique,** *n.* Physical structure, organization, build, constitution.

**Phytophagous,** *a.* Plant-eating.

**Piano,** *n.* Pianoforte.

**Picaroon,** *n.* 1. Rogue, cheat, adventurer.
2. [Written also *Pickeroon.*] Pirate, corsair, buccaneer, freebooter, marauder, sea-robber, sea-rover, plunderer.

**Piccolo,** *n.* [It.] Octave flute.

**Pick,** *v. a.* 1. Peck, pierce, strike at.
2. Pluck, pull off, pick off, gather.
3. Open (*as a lock*).
4. Choose, select, cull, single out, pick out, fix upon, pitch upon.
5. Clean, cleanse.
6. Gather up, collect, acquire, get.
7. Rob, snatch thievishly.

**Pick,** *v. n.* 1. Nibble, eat slowly.
2. Steal, pilfer.

**Pick,** *n.* 1. Pickaxe.
2. Tooth-pick.
3. Pike, spike.
4. Choice, right of selection.

**Pick a bone with one.** Quarrel.

**Pick a quarrel.** Quarrel intentionally.

**Pickaxe,** *n.* Pick.

**Pickback,** *ad.* On the back, pickaback, pickapack, like a pack.

**Picked,** *a.* Pointed, sharp, piked.

**Pickedness,** *n.* Pointedness, sharpness.

**Picket,** *n.* [Written also *Piquet.*] I. Stake.
2. Stake, pale.
3. (*Mil.*) Sentinel (*on the outposts*), guard, watchman, guardsman, sentry.
**Pickings,** *n. pl.* Refuse, leavings, remnants, remains, odds and ends.
**Pickle,** *n.* I. Salt and water (*for preserving meat*), brine.
2. Vinegar (*for preserving meats* or *vegetables*).
3. Sorry condition, sad plight, predicament (*colloq.*).
**Pick off.** I. Pluck, pick, pull off.
2. Kill, wound (*as a marksman*).
**Pick out.** I. Select, cull, choose, single out, fix upon, pitch upon, extract.
2. Mark out, variegate.
**Picksy,** *n.* Fairy, sprite, pixy.
**Pickthank,** *n.* Parasite, flatterer, toady, pleaseman.
**Pick up.** I. Take up, snatch.
2. Obtain, get by effort.
3. Get by chance.
**Pictorial,** *a.* I. Illustrated.
2. Picturable
**Picture,** *n.* I. Painting, drawing, engraving, print.
2. Image, resemblance, semblance, likeness, representation, similitude.
3. Description, representation.
**Picture,** *v. a.* Paint, draw, represent, delineate, form an image of.
**Picturesque,** *a.* I. Beautiful, picture-like, scenic.
2. Beautiful, graphic.
**Piddle,** *v. n.* I. [A form of *Peddle.*] (*Rare.*) Trifle, act with levity, be busy about trifles.
2. (*Child's word.*) Urinate, make water, void urine.
**Piddling,** *a.* Trifling, trivial, frivolous, petty, unimportant, insignificant, immaterial, inconsiderable, worthless, of little value *or* consequence, of no moment.
**Piebald,** *a.* I. Motley, mottled, variegated, pied, party-colored, divers-colored.
2. Diversified, mixed, heterogeneous, mongrel.
**Piece,** *n.* I. Part, fragment, bit, scrap.
2. Portion.
3. Thing.
4. Composition, writing, lucubration, literary production, work.
5. Coin.
6. Gun, fire-arm.
7. Painting, picture.
8. Drama, tragedy, comedy, melodrama *or* farce
**Piece,** *v. a.* I. Patch.
2. Enlarge, add to, increase, augment, complete.
3. Unite, join, cement.
**Piecemeal,** *ad.* I. In pieces, in fragments.
2. Part by part, by pieces, by little and little.
**Piecemeal,** *a.* Single, separate.
**Piece-work,** *n.* Job-work.
**Pied,** *a.* Variegated, spotted, party-colored, piebald.
**Pierce,** *v. a.* I. Transfix, stab.
2. Penetrate, enter, force a way into.
3. Perforate, drill, bore, puncture.
4. Affect, move, touch, strike, thrill, excite, rouse.
**Pierce,** *v. n.* Penetrate, enter, force a way.
**Piercing,** *a.* I. Penetrating, perforating.
2. Sharp, keen, acute, thrilling.
**Pierides,** *n. pl.* Muses, tuneful nine, sacred nine, tuneful quire.
**Piety,** *n.* I. Filial reverence.
2. Godliness, religion, devotion, holiness, sanctity, grace.
**Pig,** *n.* I. Young hog.
2. Swine.
3. Pork, swine-flesh.
**Pigeon-berry,** *n.* Poke, poke-weed, pocan, Virginia poke, garget (*Phytolacca decandra*).
**Pigeon-hearted,** *a.* Timid, timorous, cowardly, soft, gentle, pigeon-livered.
**Pigeon-house,** *n.* Columbary, dove-cot, pigeonry.
**Piggery,** *n.* Pig-sty, hog-sty, pig-pen.
**Piggish,** *a.* Swinish, hoggish, greedy.
**Pig-headed,** *a.* Obstinate, stupidly obstinate, foolish.
**Pigment,** *n.* Paint, color, coloring matter.
**Pig-nut,** *n.* I. Earth-nut (*Bunium flexuosum*).
2. Broom hickory, hog-nut (*Carya glabra*).
**Pig-pen,** *n.* Piggery.
**Pig-tail,** *n.* I. Tail of a pig.
2. Cue, queue.
3. Rope of tobacco.
**Pigweed,** *n.* Goose-foot.
**Pigwidgin,** } *n.* Fairy, elf, sprite, fay.
**Pigwiggin,** }
**Pike,** *n.* I. Turnpike, toll-bar.
2. Spike, point.
3. Halberd, spoontoon.
4. (*Ich.*) Luce, true-jack.
**Piked,** *a.* Acuminated, pointed.
**Pilaster,** *n.* Debased pillar.
**Pile,** *v. a.* I. Accumulate, amass
2. Collect *or* gather into a heap, heap up.
**Pile,** *n.* I. Heap, mass, collection, accumulation.
2. Building, edifice, structure, fabric, erection.
3. Nap, woolly surface.
4. Funeral pile.
**Pile-dwelling,** *n.* Lake dwelling, lacustrine dwelling, pilework.
**Piles,** *n. pl.* (*Med.*) Hemorrhoids.
**Pilfer,** *v. a.* Steal (*by petty theft*), filch, purloin.
**Pilfer,** *v. n.* Steal, thieve, practise petty theft.
**Pilfering,** *n.* Stealing, thieving, thievery, larceny, petty theft, petty larceny, pilfery.
**Pilgarlic,** *n.* Wretch, outcast, Pariah, miserable fellow.
**Pilgrim,** *n.* I. Traveller (*especially on a religious errand*), wanderer, wayfarer.
2. Crusader, palmer.
3. Sojourner, traveller.
**Pilgrimage,** *n.* Journey (*especially to some hallowed place*), expedition, tour, excursion.
**Pillage,** *n.* I. Spoliation, depredation, destruction, devastation, plundering, rapine.
2. Plunder, booty, spoil, prey.
**Pillage,** *v. a.* Plunder, spoil, despoil, sack, strip, rifle.
**Pillar,** *n.* I. Column, columnar mass, pier, shaft, post.
2. Prop, support, supporter, maintainer, upholder.
**Pillarist,** *n.* Stylite, pillar saint.
**Pillose,** } *a.* Pileous, hairy.
**Pilous,** }
**Pillow-bier,** *n.* [Written also *Pillow-beer*, *Pillow-bear*, and *Pillow-bere.*] Pillow-case.
**Pillow-block,** *n.* Plumber-block.
**Pillow-case,** *n.* Pillow-slip, pillow-bier.
**Pill-wort,** *n.* Pepper-grass (*Pilularia globulifera*).
**Pilot,** *n.* I. Steersman, helmsman.
2. Guide, director, conductor.
**Pilot,** *v. a.* Guide, direct, conduct, steer, have *or* take the direction of.
**Pilot-bread,** *n.* Hard-bread, ship-biscuit.
**Pilot-fish,** *n.* Rudder-fish (*Naucrates ductor*).
**Pilot-jacket,** *n.* Pea-jacket.
**Pilot-star,** *n.* Guiding-star.

**Pimento,** *n.* Allspice, Jamaica pepper.
**Pimp,** *n.* Procurer, pander.
**Pimp,** *v. n.* Pander.
**Pimpernel,** *n.* Shepherd's hour-glass, poor man's hour-glass (*Anagallis arvensis*).
**Pimple,** *n.* Blotch, eruption, pustule.
**Pin,** *n.* 1. Peg, bolt.
2. Straw (*as something of no value*), fig, button, rush, feather, farthing, brass farthing, trifle.
**Pin,** *v. a.* 1. Fasten with a pin.
2. Fasten, fix, make fast.
3. Shut up, confine, pen, enclose.
**Pinacotheca,** *n.* Picture-gallery.
**Pinafore,** *n.* Apron, tier.
**Pinch,** *v. a.* 1. Nip, squeeze, compress, gripe.
2. Oppress, straiten, distress, afflict.
3. Frost, nip, injure with frost.
4. Press hard, try thoroughly.
**Pinch,** *v. n.* 1. Bear hard.
2. Spare, stint, be niggardly, be parsimonious, be frugal, economize.
**Pinch,** *n.* 1. Nip, gripe.
2. Gripe, pang, throe.
3. Emergency, exigency, crisis, strait, difficulty, push, pressure, oppression.
4. Crowbar, iron lever.
5. Small quantity.
**Pinchbeck,** *n.* Brummagem, sham.
**Pinched,** *a.* Distressed, straitened, reduced, indigent, destitute, needy, poor, necessitous, penniless, moneyless, in need, in want, out of money, out of cash, out of pocket.
**Pinchfist,** } *n.* Miser, niggard, hunks, cur-
**Pinchpenny,** } mudgeon, skinflint, screw, scrimp.
**Pine,** *v. n* Languish, droop, flag, waste, decay, waste away, wither.
**Pine for.** Long for, yearn for, languish with desire.
**Pinfold,** *n.* [Written also *Penfold.*] Pound, pen.
**Pinguid,** *a.* Fat, unctuous, greasy, adipose, oily, oleaginous.
**Pinion,** *n.* 1. Wing, pennon.
2. Feather, quill, plume, pen.
3. Fetter (*for the arms*).
**Pinion,** *v. a.* Restrain (*by binding the arms*), bind, fasten, shackle, fetter, chain.
**Pink,** *n.* 1. Rose-color.
2. (*Ich.*) Minnow, minion (*Leuciscus phoxinus*).
3. Paragon, model, perfection, *beau ideal.*
**Pink,** *v. a.* 1. Scallop, embroider.
2. Stab, pierce, wound.
**Pinnacle,** *n.* 1. Turret, minaret.
2. Top, summit, apex, acme, zenith, highest point, culminating point, utmost height, peak.
**Pin one's faith upon.** Believe, put confidence in, trust, rely upon, take at one's word.
**Pintado,** *n.* Guinea-hen.
**Pinxter,** *n.* [Written also *Pingster* and *Pinkster.*] Pentecost, Whit-Sunday, Whitsuntide.
**Pious,** *a.* 1. Filial.
2. Religious, godly, holy, devout, saintly, righteous.
**Pip,** *v. n.* Chirp (*as a chicken*), mewl, peep, pipe.
**Pipe,** *n.* 1. Wind instrument.
2. Tube, conduit.
3. Tobacco-pipe, clay-pipe.
4. Windpipe, trachea, weasand, throttle.
5. Voice.
6. Bird-call, whistle.
7. Butt, cask.
8. [*pl.*] Bagpipes (*colloq.*).
**Pipe,** *v. n.* 1. Play, sound.
2. Whistle, sound shrill.
**Piped,** *a.* Tubular.
**Pipe of peace.** Calumet.
**Piperidge,** *n.* 1. [Written also *Pepperidge.*] Barberry.
2. Tupelo, black gum (*Nyssa multiflora*).
**Piping,** *a.* 1. Whining, feeble, sickly, weak.
2. Simmering, boiling, hissing.
**Pipsissewa,** *n.* [*Indian name.*] Wintergreen (*Chimaphila umbellata*).
**Piquancy,** *n.* 1. Pungency, high flavor, sharpness.
2. Sharpness, tartness, severity, smartness, liveliness.
**Piquant,** *n.* 1. Pungent, biting, pricking, stinging, high-flavored, high-seasoned, sharp.
2. Racy, lively, sparkling, interesting.
3. Sharp, tart, severe, cutting, pointed, pungent.
**Pique,** *n.* 1. Resentment (*slight*), grudge, umbrage, offence, wounded pride, stinging vexation, displeasure, irritation, spite.
2. Point, nicety, punctilio.
**Pique,** *v. a.* 1. Stimulate, incite, urge, instigate, spur, goad, set on, stir up.
2. Offend, displease, affront, provoke, incense, irritate, chafe, nettle, vex, fret, sting, wound, give offence to, give umbrage to, pain.
**Pique one's self.** Plume one's self, take pride, pride one's self, value one's self.
**Piquet,** *n.* (*Mil.*) Picket.
**Piracy,** *n.* 1. Robbery on the high seas, sea robbery.
2. Literary theft.
**Pirate,** *n.* Corsair, buccaneer, picaroon, freebooter, sea-robber, sea-rover.
**Piratic,** } *a.* Robbing, predatory.
**Piratical,** }
**Pirn,** *n.* 1. Bobbin, spool, reel, quill.
2. Fishing-reel.
**Piscator,** *n.* Fisherman, angler.
**Piscatory,** *a.* Angling, fishing.
**Pisciculture,** *n.* Fish-culture.
**Pish,** *interj.* Pshaw.
**Pismire,** *n.* Ant, emmet.
**Pisolite,** *n.* Calcareous tufa, pea-grit, pea-stone.
**Pissasphalt,** } *n.* [Written also *Pissaphalt* and
**Pissasphaltum,** } *Pisophalt.*] Earth-pitch.
**Piston,** *n.* Plunger.
**Pit,** *n.* 1. Cavity, hollow.
2. Indentation, dent, dint, depression, dimple.
3. Excavation, hole, cavity, hollow, well.
4. Coal-mine, coal-pit
5. Vat.
6. Gulf, abyss.
7. [With *The* prefixed.] Hell, pandemonium, bottomless pit.
8. [With *The* prefixed.] Grave, death.
9. Snare, trap, pitfall.
10. *Parquet, parterre.*
**Pit against.** Set to fight (*as cocks in a pit*), set in opposition, match for a contest, set together by the ears.
**Pit-a-pat,** *ad.* In a flutter, with throbs, with palpitation.
**Pitch,** *n.* 1. Degree of elevation.
2. Degree, measure, extent, range, rate.
3. Height, loftiness, highest rise.
4. Size, stature.
5. Declivity, descent, slope, inclination.
6. Degree of slope, degree of inclination.
7. Throw, toss, cast, jerk.
8. (*Mus.*) Relative height.
**Pitch,** *v. a.* 1. Throw, cast, fling, hurl, toss, launch, send, dart, lance, jaculate.
2. Set (*as a tent*), fix, plant, place, station, locate, settle, establish.
3. Set, fix (*as price*).
**Pitch,** *v. n.* 1. Fall, plunge, fall headlong.
2. Light, settle, rest.
3. Encamp.
4. (*Naut.*) Rise and fall.

**Pitch-black,** *a.* Black as pitch.
**Pitch-dark,** *a.* Dark as pitch, very dark.
**Pitcher,** *n.* Jug, jar, pot, ewer.
**Pitch of an arch.** Rise, versed sine.
**Pitch upon.** Pitch on, choose, select, decide on, determine on, fix upon, fix choice.
**Pitchy,** *a.* Dark, black, dismal, rayless, sunless, Cimmerian, piceous.
**Pit-coal,** *n.* Mineral coal.
**Piteous,** *a.* 1. Sorrowful, mournful, woful, doleful, rueful, affecting, distressing, grievous, moving pity, exciting compassion.
2. Pitiable, deplorable, wretched, miserable, deserving pity, to be pitied, lamentable.
3. Compassionate, tender.
**Pitfall,** *n.* Trap, snare.
**Pith,** *n.* 1. (*Anat.*) Marrow, spinal cord.
2. Essence, quintessence, substance, gist, soul, chief part, essential part, vital part, heart, marrow.
3. Weight, moment, importance.
4. Force, strength, energy, vigor.
5. Energy, cogency, force, vigor, closeness of thought.
**Pithy,** *a.* 1. Forcible, energetic, cogent.
2. Terse, laconic, brief, concise, short, compact, pointed, sententious, full of meaning.
**Pitiable,** *a.* Deplorable, wretched, lamentable, miserable, piteous, deserving pity, to be pitied.
**Pitiful,** *a.* 1. Compassionate, tender, tender-hearted, sympathetic, kind, merciful, lenient, mild.
2. Miserable, pitiable, wretched, deplorable, lamentable.
3. Mean, base, vile, low, paltry, sorry, abject, rascally, contemptible, despicable, insignificant, worthless.
**Pitiless,** *a.* 1. Merciless, hard-hearted, unmerciful, unpitying, relentless, ruthless, implacable, inexorable, cruel, unfeeling, unsympathizing.
2. Unpitied.
**Pittance,** *n.* 1. Allowance (*out of pity* or *charity*), dole, allotment, charity, gift.
2. Modicum, trifle, small portion, small allowance.
**Pity,** *n.* 1. Compassion, commiseration, mercy, sympathy, fellow-feeling, fellow-suffering, condolence, bowels of compassion, melting mood.
2. Ground of pity, cause of grief, subject of pity.
**Pity,** *v. a.* Commiserate, compassionate, sympathize with, feel for, have pity *or* compassion for, feel sorry for, condole with.
**Pivot,** *v. n.* Turn, hinge, depend.
**Pivot,** *n.* Turning-point.
**Pivotal,** *a.* Turning, hinging, depending.
**Pix,** *n.* See PYX.
**Pixie,** } *n.* Fairy, elf, sprite, fay, pigwidgin.
**Pixy,** }
**Pixy-led,** *a.* Bewildered.
**Pixy-stool,** *n.* Toadstool, mushroom.
**Placability,** *n.* Placableness, forgiving disposition.
**Placable,** *a.* Appeasable, reconcilable, forgiving.
**Placableness,** *n.* See PLACABILITY.
**Placard,** *n.* Poster, bill, hand-bill, broadside.
**Placard,** *v. a.* 1. Advertise (*by placards*), publish, announce, blazon, make known, blaze abroad, spread abroad.
2. Post, expose to obloquy.
**Placate,** *v. a.* Conciliate, appease, pacify.
**Place,** *n.* 1. Area, courtyard, broad way, open space, square.
2. Situation, position, locality, location, station, spot, site.
3. Office, charge, function, employment, post, official station.
4. Rank, standing, grade, condition, occupation, calling.
5. Mansion, residence, abode, dwelling seat.
6. Town, village, city.
7. Stronghold, fortified post, fort, fortress.
8. Portion, passage, part, paragraph.
9. Point, degree in order.
10. Room, ground, occasion, reason, opportunity.
11. Room, stead.
12. Space.
13. Room- reception, acceptance, effect.
14. Rank, order of importance.
**Place,** *v. a.* 1. Put, set, station, lay, settle, deposit, commit, locate, seat, fix, establish, dispose, arrange.
2. Invest, put at interest, lend.
3. Appoint, set, induct, establish in office.
4. Set, fix.
5. Attribute, ascribe, impute.
**Place-brick,** *n.* Pecking, sandel-brick, samel-brick, inferior brick.
**Placenta,** *n.* Secundines, after-birth.
**Placid,** *a.* 1. Quiet, tranquil, undisturbed, unmoved, unruffled, calm, peaceful, serene, composed, collected, cool, gentle, equable.
2. Serene, mild, unruffled, halcyon.
**Placidity,** *n.* Calmness, quietness, serenity, composure, coolness, tranquillity, imperturbability, mildness, gentleness, peacefulness, placidness.
**Placket,** *n.* Fent.
**Plafond,** *n.* Ceiling, soffit.
**Plagiarism,** *n.* 1. Literary theft.
2. Stolen idea, thought, expression, *or* passage.
**Plagiarist,** *n.* 1. Plagiary, literary thief.
2. Plagiarism, crime of literary theft.
**Plague,** *n.* 1. Pestilence, pest.
2. Affliction, annoyance, vexation, trouble, nuisance, curse, torment, thorn in one's side.
**Plague,** *v. a.* Annoy, tease, vex, worry, trouble, molest, torment, harass, harry, disturb, fret, gall, chafe, bore, incommode, bother, pester, badger, hector, irritate, disquiet, distress, afflict, tantalize, embarrass, perplex.
**Plaguily,** *ad.* (*Colloq.*) Vexatiously, greatly, extremely.
**Plaguy,** *a* (*Colloq.*) Vexatious, troublesome, tormenting, annoying, wearisome.
**Plain,** *a.* 1. Even, level, smooth, flat, plane.
2. Open, clear, unencumbered, uninterrupted.
3. Manifest, visible, obvious, clear, unmistakable, apparent, certain, palpable, conspicuous, notable, notorious, glaring, patent, open, evident, distinct.
4. Unequivocal, unambiguous, distinct, explicit, intelligible, perspicuous.
5. Simple, unadorned.
6. Homely, ugly, ill-looking, ill-favored.
7. Artless, honest, sincere, candid, frank, open, downright, direct, unsophisticated, ingenuous, undesigning, straightforward, single-minded, open-hearted, above-board, unreserved.
8. Artless, simple, unlearned, unsophisticated, natural, unaffected, homely, common.
9. Mere, absolute, unmistakable.
10. Easy, direct, clear.
11. Simple, frugal, homely.
12. Unornamented, unfigured, unvariegated.
**Plain,** *n.* Plateau, champaign, savanna, pampas, table-land, champaign country.
**Plain-dealing,** *n.* Honesty, sincerity, frankness, candor, ingenuousness, openness, truthfulness, plainness, straightforwardness, bluntness.
**Plainly,** *ad.* 1. Honestly, sincerely, bluntly.
2. Evidently, clearly, distinctly, unmistakably
3. Soberly, quietly, simply.

**Plain-spoken,** *a.* Frank, candid, blunt, open, free-spoken, plain of speech.
**Plaint,** *n.* 1. Lamentation, lament, moan, wail, cry, complaint.
2. Complaint.
**Plaintiff,** *n.* Accuser, prosecutor.
**Plaintive,** *a.* Mournful, sorrowful, sad, piteous, woful, rueful, grievous, dirge-like, melancholy.
**Plait,** *n.* 1. Fold, doubling, double, gather.
2. Braid.
**Plait,** *v. a.* 1. Fold, double.
2. Braid, plat, weave, interweave.
3. Mat, felt.
**Plaited,** *a.* 1. Folded, braided, interwoven.
2. Wrinkled, contracted, knitted.
**Plan,** *n.* 1. Draught, sketch, plot, drawing, map, chart, delineation.
2. Scheme, project, system, method, device, design. contrivance, proposal, proposition.
3. Method, process, way, custom.
**Plan,** *v. a.* 1. Delineate, figure, represent, mark out, chalk out, sketch out.
2. Devise, contrive, scheme, project, plot, invent, design, concoct, digest, lay out, prepare, hatch.
**Plane,** *a.* Level, flat, even, smooth, plain.
**Planetarium,** *n.* Orrery.
**Plane-tree,** *n.* 1. Platan, platane (*Platanus orientalis*).
2. [*U. S.*] Sycamore, button-tree, button-wood, button-ball-tree, water-beech (*Platanus occidentalis*).
3. [*Scotland.*] Sycamore maple (*Acer pseudo-platanus*).
**Plant,** *n.* Vegetable.
**Plant,** *v a.* 1. Put in the ground (*as seed*).
2. Set in the ground (*as a shrub*).
3. Furnish with plants.
4. Engender, breed.
5. Set, direct, point.
6. Settle, furnish inhabitants to.
7. Introduce, establish.
8. Fix, establish, settle, found.
**Plant,** *v. n.* Sow, scatter seed, put in seed.
**Plant-eating,** *n.* Phytophagous.
**Plantigrade,** *a.* Palmigrade.
**Plant-louse,** *n.* Aphis, vine-fretter, puceron.
**Plant one's self.** Pitch one's tent, take up one's quarters, establish one's self.
**Plaque,** *n.* 1. Brooch, ornamental plate, plate of a clasp.
2. Flat plate of metal, enamelled plate.
**Plash,** *v. a.* Dash, spatter.
**Plash,** *v. n.* Splash, dabble in water.
**Plash,** *n.* 1. Dash, splash.
2. Puddle, pool, collection of standing water, pond.
**Plaster,** *n.* Mortar, stucco, cement.
**Plaster,** *v. a.* 1. Parget, cover with plaster.
2. (*Colloq.*) Bedaub, smear, lay on coarsely.
**Plasterer,** *n.* Pargeter.
**Plaster of Paris.** Calcined gypsum *or* sulphate of lime.
**Plastic,** *a.* 1. Formative
2. Soft, pliable, easily moulded.
**Plastic art.** Sculpture.
**Plat,** *v. a.* See PLAIT.
**Plat,** *n.* Plot, piece of ground.
**Plate,** *n.* 1. Lamina, layer.
2. Dish, platter.
3. Plate armor.
4. Silverware.
5. Engraving.
**Plateau,** *n.* Plain (*elevated*), table-land.
**Plate-iron,** *n.* Rolled iron.
**Plate-powder,** *n.* Rouge-powder.
**Platina,** *n.* 1. Platinum.
2. Twisted silver-wire.
**Platitude,** *n.* 1. Insipidity, flatness, dulness, mawkishness.
2. Truism, trite remark.
3. Twaddle, verbiage, palaver, trash, chatter, stuff, fudge, nonsense, moonshine, flummery, wish-wash, balderdash, jargon, senseless prate, frothy discourse, idle talk.
**Platitudinous,** *a.* Stale, trite, flat, dull, insipid.
**Platonic,** *a.* 1. Academic, of Plato.
2. Contemplative, speculative, philosophical, theoretical.
3. Passionless, impassible, unimpressible, cold, apathetic, cool, calm, serene.
**Platter,** *n.* Large dish, plate.
**Plaudit,** *n.* Applause, acclamation, clapping of hands, acclaim, shout of approbation.
**Plauditory,** *a.* Applauding, commending.
**Plausible,** *a.* 1. Specious, colorable, seemingly fair.
2. Fair-spoken, glib, using specious arguments.
**Play,** *v. n.* 1. Sport, disport, frolic, skip, frisk, gambol, revel, romp, caper, make merry, make fun.
2. Trifle, toy, wanton, dally.
3. Hover, flutter, sport, wave.
4. Game, gambler.
5. Act (*on the stage*), take a part, personate a character.
6. Perform.
7. Act, operate, work freely.
8. Do, act, behave.
**Play,** *v. a.* 1. Put in action, put in operation.
2. Perform.
3. Put down, exhibit, use in playing, move.
4. Compete, engage in play.
5. Perform on, play on *or* upon.
6. Execute.
7. Act (*on the stage*), enact, represent, exhibit, perform.
8. Personate, act the part of, take the part of.
9. Engage in, take part in.
10. Do, perform, execute.
**Play,** *n.* 1. Game.
2. Amusement, sport, frolic, gambols, jest, pastime.
3. Gaming, gambling.
4. Practice, use, manner of dealing.
5. Action, use, employment.
6. Dramatic composition, drama, comedy, tragedy, melodrama *or* farce.
7. Dramatic performance.
8. Performance.
9. Motion, movement, action.
10. Liberty of action, scope, swing, elbow-room, opportunity.
**Play-actor,** *n.* Stage-player, actor, player.
**Player,** *n.* 1. Idler, trifler.
2. Actor, play-actor, stage-player.
3. Mimic, imitator, mime.
4. Performer, operator.
5. Gamester, gambler.
**Play false.** Break one's word, sell one's self, turn traitor, go over to the enemy.
**Play fast and loose.** Be inconstant, be giddy, be fickle *or* undecided.
**Play-fellow,** *n.* Playmate.
**Playful,** *a.* 1. Sportive, frolicsome, frisky, merry, mirthful, jolly, gamesome.
2. Sprightly, humorous, amusing, arch, lively, mirthful, vivacious.
**Playhouse,** *n.* Theatre, opera-house.
**Playmate,** *n.* Playfellow.
**Play off.** Display, show, put in exercise.
**Play off a person.** Make a butt of one.

**Play on.** } **Play upon.** } I. Mock, deride, delude, befool, trifle with, make sport of.
2. Turn, quibble, give a fanciful turn to.
**Play second fiddle.** (*Colloq.*) Be subordinate, take a subordinate part.
**Play the devil (or the deuce) with.** (*Colloq.*) Impair, spoil, injure, hurt, damage, ruin, make bad work with.
**Play the fool.** Cut capers, cut didoes, act the buffoon, act like a fool, make a fool of one's self, play tricks *or* pranks.
**Plaything,** *n.* I. Toy.
2. Toy, bawble, trifle.
**Play upon words.** Punning, quibbling.
**Play-writer,** *n.* Dramatist, playwright, dramatic author, dramatic writer.
**Plea,** *n.* I. (*Law.*) Allegation.
2. Suit, action, cause in court.
3. Defence, excuse, apology, justification, vindication, argument, pleading.
**Plead,** *v. n.* I. (*Law.*) Make an allegation, carry on a suit.
2. Reason, argue, offer reasons, use arguments.
3. Apologize, offer apology *or* justification, make defence.
**Plead,** *v. a.* I. Allege, offer in excuse.
2. Argue, discuss, defend, maintain by arguments.
3. Allege, adduce in proof.
**Pleader,** *n.* Assertor, vindicator, defender, advocate.
**Plead guilty.** Confess guilt, acknowledge the charge, own the soft impeachment, cry *peccavi*, sing *miserere*, make a clean breast of it, be down on one's marrow-bones.
**Pleasance,** *n.* Pleasure, gayety, pleasantry, merriment, delight, enjoyment.
**Pleasant,** *a.* I. Pleasing, agreeable, delightful, delectable, gratifying, grateful, pleasurable, acceptable, welcome.
2. Cheerful, gay, lively, sprightly, vivacious, merry, good-humored, enlivening, sportive.
3. Witty, facetious, humorous, jocose, jocular, sportive, amusing.
**Pleasantry,** *n.* I. Gayety, merriment, sport, fun, frolic, jollity.
2. Facetiousness, jocularity, jocoseness, drollery, good-humor, waggery.
3. Lively *or* witty remark, witticism, joke, sally, sprightly saying, jest, quip, quirk, *bon-mot*.
4. Raillery, wit, lively talk.
5. Trick, gambol, frolic, prank.
**Please,** *v. a.* I. Gratify, delight, gladden, rejoice, make glad, give joy to, take one's fancy, tickle one's fancy, do one's heart good.
2. Satisfy, content.
3. Seem good to, be one's will.
**Please,** *v. n.* I. Give pleasure, gain approbation.
2. Like, prefer, choose.
3. Condescend, comply, be pleased.
**Pleasing,** *a.* Agreeable, grateful, gratifying, acceptable, welcome, pleasant, delectable, pleasurable, charming, delightful.
**Pleasurable,** *a.* Pleasing.
**Pleasure,** *n.* I. Enjoyment, gratification, comfort, delight, joy, gladness, temporary happiness, satisfaction, solace.
2. Sensuality, voluptuousness, luxury, animal gratification.
3. Will, choice, preference, purpose, wish, mind, desire.
4. Favor, kindness.
**Plebeian,** *a.* Ignoble, low, mean, base, vulgar, common, popular.
**Plebeianism,** *n.* Vulgarity.
**Pledge,** *n.* I. Pawn, gage, deposit.
2. Guarantee, security, earnest.
3. Surety, hostage.
4. Health (*in drinking*).
**Pledge,** *v. a.* I. Pawn, impawn, plight, hypothecate, put in pledge, deposit as security.
2. Gage, give as a guarantee.
3. Engage, bind.
4. Toast, drink to, drink the health of, drink in honor of.
**Pledgee,** *n.* (*Law.*) Pawnee.
**Plenary,** *a.* Full, complete, entire.
**Plenipotentiary,** *n.* Ambassador, minister, envoy.
**Plenitude,** *n.* I. Abundance, fulness, completeness, plenty.
2. Repletion, plethora, animal fulness.
**Plenteous,** *a.* I. Abundant, copious, plentiful, ample, full.
2. Fruitful, productive, yielding abundance.
3. Rich, well provided for.
**Plentiful,** *a.* I. Abundant, ample, copious, full, plenteous.
2. Fruitful, plenteous, exuberant, productive, luxuriant.
**Plenty,** *n.* I. Fulness, sufficiency, plenitude, enough, adequate supply.
2. Abundance, copiousness, luxuriance, exuberance, profusion, affluence, fertility, overflow.
**Plenty,** *a.* Abundant, plentiful.
**Pleonasm,** *n.* Redundancy, diffuseness, tautology, redundant expression.
**Pleonastic,** *a.* Redundant, tautological, diffuse, superfluous.
**Plethora,** *n.* I. (*Med.*) Fulness (*of blood*), repletion, plenitude.
2. Superabundance, superfluity, redundance, redundancy, excess, surfeit, more than enough, enough and to spare.
**Plethoric,** *a.* I. Surcharged, surfeited, overloaded, overcharged, over-full.
2. Of a full habit, affected with plethora.
**Pliability,** *n.* Flexibleness, flexibility, suppleness, pliancy, pliableness.
**Pliable,** *a.* I. Flexible, flexile, pliant, supple, limber, lithe, lithesome, easily bent.
2. Compliant, yielding, manageable, tractable, easily persuaded, docile, obsequious, ductile, facile.
**Pliableness,** *n.* See PLIABILITY.
**Pliancy,** *n.* I. See PLIABILITY.
2. Docility, readiness to be influenced, ductility.
**Pliant,** *a.* See PLIABLE.
**Plicature,** *n.* Fold, doubling, double, plait, gather, plication.
**Plight,** *v. a.* Pledge, pawn, hypothecate, put in pledge, give as security.
**Plight,** *n.* I. Pledge, pawn, gage, security.
2. Condition, state, situation, case, predicament, category, dilemma, scrape.
**Plod,** *v. n.* I. Trudge, jog on, travel slowly but steadily.
2. Toil, drudge, moil, hold on, keep on, keep at it, work hard.
**Plodding,** *a.* Hard-working, patiently laborious, painstaking, industrious.
**Plot,** *n.* I. Plat, piece of ground.
2. Plan (*of a piece of land*), draught, sketch, outline.
3. Scheme (*especially for a bad purpose*), stratagem, conspiracy, intrigue, cabal, machination, plan, project, combination.
4. Story, intrigue.
5. Contrivance, reach of thought, ability to plot.
**Plot,** *v. n.* I. Plan (*for some mischief*), conspire.
2. Scheme, contrive, lay a plan, form a plot.

**Plot,** *v. a.* Plan (*as something mischievous*), concoct, contrive, project, devise, frame, brew, hatch, compass.
**Plotter,** *n.* Contriver, conspirator, schemer.
**Ploughable,** *a.* Arable.
**Ploughland,** *n.* 1. Tillage land.
2. Carucate.
**Pluck,** *v. a.* 1. Gather, pick, cull.
2. Pull (*quickly*), twitch, snatch, jerk, yerk, tug, tear.
3. Pull, draw.
4. Strip by plucking.
**Pluck,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Spirit, courage, resolution, manhood, indomitableness, backbone, determination, energy, force, mettle, nerve, hardihood, force of character, strength of will.
**Pluck up.** 1. Eradicate, exterminate, destroy, root out, root up.
2. Summon up (*as courage*), gather up.
**Plucky,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Brave, spirited, courageous.
**Plug,** *n.* 1. Stopple, stopper.
2. Chew, quid.
**Plum,** *n.* 1. Fruit of the plum-tree.
2. Plum-tree.
3. Raisin, dried grape.
4. £100,000.
5. Handsome sum, fortune, treasure.
**Plumage,** *n.* Feathers.
**Plumb,** *a.* Perpendicular (*to the horizon*), vertical, upright.
**Plumbago,** *n.* Black-lead, graphite.
**Plumber-block,** *n.* Pillow-block.
**Plumbing,** *n.* Plumbery, plummery.
**Plume,** *n.* 1. Feather.
2. Crest, tuft.
**Plume one's self.** Boast, glory, pride one's self, pique one's self, take pride, value one's self.
**Plumose,** *a.* Feathery.
**Plump,** *a.* 1. Stout, portly, fat, bouncing, chubby, fleshy, round, bonny, burly, in good case, well-rounded.
2. Tumid, swollen, distended, full.
3. Complete, full, downright, direct, unqualified, blunt, unreserved.
**Plump,** *ad.* Suddenly, heavily.
**Plumpness,** *n.* Fulness, chubbiness, roundness.
**Plunder,** *v. a.* Pillage, spoil, despoil, rob, rifle, sack, ravage, fleece, strip, lay waste.
**Plunder,** *n.* 1. Robbery, rapine, booty, spoil, pillage, prey.
2. [*Southern and Western U. S.*] Baggage, luggage, goods, effects.
**Plunderer,** *n.* Robber, pillager, spoiler.
**Plunge,** *v. a.* Immerse, submerge, dip, souse, douse, put under water (*or other liquid*).
**Plunge,** *v. n.* Dive, pitch, thrust one's self, cast one's self.
**Plunge,** *n.* Dive, dip, ducking.
**Plunger,** *n.* 1. Diver.
2. Piston.
**Plus,** *ad.* [L.] More, in addition.
**Pluto,** *n.* Orcus, Tartarus, Dis, Hades.
**Plutonian,** / **Plutonic,** } *a.* Subterranean, dark, infernal.
**Pluvial,** *a.* Rainy, humid, pluvious.
**Pluviameter,** / **Pluviometer,** } *n.* Rain-gauge.
**Ply,** *v. a.* 1. Employ, apply, keep busy.
2. Exercise, practise, put in practice.
3. Press hard, beset, assail briskly, lay on.
4. Urge, solicit, importune.
5. Offer repeatedly, present urgently, urge upon, press upon.
**Ply,** *n.* 1. Fold, plait, twist.
2. Bent, turn, direction, bias.
**Pneumatics,** *n.* Science of elastic fluids.
**Pneumatology,** *n.* Psychology, doctrine of spiritual substances.
**Pneumometer,** *n.* Pneumatometer, spirometer.
**Pneumonia,** *n.* (*Med.*) Inflammation of the lungs, pneumonitis, pneumony.
**Pneumonic,** *a.* Pulmonic, pulmonary.
**Poach,** *v. a.* 1. Cook slightly (*as eggs*).
2. Steal, filch, purloin, pilfer, plunder by stealth.
**Poach,** *v. n.* Steal game.
**Pock,** *n.* Pustule (*as of small-pox*).
**Pocket,** *n.* Pouch.
**Pocket,** *v. a.* (*Colloq.*) Endure (*as an affront*), suffer, bear, tolerate, put up with.
**Pod,** *n.* Legume, capsule, seed-vessel.
**Podagra,** *n.* (*Med.*) Gout (*especially gout in the foot*).
**Podagric,** / **Podagrical,** } *a.* Gouty, podagrous.
**Podge,** *n.* Puddle, plash.
**Podgy,** *a.* Dumpy, fat, pudgy.
**Podium,** *n.* Stylobate, continuous pedestal.
**Poem,** *n.* Metrical composition, piece of poetry.
**Poesy,** *n.* 1. Poet craft, poet skill.
2. Poetry, verse, metrical composition.
**Poet,** *n.* 1. Bard, author of poems.
2. Imaginative thinker *or* writer.
**Poetaster,** *n.* Rhymester, petty poet, inferior poet.
**Poetic,** / **Poetical,** } *a.* Metrical.
**Poetry,** *n.* Verse, rhyme, poesy, metrical composition, numbers.
**Poh,** *interj.* Pahaw, pugh, pish.
**Poignancy,** *n.* 1. Piquancy, pungency, acridity, sharpness.
2. Point, sharpness, keenness, asperity, causticity.
3. Bitterness, intensity, sharpness
**Poignant,** *a.* 1. Sharp, severe, piercing, penetrating, intense, bitter.
2. Pungent, biting, acrid, piquant, sharp, pricking, stinging, mordacious.
3. Keen, pointed, caustic, irritating, bitter, satirical, sarcastic, severe, mordant.
**Point,** *n.* 1. Sharp end.
2. Cape, headland, projection, promontory, naze.
3. Moment, instant, period, verge, eve.
4. Spot, place, station, stage.
5. Degree, grade, state, condition, rank.
6. Object, end, aim, purpose, design.
7. Punctilio, nicety, pique, trifling concern.
8. Question, position, thesis, theme, proposition, text, subject-matter, moot point.
9. Respect, particular aspect, matter, single thing.
10. Characteristic, peculiarity, salient trait.
11. Mark (*as of punctuation*), character, stop.
12. Dot, speck.
13. Sally, witticism, flash of wit, lively turn of thought, epigram, quip, quirk, *jeu d'esprit*.
14. Poignancy, sting.
15. Lace worked by the needle, point-lace, needle-lace.
**Point,** *v. a.* 1. Sharpen, make pointed.
2. Aim, level, direct.
3. Indicate, designate, show, point out, direct attention to.
4. Punctuate.
**Point-blank,** *a.* 1. Direct, plain, explicit, express, down-right.
2. Direct.
**Point-blank,** *ad.* Directly.
**Point-d'appui,** *n.* Basis, point of support.
**Pointed,** *a.* 1. Peaked, sharp, acuminated, picked.
2. Personal, distinct, marked, explicit.

3. Epigrammatic, keen, poignant.
**Pointer,** *n.* Index, hand, director.
**Pointless,** *a.* I. Blunt, obtuse.
2. Dull, stupid, vapid, aimless, vague, flat.
**Point out.** Indicate, designate, point, show, direct attention to.
**Poise,** *n.* I. Weight, gravity.
2. Counterweight, counterpoise
3. Regulating power, balance.
4. Balance, equilibrium, equipoise.
**Poise,** *v. a.* I. Balance, hold *or* place in equilibrium.
2. Weight.
**Poison,** *n.* Venom, virus, bane, pest, taint, noxious influence.
**Poison,** *v. a* Infect, taint, contaminate, corrupt, canker, mar, impair, vitiate, envenom, pollute.
**Poison-ivy,** *n.* Poison-oak, climbing sumac, mercury (*Rhus toxicodendron*).
**Poisonous,** *a.* Venomous, noxious, baneful, pestilential, pestiferous.
**Poison-tree,** *n.* Poison-sumac, poison-elder, swamp sumac (*Rhus venenata*).
**Poke,** *n.* I. Thrust, push, shove, jog.
2. (*Bot.*) Garget, pigeon-berry, pogan, cocum, pocan, pocan-bush, poke-weed (*Phytolacca decandra*).
3. Pocket, pouch, bag, sack.
**Poke,** *v. n* I. Grope, feel one's way.
2. Mope, shut one's self up, confine one's self, dawdle, trifle.
**Poke about.** Busy one's self with nothing.
**Poke a fire.** Stir a fire.
**Poke fun.** Joke, jest, make fun.
**Poke fun at.** (*Colloq.*) Jeer, ridicule, deride, flout, taunt, mock, scoff at, sneer at, jeer at, rail at, make a butt of.
**Poke-weed,** *n.* See POKE.
**Poky,** *a.* Confined, cramped, musty.
**Polacca,** *n.* Polonaise, Polish dance-tune.
**Polander,** *n.* Pole, native of Poland.
**Polar bear.** White bear (*Ursus maritimus*).
**Polar lights.** Northern lights, aurora borealis, australis.
**Polar star.** See POLESTAR.
**Pole,** *n.* I. Extremity (*of an axis* or *a diameter*).
2. Staff, rod, stick.
3. Rod, perch.
4. Shaft, thill.
5. Polander, native of Poland.
6. Polestar, north star, loadstar, Polaris.
7. Firmament, sky.
**Polecat,** *n.* I. [*Of Europe.*] Fitchew, fitch, fitchet, weasel, foumart, foulmart (*Mustela putorius*).
2. [*Of North America.*] Mink, minx (*Mustela vison*).
**Polemic,** } *a.* I. Controversial, disputative.
**Polemical,** } 2. Disputatious.
**Polemic,** } *n.* Disputant, controversialist.
**Polemist,** }
**Polemics,** *n. pl.* Controversy (*especially on theological subjects*), disputation, contest.
**Polestar,** *n.* I. North star, polar star, loadstar, Polaris.
2. Guide, cynosure, guiding star.
**Policy,** *n.* I. Administration, management, government, rule, mode of management, course of action.
2. Cunning, art, address, skill, prudence, shrewdness, worldly wisdom, stratagem, discretion.
3. Wisdom, wit, acumen, shrewdness, astuteness.
**Polish,** *v. a.* I. Burnish, furbish, levigate, rub up, brighten, make glossy.
2. Refine, civilize, make elegant.
**Polish,** *n.* I. Lustre, brightness, brilliance, brilliancy, splendor
2. Grace, refinement, accomplishment, elegance.
**Polished,** *a.* I. Burnished, made bright *or* glossy, smooth, glossy, bright, shining.
2. Refined, accomplished, cultivated, elegant, polite.
3. Classic, classical, Attic, chaste, pure, refined, elegant, finished.
**Polite,** *a.* Accomplished, genteel, cultivated, refined, courteous, civil, affable, complaisant, courtly, gracious, urbane, polished, well-behaved, well-mannered, well-bred, elegant, obliging.
**Politeness,** *n.* I. Courtesy, civility, good manners, courteousness, gentility, affability, complaisance, comity, amenity, suavity, decorum, good-breeding, obliging manner, refinement, urbanity, courtliness.
2. Refinement, elegance, finish.
**Politic,** *a.* I. Civil, political, civic.
2. Wise, prudent, judicious, discreet, sagacious, prudential, wary, provident, astute, long-headed.
3. Artful, cunning, shrewd, intriguing, sly, wily, subtle, foxy, Machiavelian, ingenious, unscrupulous, crafty, skilful, diplomatic, strategic.
4. Well-devised, well-adapted.
**Political,** *a.* I. Civil, civic, public, politic, national.
2. National.
**Politician,** *n.* I. Statesman, statist.
2. Partisan, dabbler in politics.
**Politics,** *n. pl.* I. Political science, political economy, science of government.
2. Political affairs, party politics.
**Polity,** *n.* Form of government, civil constitution.
**Poll,** *n.* I. Head
2. Person, individual.
3. Catalogue of heads, catalogue of persons.
4. Club, cheven, pollard.
**Poll,** *v. a.* I. Lop, clip, shear, cut closely, mow, crop.
2. Enumerate, enroll.
3. Pay.
4. Register, give, deposit (*as a vote*).
**Poll,** *n.* Parrot.
**Polliwig,** } *n.* Tadpole.
**Polliwog,** }
**Poll-tax,** *n.* Capitation tax, poll-money, poll-silver.
**Pollute,** *v. a.* I. Defile, soil, taint, make foul, make unclean.
2. Corrupt, infect, contaminate, vitiate, deprave, debase, poison, impair, taint, pervert, tarnish, stain.
3. Desecrate, profane.
4. Violate, debauch, dishonor, ravish, abuse, defile, deflower.
**Pollution,** *n.* I. Defilement, contamination, foulness, taint, impurity, uncleanness, abomination, pollutedness, vitiation, corruption.
2. Violation, debauchment, ravishment.
**Poltroon,** *n.* Coward, dastard, craven, milksop, mean wretch, skulk, recreant, sneak.
**Poltroonery,** *n.* Cowardice, baseness, dastardy, dastardliness, cowardliness, want of spirit.
**Polyandry,** *n.* Plurality of husbands.
**Polygamy,** *n.* I. Plurality of wives, polygyny.
2. Polyandry, plurality of husbands.
**Polygon,** *n.* Many-sided figure.
**Polype,** *n.* (*Zoöl.*) Polypus, polyp.
**Polyphonist,** *n.* I. Ventriloquist.
2. Contrapuntist.
**Polypus,** *n.* [L. *pl. Polypi.*] (*Zoöl.*) Polype, polyp, radiate animal.

**Polysyllable,** *n.* Word of many syllables.
**Pomade,** *n.* Pomatum.
**Pomatum,** *n.* Pomade.
**Pommel,** *n.* [Written also *Pummel.*] Knob, ball, protuberant part.
**Pommel,** *v. a.* [Written also *Pummel.*] Beat, bruise, thrash, flog, bang, maul, thwack, thump, belabor, trounce.
**Pomp,** *n.* Parade, display, show, splendor, magnificence, pageantry, pageant, flourish, state, ostentation, pompousness, grandeur, pride, flourish.
**Pomposity,** *n.* Boastfulness, boasting, pretension, ostentation, pompousness, parade.
**Pompous,** *a.* 1. Showy, ostentatious, stately, lofty, grand, majestic, magnificent, superb, splendid, august, magisterial, dignified.
2. Swelling, inflated, bombastic, turgid, pretentious, stilted, boastful, grandiloquent, high-flowing, high-sounding, high-flown, ostentatious, tumid, grandiose, magniloquent, flaunting, puffy.
**Pompousness,** *n.* 1. Grandeur, magnificence, pageantry, splendor, state, pomp, dignity.
2. Pretension, boastfulness, ostentation, pomposity.
**Ponder,** *v. a.* Consider, weigh, contemplate, study, meditate, think on, reflect upon, deliberate upon, revolve in the mind, examine.
**Ponder,** *v. n.* Think, muse, reflect, cogitate, meditate, study, deliberate.
**Ponderosity,** *n.* Weight, gravity, heaviness, ponderousness
**Ponderous,** *a.* 1. Heavy, weighty, massive, bulky.
2. Momentous, important, weighty.
3. Forcible, mighty.
**Pond-lily,** *n.* Water-lily (*Nymphæa*).
**Poniard,** *n.* Dagger (*small*), dirk, stiletto.
**Pontiff,** *n.* 1. High-priest.
2. Pope, bishop of Rome, *Pontifex maximus*
**Pontifical,** *a.* Popish, papal.
**Pontificate,** *n.* Popedom, papacy.
**Pontoon-bridge,** *n.* Bridge of boats, floating bridge.
**Pony,** *n.* Sheltie, small horse.
**Pooh,** *interj.* Poh, pshaw, pish, pah.
**Pool,** *n.* 1. Pond (*small*), mere, lake, loch.
2. Puddle, plash, collection of standing water.
**Poor,** *a.* 1. Indigent, needy, necessitous, pinched, straitened.
2. Penniless, moneyless, impecunious, destitute, distressed, poverty-stricken, seedy, reduced, short of money, out of money, without a penny, out of pocket, out of cash, out at the elbows, out at the heels, in need, in want, hard up, in distress, living from hand to mouth, not worth a farthing, not worth a sou, not rich, badly off, poorly off.
3. Emaciated, lean, thin, meagre, lank, gaunt, skinny, shrunk, fallen away.
4. Barren, sterile, unfruitful, unfertile, unproductive, fruitless, unprolific.
5. Trifling, trivial, slight, small, slender, flimsy, insufficient, inadequate, worthless, unimportant, of little use *or* worth, valueless, paltry.
6. Unsound, infirm, feeble, delicate, weak, frail.
7. Shabby, seedy, worthless, valueless, inferior, not good.
8. Contemptible, despicable, paltry, mean, sorry, beggarly, pitiful, shabby, bad, low, inferior.
9. Feeble, languid, weak, bald, tame, jejune, vapid, cold, frigid, dull, prosing, prosy, prosaic, spiritless, barren, mean, meagre, dry.
10. Miserable, wretched, unfortunate, luckless, ill-fated, ill-starred, unlucky, unhappy, pitiable.
11. Meagre, insufficient, inadequate, scant, small.
12. Faulty, unsatisfactory.
13. Thin, scanty.
14. Weak, feeble, poor, flimsy.
**Poor,** *n. pl.* [With *The* prefixed.] 1. The indigent, the needy.
2. Paupers.
**Poor as a rat.** / **Poor as a church mouse.** / **Poor as Job.** } Very poor, extremely poor, destitute.
**Poorhouse,** *n.* Workhouse, almshouse.
**Poor in spirit.** Humble, contrite, meek, repentant.
**Poorly,** *ad.* 1. In want.
2. Insufficiently, inadequately, defectively.
3. Meanly.
**Poorly,** *a.* Indisposed, ailing, not well, feeble, somewhat ill (*colloq.*).
**Poorness,** *n.* Poverty.
**Poor-spirited,** *a* Mean, cowardly, base, mean-spirited.
**Pop,** *n.* Report, clap, burst, explosion, detonation.
**Pop,** *ad* Suddenly, unexpectedly, on a sudden.
**Pope,** *n.* Pontiff, bishop of Rome, *Pontifex Maximus.*
**Popedom,** *n.* 1. Papacy, pontificate.
2. Papal jurisdiction, apostolic see.
**Popery,** *n.* Papism, papistry, Roman Catholic religion.
**Popinjay,** *n.* Fop, coxcomb, dandy, exquisite, beau, macaroni, jackanapes, jack-a-dandy, man milliner, man of dress; vain, showy fellow, *petit-maître.*
**Popish,** *a.* Papistic, papistical, Roman Catholic.
**Poppy-like,** *a.* Papaverous.
**Pop the question.** Propose, offer one's self, offer marriage.
**Populace,** *n.* Commonalty, the people, the crowd, the multitude, the many, the masses, the million, the vulgar herd, the common people, the lower classes, the vulgar, the humbler classes, mob, rabble.
**Popular,** *a.* 1. Of the people.
2. Plain, familiar, easy, comprehensible.
3. Received (*by the people*), accepted, accredited, favorite, liked, approved.
4. Current, prevailing, prevalent, common, general, in vogue, in favor.
**Popularity,** *n.* 1. Favor (*of the people*), popular regard *or* acceptance, popularness.
2. Fame, repute, celebrity, vogue.
**Populate,** *v. a.* People
**Population,** *n.* 1. Peopling.
2. Inhabitants, people, number of people.
3. Populousness.
**Populous,** *a.* Crowded, thickly settled.
**Porcelain,** *n.* China, china ware.
**Porcelain-clay,** *n.* Kaolin.
**Porcelain-jasper,** *n.* Porcelainite.
**Porch,** *n.* 1. Portico, entrance-way, vestibule.
2. [With *The* prefixed.] The Stoic philosophy, philosophy of Zeno, school of the Stoics.
**Porcine,** *a.* 1. Pertaining to swine.
2. Hog-like, swinish.
**Pore,** *n.* Orifice, spiracle, small opening.
**Pore,** *v. n.* Brood, dwell, look steadily, fix the attention, give one's mind, read steadily, examine diligently.
**Pork,** *n.* Swine-flesh, pig-meat.
**Porker,** *n.* Hog, pig, sow, swine, porkling.
**Porosity,** *n.* Porousness.
**Porous,** *a.* Pervious, permeable, penetrable, percolable, pory.
**Porphyry,** *n.* Rosso antiquo.

**Porpoise,** *n.* I. [Written also *Porpess*, *Porpesse*, *Porpice*, and *Porpus*.] Sea-hog.
2. Monster, mammoth, behemoth, mountain, leviathan, Triton among the minnows.
**Porridge,** *n.* Broth, soup, pottage.
**Porrigo,** *n.* (*Med.*) Scald-head, ringworm of the scalp.
**Porringer,** *n.* Porridge dish.
**Port,** *n.* I. Harbor, haven, roadstead, anchorage.
2. Entrance, passage-way, gate, door.
3. Embrasure, port-hole.
4. Larboard, left side.
5. Demeanor, behavior, bearing, air, presence, mien, carriage, deportment, appearance.
6. Port-wine.
**Portable,** *a.* Movable, light, handy, convenient, easily transported, manageable.
**Portal,** *n.* Gate, gateway, entrance, passage-way, door.
**Porte,** *n.* Turkish court, Sublime Porte, Ottoman government.
**Porte-monnaie,** *n.* [Fr.] Pocket-book, purse.
**Portend,** *v. a.* Presage, forebode, foretoken, betoken, foreshow, foreshadow, augur, prognosticate, threaten, indicate, bode.
**Portent,** *n.* Omen (*of ill*), presage, prognostic, augury, sign, warning.
**Portentous,** *a.* I. Ominous (*of ill*), premonitory, ill-boding, inauspicious, unpropitious.
2. Monstrous, prodigious, wonderful, amazing, tremendous, stupendous, marvellous.
**Porter,** *n.* I. Carrier.
2. Door-keeper, *concierge*.
**Port-hole,** *n* Embrasure, port.
**Portico,** *n.* I. Covered walk, colonnade, arcade.
2. Porch, vestibule, entrance-way.
**Portière,** *n.* Door-curtain.
**Portion,** *n.* I. Part, piece, fragment, bit, scrap, morsel
2. Share, allotment, division, parcel, lot, quantity, dividend, quota, contingent.
3. Fate, final state.
4. Dowry, wife's fortune.
5. Share, inheritance.
**Portion,** *v. a.* I. Divide, allot, deal out, distribute, parcel.
2. Endow, supply with a portion.
**Portly,** *a.* I. Stately, grand, majestic, magisterial, dignified, imposing.
2. Stout, plump, fleshy, round, in good case, large, bulky, burly.
**Portmanteau,** *n.* Valise, travelling bag.
**Portrait,** *n.* Representation (*of a face* or *a person, drawn or painted*), likeness, portraiture, picture.
**Portraiture,** *n.* I. See PORTRAIT.
2. Portrait-drawing, portrait-painting.
**Portray,** *v. a.* I. Paint, delineate, depict, draw, sketch, represent.
2. Describe, set forth.
**Portrayal,** *n.* I. Delineation, painting, representation, sketch.
2. Description, account.
**Portulaca,** *n.* Purslane.
**Port-wine,** *n.* Port.
**Pose,** *n.* Attitude (*formally assumed*), posture, artificial position.
**Pose,** *v. a.* Puzzle, stagger, embarrass, bewilder, perplex, mystify, nonplus, put out, put to a stand, confound, dumfound.
**Poseidon,** *n.* Neptune.
**Poser,** *n.* I. Puzzler, close examiner.
2. Riddle, enigma, mystery, knotty point.
**Position,** *n.* I. Station, situation, spot, place, locality, post, site.
2. Relation.
3. Attitude, posture.
4. Proposition, principle, thesis, dictum, assertion, doctrine, predication, affirmation.
5. Place, standing, social rank.
6. State, condition, place, circumstances.
7. Place, situation.
**Positive,** *a.* I. Express, direct, explicit, determinate, defined, precise, definite, clear, unequivocal, unmistakable, categorical, expressed, laid down.
2. Real, actual, veritable, substantial, true, absolute, existing in fact.
3. Absolute, not relative.
4. Confident, sure, assured, certain, fully convinced.
5. Indisputable, decisive, incontrovertible, indubitable.
6. Decisive, unconditional, imperative.
7. Dogmatic, stubborn, peremptory, obstinate, over-confident, tenacious, overbearing.
**Positively,** *ad.* I. Expressly, explicitly, precisely, categorically, definitely, directly.
2. Actually, really, truly, in fact, in reality.
3. Absolutely.
4. Really, directly, inherently.
5. Certainly, surely, assuredly, confidently.
6. Certainly, indubitably, assuredly.
7. Peremptorily, dogmatically, arbitrarily.
**Possess,** *v. a.* I. Own, have a title to, be seized of.
2. Have, hold, occupy, control.
3. Put in possession.
4. Acquaint, inform, make known.
5. Seize, obtain, take possession of.
**Possession,** *n.* I. Ownership.
2. Occupation, occupancy, control, tenure, retention.
3. Thing possessed, property.
4. State of being possessed, madness, lunacy.
**Possessions,** *n. pl.* Property, estate, effects, assets.
**Possessor,** *n.* I. Owner, proprietor, master.
2. Holder, occupant, occupier.
**Possibility,** *n.* I. Potentiality.
2. Contingency.
3. Chance.
**Possible,** *a.* I. Potential, in posse.
2. Practicable, feasible, likely.
**Possibly,** *ad.* Perhaps, perchance, peradventure, mayhap, haply, maybe, it may be, as luck may have it.
**Post,** *n.* I. Pillar, column, support.
2. Station, position, seat.
3. Office, employment, place, situation, station.
4. Messenger, intelligencer, mercury.
5. Postman, courier, letter-carrier, express, mail-carrier.
6. Mail.
7. Speed, haste, hurry, despatch.
**Post,** *v. a.* I. Place, station, set, put, fix, establish.
2. Placard, advertise, announce, make known, blaze abroad, spread abroad.
3. Stigmatize (*by public notice*), vilify, brand, defame, disgrace.
4. Put in the ledger, carry to the ledger.
5. Mail, put in the mail, put in the post-office.
**Posted,** *a.* I. Placed, situated.
2. (*Colloq.*, *U. S.*) Instructed, well-informed, posted up.
**Poster,** *n.* Placard, bill, hand-bill, broadside, *affiche*.
**Posterior,** *a.* I. Subsequent, following, later, after, succeeding, ensuing.
2. Hind, hinder, back, rear.

**Posterity,** *n.* Descendants, offspring, progeny, succeeding generations.
**Postfix,** *n.* Affix, suffix.
**Posthaste,** *ad.* With speed, with expedition, fast, rapidly.
**Posthumous,** *a.* Post-obit, after death.
**Postman,** *n.* Courier, post, letter-carrier.
**Post-meridian,** *a.* Afternoon.
**Post mortem.** [L.] 1. After death.
2. Autopsy, post-mortem examination, post-obit.
**Postpone,** *v. a.* Defer, delay, adjourn, procrastinate, put off, stave off, let lie over, prorogue.
**Post-prandial,** *a.* After-dinner.
**Postscript,** *n.* Appendix, supplement.
**Postulate,** *n.* 1. Supposition, conjecture, hypothesis, assumption, theory, speculation, axiom, assumed truth, *postulatum.*
2. (*Geom.*) Self-evident problem.
**Postulate,** *v. a.* 1. Assume, presuppose.
2. Solicit, entreat, supplicate, beseech.
**Postulation,** *n.* 1. Gratuitous assumption, supposition.
2. Supplication, intercession, solicitation, request.
3. Suit, cause.
**Posture,** *n.* 1. Position, attitude, pose.
2. State, condition, situation, phase.
3. Disposition, mood, condition, state, phase.
**Posy,** *n.* 1. Nosegay, bouquet, bunch of flowers.
2. Inscription (*as on a ring*), legend, motto, verse.
**Pot,** *n.* 1. Kettle, saucepan, pan, skillet.
2. Mug, cup, stoop, tankard, can.
3. Jar, jug, crock.
**Potable,** *a.* Drinkable, potulent, that may be drunk.
**Potable,** *n.* Beverage, drink.
**Potash,** *n.* Potassa, protoxide of potassium.
**Potassa,** *n.* See POTASH.
**Potation,** *n.* 1. Drinking.
2. Drink, draught.
3. Dram, drink, potion, draught.
4. Drinking-bout, debauch, carouse, perpotation, tippling.
**Pot-bellied,** *a.* Large-bellied, great-bellied, big-bellied, tun-bellied, paunchy, abdominous.
**Pot-companion,** *n.* Fellow-drinker, pot-man, boon companion.
**Potency,** *n.* 1. Power, might, efficacy, force, strength, energy, vigor, puissance.
2. Authority, influence, sway, control.
**Potent,** *a.* 1. Strong, forcible, powerful, efficacious, physically strong.
2. Powerful, mighty, able, efficient, puissant, strong.
3. Influential, efficacious, cogent, powerful.
**Potentate,** *n.* Monarch, sovereign, king, emperor, prince, ruler.
**Potential,** *a.* Possible, in posse.
**Potentiality,** *n.* Possibility.
**Pother,** *n.* Bustle, tumult, turmoil, flutter, rumpus, confusion, pudder, huddle, turbulence, hurly-burly, commotion.
**Pother,** *v. a.* Harass, perplex, puzzle, tease, embarrass, beset, confuse, confound, bewilder, pose.
**Pot-house,** *n.* Ale-house, grog-shop, tavern, public-house.
**Potion,** *n.* Draught (*especially of medicine*), dose, drench, cup.
**Pot-pourri,** *n.* [Fr.] Medley, mixture, hotch-potch, hodge-podge, farrago, jumble, miscellany, salmagundi, gallimaufry, olio, mish-mash, confused mass, *mélange.*
**Potter,** *v. n.* Trifle, pudder, busy one's self about trifles.
**Pottery,** *n.* Earthen ware, clay ware.
**Potulent,** *a.* 1. Drinkable, potable.
2. Muddled, fuddled, boozy, mellow, disguised, muzzy, worse for liquor, mused.
**Pouch,** *n.* Bag (*small*), sack.
**Poultice,** *n.* Cataplasm.
**Poultry,** *n.* Domestic fowls.
**Pounce,** *n.* Claw, talon.
**Pounce upon.** Seize (*as with claws*), fall upon.
**Pound,** *v. a.* 1. Beat, strike.
2. Bray, bruise, crush, pulverize, triturate, comminute, levigate.
3. Impound, confine in a pound, coop, enclose, shut up.
**Pour,** *v. a.* 1. Let flow (*by decanting*).
2. Emit, let out, give vent to, send forth.
**Pour,** *v. n.* Flow, issue, stream.
**Pourboire,** *n.* Drink-money, trinkgeld.
**Pout,** *n.* 1. Whiting-pout, bib-pout (*Morrhua lusca*).
2. Catfish, horn-pout, horned-pout, bull-head (*Pimelodus cattus*).
3. Fit of sullenness, sulk.
**Pout,** *v. n.* Look sullen (*by protruding the lips*), look black, show ill-temper.
**Pouting,** *a.* Sulky, sullen, ill-humored.
**Poverty,** *n.* 1. Indigence, penury, want, destitution, need, necessity, privation, neediness, distress, straitened circumstances.
2. Beggary, mendicancy, pauperism.
3. Need, lack, want, deficiency, scantiness, sparingness, meagreness, jejuneness.
4. Paucity, exiguity, poorness, smallness.
5. Barrenness, sterility, unproductiveness, unfruitfulness.
**Powder,** *n.* 1. Dust, pulverized substance.
2. Gunpowder.
**Powder,** *v. a.* 1. Comminute, pulverize, levigate, triturate.
2. Sprinkle.
**Powder-post,** *n.* [*U. S.*] Dry-rot, sap-rot.
**Powdery,** *a.* 1. Dusty, mealy, pulverulent.
2. Friable, crumbling.
**Power,** *n.* 1. Ableness, efficacy, ability, capability, faculty, efficiency, cogency, competency, might.
2. Force, energy, strength, ability.
3. Susceptibility, capacity.
4. Faculty, talent, endowment, gift.
5. Authority, authoritativeness, rule, prerogative, sovereignty, sway, control, domination, dominion, influence, command, government.
6. Sovereign, potentate, governor, ruler, monarch.
7. Divinity, angel (*good* or *bad*), spirit.
8. Host, army, troop.
9. Fleet, navy.
**Powerful,** *a.* 1. Mighty, potent, puissant.
2. Vigorous, robust, sturdy, strong, able-bodied, muscular, sinewy, nervous.
3. Of great power, commanding, able, overpowering, dominating, forcible, forceful.
4. Efficacious, effective, efficient, effectual, energetic, operative, influential, cogent, valid.
**Practicability,** *n.* 1. Feasibility, feasibleness, possibility, practicableness.
2. Fitness for use, the being open to travel *or* passage, passability, passableness, openness to entrance.
**Practicable,** *a.* 1. Feasible, performable, possible, achievable, attainable.
2. Capable of use, usable, capable of passage *or* entrance, passable, penetrable.
**Practicableness,** *n.* See PRACTICABILITY.
**Practical,** *a.* 1. Adapted to practice *or* use, not speculative, not theoretical, adjusted to facts, not visionary.

2. Experienced, versed, proficient, trained, qualified, practised, skilled, thoroughbred, able, *au fait*.

**Practically,** *ad.* 1. See PRACTICAL.

2. Actually, as a matter of fact, in fact, in effect, so far as results are concerned.

**Practice,** *n.* 1. Custom, habit, wont, frequent repetition.

2. Use, usage, customary course.

3. Acting out, actual performance, doing, habitual doing.

4. Exercise (*as of a profession*), pursuit, application.

5. Exercise, drill, habitual performance (*for skill's sake*), constant exercise *or* use.

6. Actions, acts, behavior, conduct, proceeding, dealing.

**Practise,** *v. a.* [Written also *Practice*.] 1. Do *or* perform repeatedly, exercise *or* drill one's self in.

2. Exercise, apply, pursue, carry on, use.

3. Put into action *or* practice, carry out, do, perform, perpetrate.

**Practised,** *a.* Experienced, instructed, versed, thoroughbred, trained, accomplished, proficient, able, skilled, qualified, practical, *au fait*.

**Pragmatical,** *a.* 1. Meddling, officious, meddlesome, impertinent, intermeddling, interfering, intrusive, obtrusive, over-busy.

2. Very matter-of-fact, absorbed in realism, hostile to ideals, fond of the material, obtuse to ideas, stolid, of the earth, earthy.

**Praise,** *n.* 1. Commendation, approval, approbation. See APPLAUSE.

2. Eulogy, eulogium, encomium, laud, laudation, glorification, panegyric, tribute of praise.

3. Glorification, homage, worship, tribute of gratitude, exaltation, extolling, *Te Deum*, *Laus Deo*, *Gloria in excelsis*, *Gloria*, hosanna, alleluia.

4. Fame, renown, celebrity, distinction, honor, glory.

5. Merit, desert, praiseworthiness, ground for praise.

**Praise,** *v. a.* 1. Commend, approve, approbate, applaud.

2. Extol, eulogize, panegyrize, celebrate, laud.

3. Magnify, glorify, exalt, worship, adore, bless, do homage to, do honor to.

**Praiseworthy,** *a.* Commendable, laudable, meritorious, deserving of approbation.

**Prank,** *n.* Caper, frolic, antic, gambol, trick.

**Prank,** *v. a.* Bedizen, begaud, trick out.

**Prank,** *v. n.* Make ostentation, make a gaudy show.

**Pranked out.** Bedizened, jaunty, showy, ostentatious, finical, airy, gairish, flashy.

**Prankish,** *a.* Sportive, playful, frolicsome, gamesome, antic, mischievous, full of play, full of fun.

**Prate,** *v. n.* Prattle, chatter, tattle, babble, gabble, palaver, jabber, be loquacious, be garrulous.

**Prate,** *v. a.* Tell (*foolishly*), babble, utter, prate about.

**Prate,** *n.* Prattle, gabble, chatter, twaddle, palaver, idle talk, childish talk, twattle, nonsense.

**Prater,** *n.* Chatterer, rattle-head, prattler, tattler, babbler, gabbler, palaverer.

**Prattle,** *v. n.* See PRATE.

**Prattle,** *n.* See PRATE.

**Pray,** *v. a.* Ask (*earnestly*), request, entreat, importune, beseech, supplicate, implore, beg, petition, invoke, conjure, call upon. See ADJURE.

**Pray,** *v. n.* 1. [Usually with *for*.] Supplicate, entreat, petition, beg, implore, importune, prefer a petition *or* request.

2. Commune with God, address the Supreme Being, supplicate our Maker, seek the throne of grace, approach the mercy-seat.

**Prayer,** *n.* 1. Supplication, entreaty, solicitation, imploration, beseeching, suit, petition, request.

2. Communion with God, invocation of God, supplication of God, devotion(s), invocation, orison, litany, suffrage (*eccles.*), adoration.

**Prayerful,** *a.* Given to prayer, of much converse with God, devout, devotional, religious, pious, lowly-minded, reverent.

**Praying-machine,** *n.* 1. Praying-mill, praying-wheel.

2. Formalist, maker of vain repetitions, suppliant with the lips.

**Preach,** *v. a.* 1. Proclaim (*as in a religious discourse*), declare, publish, pronounce, deliver.

2. Inculcate, teach, urge, press urgently.

**Preach,** *v. n.* 1. Deliver sermons, discourse on religious subjects.

2. Prate sanctimoniously, exhort over-righteously, moralize *ex cathedra*.

**Preaching friar.** Blackfriar, Dominican, Jacobin, predicant, preaching brother, *frère prêcheur*.

**Preach up.** Commend urgently, talk up, urge by exhortation, unduly extol.

**Preamble,** *n.* Introduction (*especially of a legislative act*), prelude, preface, introductory part.

**Precarious,** *a.* Uncertain, unsettled, unsteady, doubtful, dubious, equivocal, insecure, not to be depended upon, unreliable, hazardous, perilous, risky, riskful, unassured.

**Precatory,** *a.* Suppliant, beseeching, supplicating, imploring, praying, begging, entreating, of supplication, prayer, *or* entreaty.

**Precaution,** *n.* 1. Forethought, foresight, timely care, prudence, providence, circumspection, wariness, care.

2. Premunition, prior measure, preventive measure, provision.

**Precautionary,** *a.* Provident, preservative, preventive.

**Precede,** *v. a.* Go before (*in place* or *in time*), go ahead of, take the lead of, be anterior to, take precedence of, lead, introduce, herald, usher in, head.

**Precedence,** } *n.* 1. Priority (*in time*), anterior-
**Precedency,** } ity, antecedence.

2. Preference, superiority, pre-eminence, lead, supremacy.

**Precedent,** *a.* Antecedent. See PRECEDING.

**Precedent,** *n.* Authoritative example, prior instance, antecedent, example, pattern, historic warrant, authority in past practice.

**Preceding,** *a.* Antecedent, precedent, anterior, previous, prior, precursory, earlier, foregoing, above, above-mentioned, aforesaid, above-named.

**Precept,** *n.* 1. Command, injunction, instruction, order, mandate, commandment, behest, dictate, decree, edict, law, ordinance, ordination, regulation, canon.

2. Doctrine, principle, maxim, rule, direction.

**Preceptor,** *n.* Teacher, tutor, instructor, master, schoolmaster. See PEDAGOGUE.

**Precinct,** *n.* 1. Limit, confine, bound, boundary, terminus, term, list, border, frontier, march, purlieu, environs.

2. District, territorial division.

**Precious,** *a.* 1. Costly, of great price, priceless.

2. Very valuable, of great worth, of great value, inestimable, priceless.

3. Dear, beloved, darling, very estimable, highly esteemed *or* valued, cherished, treasured, prized, idolized, adored.

4. (*Ironical.*) Good-for-nothing, worthless, contemptible, base, despicable, pitiful.

**Precious metals.** Gold and silver.

**Precious stones.** Jewels, gems.
**Precipice,** *n.* Cliff, crag, steep, abrupt declivity, cliff.
**Precipitance,** } *n.* I. Haste, hurry, precipitation,
**Precipitancy,** } flurry.
2. Rashness, temerity, precipitation, recklessness, heedlessness, inconsiderateness, thoughtlessness. See RASHNESS.
**Precipitate,** *v. a.* I. Throw *or* hurl headlong, cast down, fling downward.
2. Hasten, hurry, accelerate, speed, expedite, urge forward, quicken, despatch, forward, advance, further, bring on, cause to occur too soon, bring on sooner.
3. (*Chem.*) Throw down, cause to subside.
**Precipitate,** *n.* (*Chem.*) Precipitated substance.
**Precipitate,** *a.* I. Hasty, hurried, rash, headlong, reckless, indiscreet, over-hasty, rashly hasty.
2. Violent, sudden, abrupt.
**Precipitation,** *n.* I. Haste, hurry, flurry, precipitance, precipitancy.
2. Rashness, recklessness, thoughtlessness, heedlessness, inconsiderateness, temerity.
**Precipitous,** *a.* I. Steep, abrupt, sheer, perpendicular.
2. Precipitate, headlong, rushing, sudden, sheer downward.
**Precise,** *a.* I. Exact, correct, definite, strict, express, distinct, explicit, severe, well-defined, accurate, nice, pointed, unequivocal.
2. Scrupulous, strict, careful, exact (*in conduct*).
3. Formal, ceremonious, stiff, rigid, starch, starched, prim, punctilious, finical.
**Precisian,** *n.* Formalist, martinet, precisianist.
**Precision,** *n.* Exactness, preciseness, accuracy, nicety, distinctness, exactitude, severe correctness, rigorous truth.
**Preclude,** *v. a.* Prevent, hinder, debar, restrain, inhibit, stop, bar, shut out, obviate.
**Precocious,** *a.* Premature (*especially in mental development*), too forward, over-forward.
**Precocity,** *n.* Prematureness (*of the mental faculties*), precociousness, unusually early development.
**Preconceive,** *v. a.* Prejudge, form a prior conception of.
**Preconception,** *n.* Anticipatory notion, anticipation, conception previous to the fact, prejudiced view, prejudice.
**Preconcert,** *v. a.* Premeditate, predetermine, consider beforehand, agree to beforehand, prearrange, concoct, prepare.
**Precursor,** *n.* I. Forerunner, predecessor, antecedent, cause.
2. Messenger, harbinger, herald, vancourier, avant-courier, pioneer, advance-guard.
**Precursory,** *a.* I. Forerunning, preceding, precedent, antecedent, anterior, prior, previous, prevenient.
2. Prelusive, prelusory, introductory, prefatory, precursive, preliminary, proemial, preparatory, initiatory, premonitory, prognosticative.
**Predacious,** *a.* Rapacious, ravenous, greedy, voracious, living by prey.
**Predatory,** *a.* Plundering, pillaging, ravaging.
**Predecessor,** *n.* I. Precursor (*in any office* or *position*), forerunner.
2. Ancestor, forefather, progenitor, elder.
**Predestinate,** *v. a.* Predetermine, foreordain, preordain, predestine, foredoom, appoint beforehand.
**Predestination,** *n.* Predetermination, foreordination, preordination, foreordainment, foredoom, necessity, fate.
**Predestine,** *v. a.* Predetermine. See PREDESTINATE.
**Predetermination,** *n.* See PREDESTINATION.
**Predetermined,** *a.* Foregone, already settled.
**Predicable,** *a.* Affirmable, attributable, holding true *or* good.
**Predicament,** *n.* I. Situation (*especially a bad situation*), condition, state, position, posture, attitude, plight, case.
2. (*Colloq.*) Pass, pinch, push, extremity, exigency, emergency, conjuncture.
3. (*Log.*) Category, head of predication.
**Predicant,** *n.* Dominican, Jacobin, Blackfriar, preaching friar, *frère prêcheur*.
**Predicate,** *v. a.* Assert, maintain, aver, declare, say.
**Predication,** *n.* Assertion, declaration, averment, statement.
**Predict,** *v. a.* Foretell, prophesy, prognosticate, presage, augur, betoken, foretoken, portend, divine, forebode. See VATICINATE.
**Prediction,** *n.* Prophecy, prognostication, augury, presage, foreboding, vaticination, divination, soothsaying, foretelling, fore-announcement.
**Predictive,** *a.* Prophetic, presaging, foretelling, portending, betokening, foreshadowing.
**Predictor,** *n.* Foreteller, prophet, soothsayer, seer, vaticinator, augur, diviner.
**Predilection,** *n.* Prepossession (*in favor of*), partiality, preference, inclination, bent, leaning, bias, predisposition, liking, fondness, love, desire.
**Predispose,** *v. a.* Incline, dispose, bias, fit, prepare, make ready.
**Predisposition,** *n.* I. Inclination, disposition, willingness, propensity, proclivity, leaning, bent, bias, proneness, natural tendency, aptitude.
2. Prepossession. See PREDILECTION.
**Predominance,** } *n.* Supremacy, ascendency, as-
**Predominancy,** } cendancy, dominion, domination, dominance, rule, reign, prevalence, superiority, sovereignty, mastery, preponderance, prepollence, prepollency, controlling influence, sway, authority.
**Predominant,** *a.* Prevailing, prevalent, supreme, ascendant, overruling, dominant, sovereign, regnant.
**Predominate,** *v. n.* Prevail, dominate, rule, preponderate, be supreme, be sovereign, be in the ascendant.
**Pre-eminence,** *n.* Superiority, supremacy, precedence, priority of place, excellence, supreme excellence, commanding position.
**Pre-eminent,** *a.* Superior, supreme, excellent, excelling, surpassing, peerless, unequalled, transcendent, paramount, consummate, predominant.
**Pre-engage,** *v. a.* Preoccupy.
**Preface,** *n.* Introduction, preamble, proem, prelude, prolegomena, exordium, preliminary, prelusion, prolusion. See PROLOGUE.
**Prefatory,** *a.* Introductory, preliminary, prelusive, prelusory, precursory, precursive, proemial, preparatory, initiative.
**Prefer,** *v. a.* I. Offer, proffer, tender, present, address, bring forward, set forth.
2. Raise, elevate, promote, advance.
3. Choose, select, elect, pick, pick out, single out, fix upon, pitch upon, fancy, count more desirable.
**Preferable,** *a.* More eligible, more desirable, deserving of preference, worthier of choice, to be preferred, better.
**Preferably,** *ad.* Rather, by preference, by choice.
**Preference,** *n.* Choice, election, selection, predilection, estimation, precedence, priority.
**Preferment,** *n.* Promotion, advancement, exaltation, elevation, dignity, benefice.
**Prefiguration,** *n.* Type, foreshadowing, adumbration.

**Prefigure,** *v. a.* Foreshow, foretoken, betoken, foreshadow, portend, signify, indicate.
**Pregnant,** *a.* 1. With child, gravid, great with child, *enceinte*.
2. Fraught, replete, full, teeming with meaning, important, significant.
3. Fruitful, fertile, prolific, productive, impregnating, generative, fecund, procreant.
**Prejudge,** *v. a.* Forejudge, prejudicate.
**Prejudgment,** *n.* Prejudice.
**Prejudicate,** *v. a.* See PREJUDGE.
**Prejudice,** *n.* 1. Prejudgment, prepossession (*against*), bias, unfairness, preconception, partiality.
2. Harm, mischief, hurt, detriment, loss, injury, damage, disadvantage, impairment.
**Prejudice,** *v. a.* 1. Bias, warp, prepossess unfavorably, influence against.
2. Injure, damage, hurt, impair, diminish.
**Prejudiced,** *a.* Biassed, bigoted, wedded to an opinion, unfair, partial, partisan, one-sided.
**Prejudicial,** *a.* Hurtful, mischievous, injurious, detrimental, deleterious, noxious, damaging, disadvantageous, unfavorable, inimical, hostile.
**Prelacy,** *n.* 1. Office of prelate, prelateship, prelature, episcopal office.
2. Episcopacy, prelatism, hierarchy, hierarchism, hierocracy.
**Prelate,** *n.* Archbishop, bishop, cardinal, patriarch, primate, pope, pontiff, ecclesiastic in authority.
**Prelect,** *v. n.* Lecture, discourse, read, deliver lectures.
**Prelection,** *n.* Lecture, discourse, reading.
**Prelector,** *n.* Lecturer, reader.
**Preliminary,** *a.* Introductory, preparatory, prefatory, proemial, prelusive, prelusory, precursory, precursive, initiatory, previous, prior, precedent, antecedent.
**Preliminary,** *n.* Introduction, preparatory step, act, *or* measure. See PRELUDE.
**Prelude,** *n.* Introduction, preparation, prelusion, preliminary, preface, preamble, proem, exordium. See PROLOGUE.
**Prelusive,** } *a.* Introductory, prefatory. See
**Prelusory,** } PRELIMINARY.
**Premature,** *a.* 1. Precocious, too forward, too soon ripe.
2. Unseasonable, too early, untimely, precipitate, hasty, ill-considered, sooner than intended, sooner than due, unmatured.
**Prematurely,** *ad.* Precociously, too early, too soon.
**Premeditate,** *v. a.* Precontrive, plan beforehand, deliberate, deliberately intend, predetermine, predesign, plan, plot, prearrange.
**Premeditation,** *n.* Forethought, previous deliberation, reflection, *or* thought, predetermination, deliberate intent *or* intention, design, distinct purpose.
**Premier,** *n.* Prime minister.
**Premise,** *v. a.* Preface, lay down beforehand, state at the outset, set forth at the beginning, explain previously.
**Premise,** *v. n.* Begin, enter upon the subject, open, set out.
**Premise,** *n.* 1. Antecedent, proposition, ground, argument, support.
2. [*Only in pl.*] Conditions, relations, facts rehearsed, circumstances.
**Premium,** *n.* 1. Reward, recompense, remuneration, meed, guerdon, encouragement, *douceur*, bounty, prize, bonus.
2. Annual rate (*of insurance*), yearly payment.
3. Rate above par, amount over par, enhancement, appreciation.
**Premonish,** *v. a.* Forewarn, caution, warn, give warning to.
**Premonition,** *n.* Caution, warning, indication, foreshadowing, forewarning, sign, omen, presage, portent.
**Premonitory,** *a.* Betokening, indicating, indicative, warning, foretokening.
**Preoccupation,** *n.* 1. Prior occupation, previous occupation, earlier possession.
2. Prepossession.
3. Abstraction, inattention, inadvertence, inadvertency, revery, musing, absence, muse, absence of mind, brown study.
**Preoccupied,** *a.* Inattentive, abstracted, absent, absent-minded, lost, dreaming, musing, in a brown study, unobservant, inadvertent.
**Preordain,** *v. a.* Predetermine, pre-establish, foreordain, predestinate, predestine, foredoom, appoint beforehand.
**Preparation,** *n.* 1. Act of preparing, making ready, arrangement, plan.
2. State of being prepared, preparedness, adaptedness, case, condition, readiness.
3. Combination, confection.
4. Qualification, fitting.
**Preparative,** *a.* Antecedently necessary, preparatory, qualifying, fitting
**Preparative,** *n.* Preparation.
**Preparatory,** *a.* Introductory, preliminary, prefatory, previous, antecedent.
**Prepare,** *v. a.* 1. Fit, adapt, qualify, adjust.
2. Provide, procure, get ready, put in order, arrange, order, make, plan.
**Prepare,** *v. n.* Get ready, put things in order, set one's house in order, make arrangements, make provision, take steps.
**Prepense,** *a.* Devised *or* contrived beforehand, premeditated, aforethought.
**Preponderance,** *n.* 1. Outweighing, preponderating.
2. Superiority of weight, influence, *or* power, ascendency.
**Preponderant,** *a.* Outweighing, overbalancing, preponderating.
**Preponderate,** *v. n.* 1. Weigh the most, exceed in weight.
2. Prevail, be superior, have the superiority, predominate, exceed in influence *or* power, incline to one side.
**Preponderation,** *n.* Outweighing, preponderance.
**Prepossess,** *v. a.* 1. Preoccupy, have prior possession of.
2. Bias, prejudice, give previous inclination to for *or* against.
**Prepossessing,** *a.* Attractive, alluring, engaging, winning, fascinating, taking, captivating, bewitching, winning *or* inviting favor, charming.
**Prepossession,** *n.* 1. Preoccupation, prior possession.
2. Bias, one-sidedness, bent, preconceived opinion, inclination, preconception, prejudgment, prejudice.
**Preposterous,** *a.* 1. Perverted, having the cart before the horse, reversed.
2. Absurd, unreasonable, extravagant, excessive, ridiculous, irrational, foolish, monstrous, exorbitant, perverted, wrong.
**Preposterousness,** *n.* Absurdity, unreasonableness, irrationality, foolishness, folly, extravagance, inconsistency with nature *or* reason.
**Prepuce,** *n.* Foreskin.
**Prerogative,** *n.* Privilege, immunity, right, liberty, franchise, advantage.
**Presage,** *v. a.* 1. Forebode, divine, foreknow, have a presentiment of.
2. Foretell, predict, prophesy, soothsay, bode,

portend, foreshow, indicate, betoken, foretoken, prognosticate, augur. See VATICINATE.

**Presage,** *n.* I. Omen, sign, prognostic, augury, portent, token, boding, foreshowing, indication, auspice.
2. Prophecy, prediction, foreboding, premonition, foreknowledge, presentiment.

**Presbyopia,** } *n.* Far-sightedness, old sight, pres-
**Presbyopy,** } bytia.

**Presbyopic,** *a.* Far-sighted, presbytic, old-sighted, long-sighted.

**Presbytic,** *a.* Far-sighted, presbyopic.

**Prescience,** *n.* Foreknowledge, precognition, foresight, forecast, prevision.

**Prescient,** *a.* Foreknowing, foreseeing.

**Prescribe,** *v. a.* Direct, order, appoint, command, ordain, dictate, enjoin, decree, institute, establish.

**Prescript,** *n.* Direction, decree, rule, ordinance, law, precept, mandate.

**Prescription,** *n.* I. Direction, prescript.
2. Custom, usage.
3. (*Med.*) Recipe.

**Presence,** *n.* I. Nearness, neighborhood, vicinity.
2. Personality.
3. Mien, air, appearance, carriage, port, demeanor.
4. Presence-chamber, state-room.

**Present,** *a.* I. At hand, not absent, near, not away.
2. Instant, current, existing, not past nor future.
3. Quick in emergencies, ready, at hand.
4. Instant, immediate.
5. Propitious, attentive, favorable.
6. Favorably attentive, not heedless, propitious.

**Present,** *n.* Gift, donation, donative, benefaction, offering, gratuity, largess, boon, grant, *douceur.*

**Present,** *v. a.* I. Introduce, make known.
2. Exhibit, offer, bring to notice, set forth.
3. Give, bestow, confer, grant.
4. Hand, put into one's hands, deliver, make over.
5. Proffer, offer openly.
6. Point, level, aim.

**Presentation,** *n.* I. Introduction.
2. Exhibition, representation, show, display, appearance, figure, semblance.
3. Bestowal, donation, giving, offering, gift.

**Presentiment,** *n.* Foreboding, foretaste, forethought, prescience, forecast.

**Presently,** *ad.* Directly, immediately, without delay, forthwith, soon, shortly, pretty soon, in a short time.

**Presentment,** *n.* Appearance, representation.

**Preservation,** *n.* I. Maintenance, conservation, protection.
2. Security, safety, salvation.
3. Integrity, soundness.

**Preservative,** *a.* Conservative, preservatory.

**Preservatory,** *a.* Preservative.

**Preserve,** *v. a.* I. Keep, guard, protect, defend, secure, shield, save
2. Maintain, uphold, sustain, guard, keep.
3. Conserve, keep sound, save from decay.

**Preserve,** *n.* I. Sweetmeat, confect, confection, comfit, confit, confiture, jam, conserve, jelly, marmalade.
2. Enclosure (*for game*).

**Preserver,** *n.* I. Saviour, protector, keeper, defender, guardian, safeguard.
2. Preservative, means of preservation.

**Preside,** *v. n.* Direct, control, govern, act as president.

**Presignify,** *v. a.* Prefigure, foreshow, preshow, foretoken, foreshadow, portend, augur, betoken.

**Press,** *v. a.* I. Compress, squeeze, crowd, crush.
2. Squeeze out, express.
3. Make smooth, smooth, flatten.
4. Embrace closely, hug, clasp.
5. Constrain, compel, force.
6. Enjoin, enforce, urge, inculcate.
7. Straiten, distress.

**Press,** *v. n.* I. Bear heavily, exert pressure, push, bear down, crowd.
2. Hasten, hurry, push, rush.
3. Crowd, throng, force a way.
4. Approach unseasonably *or* importunately.
5. Encroach.

**Press,** *n.* I. Machine for printing, printing-press.
2. Newspaperdom (*colloq.*).
3. Literary publications.
4. Crowd, throng, multitude.
5. Urgency, pressure, hurry.
6. Case, closet, wardrobe, bureau.

**Pressing,** *a.* Urgent, importunate, constraining, distressing.

**Pressure,** *n.* I. Compressing, squeezing, crushing.
2. Influence, constraining force.
3. Urgency, press, hurry.
4. Affliction, grievance, calamity, distress, straits, oppression, difficulty, embarrassment.
5. Impression, stamp, character impressed.

**Prestidigitation,** *n.* Legerdemain, sleight-of-hand, juggling, prestigiation.

**Prestidigitator,** *n.* Juggler, conjurer.

**Presto,** *ad.* Quickly, in haste, immediately, suddenly.

**Presumable,** *a.* Probable, reasonable, likely, credible, that stands to reason.

**Presume,** *v. n.* I. Suppose, conjecture, think, surmise, believe, assume, apprehend, anticipate.
2. Venture, make bold.

**Presume,** *v. a.* Consider, suppose, take for granted.

**Presumption,** *n.* I. Opinion, belief, supposition, conjecture, guess, anticipation, hypothesis, assumption, understanding, condition, concession.
2. Arrogance, forwardness, audacity, boldness, assurance, effrontery, brass, presumptuousness.
3. Probability, ground for believing.

**Presumptive,** *a.* Grounded on probable evidence, probable.

**Presumptive evidence.** (*Law.*) Circumstantial *or* indirect evidence.

**Presumptuous,** *a.* I. Arrogant, bold, forward, presuming, insolent, audacious.
2. Rash, over-confident, foolhardy.
3. Irreverent.

**Presuppose,** *v. a.* Imply as antecedent, assume, presume, surmise, suppose, take for granted.

**Pretence,** *n.* [Written also *Pretense.*] I. Show (*to conceal a thing to be done*), false appearance, seeming, semblance, mask, cloak, color, simulation, affectation.
2. Subterfuge, excuse, pretext, fabrication.
3. Assumption, claim to notice.
4. Pretension, claim.

**Pretend,** *v. a.* I. Feign, affect, simulate, counterfeit, sham.
2. Lay claim to, claim, allege a title to.

**Pretend,** *v. n.* I. Make believe, make a show, profess, feign, sham.
2. Strive after, lay claim to.

**Pretension,** *n.* Claim.

**Pretentious,** *a.* [*Recent.*] Assuming, presuming, conceited, vain, priggish.

**Pretentiousness,** *n.* Assumption, conceit, false assumption, over-assertion.

**Preternatural,** *a.* Irregular (*as being aside from*

*the ordinary course of nature, but not necessarily supernatural or miraculous*), abnormal, anomalous, unnatural, inexplicable, strange, extraordinary.

**Preternaturally,** *ad.* Exceedingly, unusually.

**Pretext,** *n.* Show, appearance, affectation, semblance, guise, cloak, simulation, mask, color, pretence.

**Pretty,** *a.* 1. Pleasing without being striking, moderately beautiful, bonny, beautiful (*without dignity* or *grandeur*), comely, fair.
2. Pleasing, neat, elegant without grandeur.
3. Nice, fine, excellent (*used ironically, meaning the opposite*).
4. Affectedly nice, foppish, affected, petty.

**Pretty,** *ad.* Moderately, tolerably, considerably, in some degree.

**Prevail,** *v. n.* 1. Overcome.
2. Predominate, preponderate, succeed, have the superiority, gain the advantage, be in the ascendant, get the upper hand, carry the day, win the day, gain the day, win the palm.
3. Obtain, have effect, power, *or* influence, have sway, have currency, be in vogue, be rife.

**Prevailing,** *a.* 1. Effectual, dominant, predominant, efficacious, preponderating, persuading, controlling, ruling, overruling, influential, operative, successful.
2. Prevalent, most common, most general.

**Prevail on.** } Persuade (*by argument*), influence, induce.
**Prevail upon.** }

**Prevail with.** Persuade (*by an appeal to the feelings*), influence, induce.

**Prevalence,** } *n.* 1. Superiority, success, predominance, preponderance.
**Prevalency,** }
2. Influence, efficacy, power, force, strength, operation.
3. Universality, wide extension, general reception, general existence.

**Prevalent,** *a.* 1. Superior, predominant, successful, prevailing, efficacious.
2. Prevailing, predominant, most general, extensively existing.

**Prevalently,** *ad.* Powerfully, forcibly.

**Prevaricate,** *v. n.* Quibble, shuffle, cavil, palter, dodge, evade the truth, equivocate, shift.

**Prevarication,** *n.* Equivocation, cavil, quibbling, shuffling.

**Prevenient,** *a.* 1. Preliminary, prefatory, antecedent, initiatory, introductory, going before, preceding.
2. Preventing, preventive.

**Prevent,** *v. a.* Obstruct, stop, hinder, impede, thwart, intercept, preclude, interrupt, obviate, debar.

**Prevention,** *n.* Obstruction, stoppage, hindrance, interruption.

**Preventive,** *a.* Deterrent, tending to prevent.

**Preventive,** *n.* (*Med.*) Prophylactic.

**Previous,** *a.* Antecedent, prior, former, preceding, anterior, foregoing.

**Previously,** *ad.* Before, antecedently, beforehand.

**Prevision,** *n* Foresight, foreknowledge, prescience.

**Prey,** *n.* 1. Plunder, booty, spoil, pillage, rapine, loot.
2. Ravin, food, victim, quarry.
3. Ravage, depredation.
4. Victim.

**Prey on or upon.** 1. Plunder, pillage, rob, despoil.
2. Devour, feed upon.
3. Waste, corrode, waste gradually.

**Price,** *n.* 1. Value (*in money*), cost.
2. Estimation, worth, value, excellence.
3. Recompense, reward, compensation.

**Priceless,** *a.* 1. Invaluable, inestimable, without price.
2. Without value, worthless *or* unsalable, unvalued.

**Prick,** *v. a.* 1. Pierce (*with a small hole*), perforate, puncture.
2. Spur, goad, incite, impel, urge, drive.
3. Sting, wound, pain, hurt, cut.
4. Make acid, acidify.
5. Erect.

**Prick,** *v. n.* Spur, ride, gallop, hasten, post.

**Prick,** *n.* 1. Goad, point.
2. Puncture, perforation, mark (*made by a point*), point.
3. Sharp, stinging pain; remorse, tormenting thought, thorn in the mind.
4. Puncture, wound, sting.

**Prickle,** *n.* Little prick, thorn, spine; small, sharp-pointed projection.

**Prickleback,** *n.* Stickleback.

**Prickly-pear,** *n.* Indian fig (*Cactus opuntia*).

**Prick up the ears.** Listen sharply, attend closely.

**Prickwood,** *n.* Spindle-tree (*Euonymous Europæus*).

**Pride,** *n.* 1. Self-esteem, self-exaltation, self-complacency, self-sufficiency, conceit, vanity.
2. Haughtiness, loftiness, lordliness, superciliousness, assumption, insolence, vain-glory, arrogance, presumption, hauteur.
3. Elevation (*of character*), dignity, lofty self-respect, noble self-esteem.
4. Ornament, decoration, splendor, show, glory.
5. Boast, occasion of pride.
6. Splendid show, ostentation.

**Pride one's self on.** Boast, take pride in, rate highly, glory in, pique one's self on, plume one's self on.

**Priest,** *n.* Clergyman, divine, minister, pastor, parson, ecclesiastic, churchman, presbyter.

**Priestly,** *a.* Sacerdotal.

**Prig,** *n.* Puppy, coxcomb, conceited, pert, *or* pragmatical fellow, fop, jackanapes.

**Priggery,** *n.* Pertness, conceit, coxcombry, priggism.

**Priggish,** *a.* Conceited, affected, prim, pert, saucy, coxcomical, foppish, vain, affected, (*colloq.*).

**Prim,** *a.* Formal, stiff, precise, starch, starched, strait-laced, affectedly nice, demure.

**Prim,** *n.* Privet, print (*Ligustrum vulgare*).

**Primacy,** *n.* 1. Excellency, supremacy.
2. Primateship.

**Prima facie.** [L.] At first sight, on the first view.

**Primal,** *a.* First, original.

**Primarily,** *ad.* Originally, in the first place, in a primary manner.

**Primary,** *a.* 1. Primitive, aboriginal, original, primordial, primeval, pristine, first, earliest.
2. Chief, principal, main.
3. Elementary, preparatory.
4. Radical, original.

**Primate,** *n.* Archbishop, metropolitan.

**Primateship,** *n.* Primacy.

**Prime,** *a.* 1. First, original, primitive, primal, primeval, primordial, pristine, aboriginal.
2. Highest, chief, principal.
3. Early, blooming.
4. First-rate, capital, excellent.

**Prime,** *n.* 1. Beginning, opening, first part, earliest stage, dawn, morning.
2. Youth, spring of life, early days.
3. Perfection, flower, greatest beauty, health, *or* strength, best days, cream.

**Prime minister.** Premier.

**Primeval,** *a.* Original, primitive, primordial, pristine.
**Primitive,** *a.* 1. Original, primeval, primal, primordial, aboriginal, prime, primary, pristine, first.
2. Old-fashioned, quaint, simple, unsophisticated.
3. Original, primary, radical, underived.
4. Formal, solemn, prim, grave.
**Primly,** *ad.* Neatly, precisely.
**Primness,** *n.* Stiffness, formality, affected niceness, preciseness.
**Primogenial,** *a.* [Written also *Primigenial.*] First-born, first-made, original, primary, elemental, primitive.
**Primordial,** *a.* Original, first in order. See PRIMITIVE.
**Primrose,** *a.* Flowery, gay.
**Prince,** *n.* 1. Sovereign, ruler, monarch, potentate.
2. Sovereign's son (*especially the eldest son*).
3. Chief, leader, potentate.
**Princely,** *a.* 1. Royal, regal, imperial.
2. August, grand, royal, magnificent, superb, splendid, pompous, majestic, noble.
3. Stately, dignified, high-minded, noble, lofty, elevated.
**Princess,** *n.* 1. Female ruler.
2. Sovereign's daughter.
3. Prince's consort.
**Principal,** *a.* Chief, main, first, highest, leading, foremost, pre-eminent, cardinal, most considerable, most important, great, capital, essential.
**Principal,** *n.* 1. Chief, head, leader, chief actor, chief party.
2. Master, head-master.
3. Employer.
4. Capital sum (*placed at interest*).
**Principally,** *ad.* Chiefly, mainly, especially, particularly, above all.
**Principia,** *n. pl.* First principles, elements, fundamental beginnings.
**Principle,** *n.* Origin, source, cause, original cause, spring, mainspring, fountain, groundwork, prime mover, fountain-head.
2. Element, substratum, fundamental *or* primordial substance.
3. Postulate, axiom, maxim, law, elementary proposition, fundamental truth.
4. Doctrine, tenet, dogma, opinion, rule of action, law of conduct.
5. Ground, motive, reason.
6. Integrity, uprightness, rectitude, probity, honesty, virtue, righteousness, incorruptibility, goodness, trustworthiness, trustiness, worth, honor.
7. Faculty, power, endowment of the soul.
**Prink,** *v. a.* Deck, adorn, decorate.
**Prink,** *v. n.* Spruce, dress finically *or* ostentatiously, prank.
**Print,** *v. a.* 1. Impress, imprint, press.
2. Make an impress *or* impression of.
3. Stamp, form by impression.
**Print,** *n.* 1. Impression, impress, mark, stamp, indentation.
2. Mark, vestige, stamp.
3. Engraving.
4. Newspaper, journal.
5. Calico, printed cotton cloth.
**Printing,** *n.* Typography.
**Prior,** *a.* Former, preceding, earlier, previous, anterior, antecedent, precedent, foregoing, precursory.
**Priority,** *n.* Antecedence, anteriority, precedence.
**Priory,** *n.* Convent, cloister, monastery, nunnery.
**Prismatic spectrum.** Solar spectrum.
**Prison,** *n.* Jail, gaol, penitentiary, bridewell, workhouse, house of correction.
**Prisoner,** *n.* Captive.
**Pristine,** *a.* Primitive, primary, original, ancient, old, former, primeval, primordial, first.
**Prithee.** [For *I pray thee.*] Pray, please, do, vouchsafe, be so good as, have the goodness, be good enough, I beseech you.
**Privacy,** *n.* 1. Secrecy, concealment.
2. Retreat, retirement, seclusion, solitude.
**Private,** *a.* 1. Secluded, retired, sequestered, solitary.
2. Individual, personal, special, peculiar, particular.
3. Privy.
4. Confidential, not to be disclosed *or* communicated.
5. Unofficial.
6. Secret, concealed, hidden, clandestine.
**Private,** *n.* (*Mil.*) Common soldier.
**Privately,** *ad.* 1. Secretly.
2. Personally, individually.
**Private parts.** Genitals, sexual organs.
**Privation,** *n.* 1. Deprivation, loss, bereavement.
2. Destitution, want, need, necessity, distress.
3. Absence, negation.
4. Degradation.
**Privet,** *n.* Prim, print (*Ligustrum vulgare*).
**Privilege,** *n.* Prerogative, right, claim, advantage, franchise, liberty, immunity.
**Privilege,** *v. a.* 1. Exempt, deliver, set apart.
2. Grant (*some particular exemption*), invest (*with some peculiar right*).
**Privily,** *ad.* Privately, secretly.
**Privity,** *n.* 1. Knowledge, cognizance, private concurrence.
2. Private matter, secret.
**Privy,** *a.* 1. Individual, special, private, personal, peculiar, particular.
2. Secret, clandestine.
3. Cognizant of, acquainted with.
4. Private, retired, sequestered.
**Privy,** *n.* Necessary, back-house, jakes, water-closet.
**Prize,** *n.* 1. Reward, premium, guerdon, meed; (*pl.*) honors; laurels, palm, trophy.
2. Capture.
3. Privilege, gain, advantage.
**Prize,** *v. a.* 1. Estimate, rate, appraise.
2. Esteem, value highly.
**Pro and con.** For and against.
**Probability,** *n.* 1. Likelihood, presumption, appearance of truth, fair chance, favorable chance.
2. Verisimilitude, likeliness, credibleness.
**Probable,** *a.* Likely, presumable, credible, reasonable, to be expected, that stands to reason.
**Probably,** *ad.* Apparently, to all appearance, in all probability, in likelihood, with appearance of truth.
**Probation,** *n.* 1. Novitiate.
2. Moral trial, ordeal, test, essay.
3. Examination, trial.
4. Proof.
**Probationer,** *n.* Novice.
**Probe,** *v. a.* Prove, test, verify, investigate, scrutinize, examine, search, sound, explore, sift, look into.
**Probity,** *n.* Integrity, uprightness, honesty, worth, rectitude, virtue, goodness, righteousness, trustworthiness, trustiness, principle, sincerity, truthfulness, veracity, honor, conscientiousness, justice, equity, fairness, incorruptibility, soundness.
**Problem,** *n.* Question (*to be solved*), enigma, puzzle, riddle, moot point, point in dispute, point to be solved *or* settled, question at issue, vexed question.

**Problematic,** } *a.* Uncertain, doubtful, dubious,
**Problematical,** } questionable, disputable, enigmatical, puzzling, unsettled.
**Proboscis,** *n.* Snout, trunk.
**Procedure,** *n.* 1. Conduct, practice, course, process, management, operation, manner of proceeding.
2. Act, transaction, deed, action, performance, proceeding, measure, step.
**Proceed,** *v. n.* 1. Progress, advance, continue, go *or* pass on, move forward, make progress, get on, push on, go ahead, get ahead, make headway, get forward, get along, hold *or* keep one's course.
2. Arise, spring, come, issue, emanate, originate, flow, follow, result, ensue, accrue, come out, go forth, be derived, be caused, take rise, be owing, be due, be produced.
3. Act, conduct one's self, take steps, take measures, set to work, go about anything, act by method, promote a design.
**Proceeding,** *n.* Act, deed, transaction, action, measure, performance, step, procedure, course.
**Proceeds,** *n. pl.* Product, produce, effect, income, yield, receipts, returns, avails.
**Process,** *n.* 1. Course, progress, advance, continued movement, train.
2. Operation, procedure, proceeding, action, performance, step, transaction, measure, conduct, management, series of measures, mode of operation, course, continuous experiment.
3. (*Law.*) Suit, trial, action, case.
4. (*Anat.*) Projection, protuberance.
**Procession,** *n.* Train, retinue, cavalcade, march, file, *cortège*.
**Proclaim,** *v. a.* 1. Announce, publish, declare, promulgate, advertise, trumpet, broach, cry, make known, blaze abroad, spread abroad, noise abroad, bruit, give notice of, make proclamation of.
2. Outlaw (*by public denunciation*).
**Proclaimer,** *n.* Promulgator.
**Proclamation,** *n.* 1. Announcement, publication, promulgation, advertisement, declaration, blazon.
2. Edict, decree, ordinance, ban, manifesto.
**Proclivity,** *n.* 1. Inclination, tendency, proneness, propensity, bias, disposition, leaning, bent, predisposition, direction, determination, bearing, drift, turn.
2. Readiness, aptitude, facility.
**Procrastinate,** *v. a.* Defer, delay, postpone, adjourn, put off, prolong, protract, retard.
**Procrastinate,** *v. n.* Delay, lag, loiter, be dilatory.
**Procrastination,** *n.* Dilatoriness, putting off, delay, tardiness, slowness.
**Procreant,** *a.* Producing young, procreating.
**Procreate,** *v. a.* Generate, engender, beget, breed, propagate.
**Procreation,** *n.* Generation, begetting, production.
**Procreator,** *n.* Generator, father, sire, begetter.
**Procumbent,** *a.* Prone, lying down *or* on the face, prostrate, leaning forward, stooping.
**Procurable,** *a.* Obtainable, acquirable.
**Procuration,** *n.* 1. Agency, management.
2. Authority as an agent, authority to act for another.
**Procurator,** *n.* (*Law.*) Agent, proxy, deputy, representative, proctor, attorney, solicitor.
**Procure,** *v. a.* 1. Get, acquire, obtain, gain.
2. Contrive, compass, cause, effect, bring about.
3. Attract, bring on.
**Procurement,** *n.* Management, contrivance, agency, intervention, procuration.
**Procurer,** *n.* Pimp, pander, bawd.
**Prodigal,** *a.* Wasteful, lavish, extravagant, profuse.
**Prodigal,** *n.* Spendthrift, waster, squanderer.
**Prodigality,** *n.* Wastefulness, extravagance, excess, profusion, lavishness, unthriftiness, squandering, waste.
**Prodigious,** *a.* 1. Marvellous, wonderful, portentous, amazing, astonishing, surprising, astounding, strange, startling, extraordinary, uncommon, wondrous, miraculous, very strange, unheard of.
2. Enormous, monstrous, huge.
**Prodigy,** *n.* 1. Marvel, portent, wonder, miracle.
2. Monster, monstrosity, unnatural product.
**Produce,** *v. a.* 1. Exhibit, show, bring forward, bring out, bring into view.
2. Generate, bring into being, bear, furnish, yield, bring forth, breed.
3. Cause, occasion, originate, make, create, effect, give rise to, bring about.
4. Yield, bear, give, afford, render, make accrue, impart.
5. Extend, protract, prolong, draw out, lengthen.
6. Manufacture, make.
**Produce,** *n.* 1. See PRODUCT.
2. Agricultural products.
**Producer,** *n.* Farmer, husbandman, agriculturist.
**Product,** *n.* 1. Produce, yield, proceeds, returns, crops, harvest, fruits, production, outcome.
2. Result, effect, work, fruit, production, performance, issue, consequence.
**Productile,** *a.* Extensible, ductile.
**Production,** *n.* 1. Produce, product, fruit.
2. Work.
3. Prolongation, extension, lengthening.
**Productive,** *a.* 1. Fertile, prolific, fruitful.
2. Efficient, causative, producing, bringing into being.
**Proem,** *n.* Preface, introduction, prelude, exordium, prolegomena, preliminary remarks.
**Proemial,** *a.* Introductory, prefatory, preliminary, precursory.
**Profanation,** *n.* 1. Desecration, violation.
2. Misuse, abuse, pollution.
**Profane,** *a.* 1. Irreverent, irreligious, blasphemous, wicked, sacrilegious, impious, ungodly, godless.
2. Unhallowed, impure, polluted, unholy, unconsecrated, unsanctified.
3. Secular, not sacred, temporal, worldly.
**Profane,** *v. a.* 1. Desecrate, pollute, violate.
2. Abuse, debase.
**Profaneness,** *n.* See PROFANITY.
**Profanity,** *n.* 1. Irreverence, profaneness, blasphemy.
2. Profane language, blasphemy.
**Profess,** *v. a.* 1. Avow, acknowledge, own, confess, declare, affirm, avouch, aver, allege, proclaim.
2. Pretend, lay claim to.
**Profess,** *v. n.* Confess, declare openly.
**Profession,** *n.* 1. Declaration, avowal, assertion, claim, acknowledgment.
2. Declaration, representation, protestation, pretence.
3. Employment (*that requires a learned education*), calling, occupation, business, vocation, office, avocation.
**Proffer,** *v. a.* Tender, offer, volunteer.
**Proffer,** *n.* Tender, offer, proposal.
**Proficiency,** } *n.* 1. Advancement, improve-
**Proficience,** } ment, forwardness.
2. Skill, mastery.
**Proficient,** *a.* Skilled, skilful, conversant, competent, well-versed, qualified, practised, trained

accomplished, able, thoroughbred, finished, good, at home, *au fait.*

**Proficient,** *n.* Adept, expert, master, dab, master-hand.

**Profile,** *n.* I. Side face, side view, half face.
2. Outline, contour.

**Profit,** *n.* I. Gain, produce, emolument, return, avails.
2. Advantage, benefit, service, weal, utility, accession of good, improvement, advancement.

**Profit,** *v. n.* I. Improve, gain, advance, make improvement, gain advantage.
2. Bring good, be of use *or* advantage.

**Profitable,** *a.* I. Gainful, advantageous, productive, beneficial, useful, desirable.
2. Lucrative, remunerative.

**Profitableness,** *n.* Gainfulness, usefulness, advantageousness.

**Profitably,** *ad.* Gainfully, usefully, advantageously.

**Profitless,** *a.* Useless, worthless, fruitless, bootless, unprofitable, valueless, of no use, void of profit.

**Profligacy,** *n.* Dissoluteness, depravity, shameless vice, shamelessness, reprobation, profligateness.

**Profligate,** *a.* Depraved, corrupt, immoral, vitiated, dissolute, corrupted, very wicked, graceless, very vicious, shameless, abandoned, lost to virtue.

**Profligate,** *n.* Debauchee, rake, libertine, man of pleasure, reprobate, *roué.*

**Profound,** *a.* I. Deep, fathomless, abysmal.
2. Penetrating, sagacious, skilled, intellectually deep.
3. Lively, vivid, strong, deep-felt, far-reaching, touching.
4. Lowly, humble, submissive, low-bending, very low.
5. Mysterious, occult, abstruse, obscure, recondite.
6. Thorough, complete.
7. Deep-fetched.

**Profound,** *n.* I. The deep, the abyss.
2. Sea, ocean.

**Profundity,** *n.* Depth, deepness, profoundness.

**Profuse,** *a.* I. Lavish, prodigal, improvident, extravagant, wasteful, too liberal, too bountiful.
2. Exuberant, over-abounding, in profusion, bountiful.

**Profuseness,** *n.* See PROFUSION.

**Profusion,** *n.* I. Lavishness, excess, prodigality, extravagance, waste, profuseness.
2. Abundance, exuberance, plenty.

**Progenitor,** *n.* Ancestor, forefather.

**Progeny,** *n.* Offspring, children, issue, descendants, race, breed, stock, lineage, young, scion, offshoot, posterity.

**Prognosis,** *n.* (*Med.*) Prophasis.

**Prognostic,** *a.* Foreshowing, foretokening.

**Prognostic,** *n.* I. Sign, token, presage, omen, indication, augury, foreboding, prognostication.
2. Foretelling, prediction, prophecy.
3. Symptom, indication.

**Prognosticate,** *v. a.* I. Foretell, predict, prophesy.
2. Foreshadow, indicate, portend, augur, foreshow, foretoken, betoken, forebode, presage.

**Prognostication,** *n.* I. Act of prognosticating, foreshowing, foretelling, presage, prediction.
2. Augury, prediction, vaticination, prophecy, indication, foretoken, previous sign, portent, foreboding.

**Programme,** *n.* Order of exercises, advertisement, notice, plan (*of public performance*).

**Progress,** *n.* I. Advancement, advance, progression, movement forward.
2. Growth, increase, improvement, development.
3. Journey of state, circuit.

**Progress,** *v. n.* I. Advance, proceed.
2. Take head, make headway, work one's way, make one's way, make progress, proceed, continue onward.

**Progression,** *n.* I. Advancement, advance, progress.
2. Course, passage, lapse *or* process of time.
3. Series, gradation, rate.

**Progressive,** *a.* I. Advancing, proceeding.
2. Improving, developing.

**Prohibit,** *v. a.* I. Hinder, prevent, debar, preclude.
2. Forbid, inhibit, disallow, interdict.

**Prohibition,** *n.* Interdiction, interdict, inhibition, disallowance, embargo, ban.

**Prohibitive,** / **Prohibitory,** } *a.* Restrictive, prohibiting, forbidding.

**Project,** *v. a.* I. Throw, cast, throw out, shoot forward.
2. Scheme, devise, contrive, frame, intend, plan, plot, concoct, brew.
3. Delineate (*as a sphere upon a plane*), draw, exhibit.

**Project,** *v. n.* Protrude, jut, bulge, jut out, stand out, be prominent, shoot forward.

**Project,** *n.* Plan, scheme, contrivance, device, design, proposal, purpose.

**Projectile,** *n.* Missile.

**Projection,** *n.* I. Propulsion, throwing, emission.
2. Planning, designing, contriving, scheming.
3. Prominence, protuberance, bulge, process, extension.
4. Plan, delineation, map.

**Projector,** *n.* Schemer, designer, planner, contriver, inventor.

**Prolegomena,** *n. pl.* Introduction, preface, prelude, prologue, preamble, proem, preliminary remarks.

**Prolétaire,** *n.* [Fr.] Proletarian, one of the common people.

**Proletarian,** *a.* Mean, vulgar, vile, plebeian.

**Proletariat,** *n.* Laboring class, the commonalty, the lower classes.

**Proletary,** *n.* Churl, lout, clown, boor, laboring man, common person, one of the lower orders.

**Prolific,** *a.* Fruitful, fertile, productive, generative, teeming.

**Prolix,** *a.* I. Diffuse, wordy, verbose, circumlocutory, prosaic, loose, long, lengthy, lengthened out, full of detail, prolonged, protracted, long-spun, spun-out, long-winded, discursive, rambling, not concise.
2. Tiresome, tedious, wearisome.

**Prolixity,** *n.* Diffuseness, prolixness, verbosity, tedious length, minute detail.

**Prolixness,** *n.* Prolixity.

**Prolocutor,** *n.* Speaker, spokesman, chairman.

**Prologue,** *n.* Introduction (*to a play*), preface.

**Prolong,** *v. a.* I. Lengthen, protract, continue lengthen in time.
2. Put off, postpone, defer.
3. Extend.

**Prolongation,** *n.* I. Protraction, lengthening.
2. Delay, postponement.
3. Extension.

**Prolusion,** *n.* I. Prelude, introduction, preliminary.
2. Essay, trial.

**Promenade,** *n.* I. Walk, stroll.
2. Walk, sidewalk, place for walking.

**Promenade,** *v. n.* Take a walk.

**Promethean,** *a.* Life-giving, inspiring.

**Prominence,** *n.* I. Protuberance, projection, bulge, process.

2. Conspicuousness, eminence, distinction, celebrity, fame.

**Prominent,** *a.* 1. Protuberant, projecting, jutting, relieved, embossed.
2. Conspicuous, eminent, celebrated, distinguished, famous.
3. Distinctly manifest, conspicuous, important, principal, main.

**Promiscuous,** *a.* 1. Mixed, mingled, miscellaneous, indiscriminate, confused.
2. Indiscriminate, common.

**Promise,** *n.* 1. Word, engagement, assurance, pledge.
2. Ground *or* basis of hope, earnest, pledge.
3. Bestowal, fulfilment, grant of what is promised.

**Promise,** *v. a.* 1. Pledge, engage, covenant.
2. Give expectation of, excite a hope of, assure.
3. Pledge, engage to bestow.

**Promise,** *v. n.* Engage, agree, stipulate, bargain, be sworn, pledge one's self, plight one's word, pass one's word, give assurance, make an agreement, tie one's self.

**Promising,** *a.* Encouraging, giving ground of hope.

**Promissory note.** Note of hand, promise to pay.

**Promontory,** *n.* Headland, foreland, high cape, jutland.

**Promote,** *v. a.* 1. Forward, advance, further, encourage, help, assist, aid.
2. Elevate, exalt, raise, prefer, dignify.
3. Excite, stir up.

**Promotion,** *n.* 1. Furtherance, encouragement, advancement.
2. Elevation, preferment.

**Prompt,** *a.* 1. Ready, quick, apt, alert, active.
2. Ready, willing.
3. Quick, ready.
4. Hasty, forward, quick.
5. Inclined, disposed, apt, propense.
6. Early, timely, punctual.

**Prompt,** *v. a.* 1. Incite, induce, stimulate, impel, incline, dispose, urge, set on, draw on, instigate
2. Put in mind, give the cue to, assist (*a speaker*), remind.
3. Dictate, suggest, hint.

**Promptitude,** *n.* See PROMPTNESS.

**Promptness,** *n.* Readiness, quickness, alacrity, alertness, promptitude, activity, quickness of decision.

**Promulgate,** *v. a.* Publish, announce, proclaim, declare, advertise, bruit, trumpet, make known, blaze abroad, spread abroad, noise abroad, give notice of, make promulgation of, divulge.

**Promulgation,** *n.* Announcement, advertisement, publication, declaration, proclamation.

**Prone,** *a.* 1. Prostrate (*with the face downward*), recumbent, lying flat.
2. Sloping, inclining, inclined, declivous.
3. Disposed, inclined, tending, bent, apt, propense.
4. Bending forward, inclined, bowed.
5. Ready, eager.
6. Headlong, running downward *or* headlong.

**Proneness,** *n.* 1. Disposition, tendency, proclivity, inclination, bias, bent, propensity, aptness, turn, leaning, predisposition, ply.
2. Descent, declivity.

**Prononcé,** *a.* Strongly marked, decided.

**Pronounce,** *v. a.* 1. Utter (*with proper accent and tone*), speak, enunciate, articulate.
2. Declare, affirm, assert, announce.
3. Deliver (*as an oration*).

**Pronunciamento,** *n.* Proclamation, announcement, declaration, manifesto, pronouncement.

**Pronunciation,** *n.* 1. Utterance, enunciation, articulation.
2. Delivery.

**Proof,** *n.* 1. Test, trial, essay, ordeal, examination.
2. Demonstration, certification, attestation, satisfactory evidence, confirmation, testimony.
3. Proof-sheet, trial impression.

**Proof,** *a.* Firm, steadfast, stable, fixed, impenetrable.

**Proof-sheet,** *n.* Proof.

**Prop,** *v. a.* Support, sustain, uphold, hold up, shore up.

**Prop,** *n.* 1. Support, stay, brace.
2. Buttress, strut, pin, shore, fulcrum, stay, brace.

**Propagate,** *v. a.* 1. Multiply, increase, continue.
2. Spread, diffuse, disseminate, circulate, extend, spread abroad, promulgate, promote.
3. Generate, beget, engender, procreate, breed, produce, bring into being, originate.

**Propagation,** *n.* 1. Multiplication, increase, continuance.
2. Dissemination, diffusion, extension, enlargement, circulation.
3. Generation, procreation, breeding, production.

**Propel,** *v. a.* Impel, drive forward, push forward, urge on.

**Propeller,** *n.* Screw, screw-steamer.

**Propensity,** *n.* Inclination, proneness, disposition, bias, proclivity, ply.

**Proper,** *a.* 1. Particular, peculiar, individual, special, specific.
2. Fit, fitting, befitting, suitable, appropriate, meet, seemly, convenient, adapted, becoming, right, legitimate.
3. Exact, accurate, precise, correct, just, formal.
4. Real, actual, properly so called.
5. Decent, respectable.
6. Own, belonging to.
7. Natural, original.

**Properly,** *ad.* 1. Fitly, suitably.
2. Strictly, in a strict sense.

**Property,** *n.* 1. Quality, attribute, peculiarity, characteristic.
2. Wealth, estate, goods, possessions, one's own, thing owned.
3. Ownership, exclusive right.
4. Character, disposition.
5. Participation.

**Prophasis,** *n.* (*Med.*) Prognosis, foreknowledge (*of a disease*).

**Prophecy,** *n.* 1. Prediction, prognostication, vaticination, foretelling, divination, augury, portent.
2. Preaching, exhortation, instruction.

**Prophesy,** *v. a.* Predict, foretell, prognosticate, divine, augur, premonish.

**Prophet,** *n.* Predicter, foreteller, seer, soothsayer.

**Prophetic,** *a.* Predictive, foretelling, predicting, fatidical.

**Prophylactic,** *a.* (*Med.*) Preventive, preservative, synteretic.

**Prophylactic,** *n.* (*Med.*) Preventive, preservative.

**Propinquity,** *n.* 1. Nearness, proximity, vicinity, neighborhood, contiguity, adjacence.
2. Kindred, affinity, nearness of blood, relationship, consanguinity, connection.

**Propitiate,** *v. a.* Conciliate, appease, pacify, reconcile, gain the favor of, make propitious, make favorable.

**Propitiate,** *v. n.* Atone, make propitiation, satisfy.

**Propitiation,** *n.* 1. Conciliation, reconciliation, pacification.
2. Atonement, expiation, satisfaction, reparation, atoning sacrifice.

**Propitiatory,** *a.* Conciliatory, expiatory.
**Propitious,** *a.* **1.** Gracious, benevolent, benign, kind, favorable, friendly, merciful, ready to bless.
**2.** Auspicious, lucky, happy, fortunate, favorable, well-disposed, opportune, prosperous, promising, in a fair way.
**Propitiousness,** *n.* **1.** Kindness, disposition to forgive.
**2.** Favorableness.
**Proportion,** *n.* **1.** Arrangement, relation, adaptation (*of parts*).
**2.** Distribution, adjustment, symmetry, symmetrical relation.
**3.** Share, lot, part, portion.
**Proportion,** *v. a.* **1.** Adjust (*in proper relations*), regulate, graduate, put in proportion.
**2.** Form, shape with symmetry *or* suitableness.
**3.** Equal, bear proportion to.
**Proportionable,** *a.* **1.** Proportional, corresponding.
**2.** Well-proportioned, symmetrical.
**Proportionably,** *ad.* See PROPORTIONALLY.
**Proportional,** *a.* Proportionate, proportionable, symmetrical, corresponding
**Proportionally,** *ad.* Proportionably, proportionately, in proportion, in due degree.
**Proportionate,** *a.* See PROPORTIONAL.
**Proportionately,** *ad.* See PROPORTIONALLY.
**Proposal,** *n.* Offer (*of something to be done*), proffer, tender, suggestion, proposition, scheme, design, terms proposed, overture.
**Propose,** *v. a.* Offer (*for consideration*), proffer, tender, present, suggest, recommend, move.
**Propose,** *v. n.* Intend, design, mean, purpose, have the intention, propose to one's self, declare a purpose.
**Proposition,** *n.* **1.** Offer (*of something to be considered*), proffer, tender, overture, suggestion, proposal.
**2.** Position, thesis, statement, declaration, dictum, assertion, affirmation, doctrine.
**3.** (*Log.*) Period, complete sentence.
**Propound,** *v. a.* Exhibit, propose, lay before, offer.
**Proprietary,** *n.* See PROPRIETOR.
**Proprietor,** *n.* Possessor, owner, proprietary.
**Propriety,** *n.* **1.** Fitness (*to a proper standard* or *rule*), appropriateness, suitableness, seemliness, justness, correctness, accuracy, consonance, adaptation, reasonableness.
**2.** Decorum, decency, good behavior, proper formality, modesty.
**Propulsive,** *a.* Propelling, driving on, urging on.
**Propylæum,** *n.* Entrance-court, vestibule, porch.
**Pro rata.** [L.] Proportionally, proportionably, proportionately, in proportion.
**Prorogation,** *n.* Adjournment, postponement, continuance.
**Prorogue,** *v. a.* Adjourn (*as Parliament*).
**Prosaic,** / **Prosaical,** } *a.* **1.** Prosy, unpoetical.
**2.** Dull, flat, stupid, uninteresting, unentertaining, tiresome, tedious, prolix, prosing, vapid, tame, humdrum, matter-of-fact, commonplace.
**Proscribe,** *v. a.* **1.** Banish, exile, ostracize, expel, doom, outlaw.
**2.** Exclude, interdict, prohibit, forbid.
**3.** Denounce, censure, condemn, reject utterly.
**Proscription,** *n.* **1.** Banishment, exile, outlawry, ostracism, expulsion.
**2.** Exclusion, interdiction, prohibition, outlawry.
**3.** Denunciation, censure, condemnation.
**Prose,** *a.* Plain, dull, unromantic, prosaic.
**Prosecute,** *v. a.* **1.** Pursue, continue, follow out, carry out, carry on, persevere in, conduct.
**2.** Arraign, take the law of, bring before a court, sue.
**3.** Sue, seek to obtain by legal process.
**Prosecution,** *n.* **1.** Pursuit, undertaking.
**2.** Arraignment, bringing to trial.
**3.** Suit, legal process.
**Prosecutor,** *n.* Plaintiff, accuser.
**Proselyte,** *n.* Convert, catechumen, neophyte.
**Proser,** *n.* Bore, buttonholder, tedious narrator.
**Prosopopœia,** *n.* (*Rhet.*) Personification.
**Prospect,** *n.* **1.** View, survey, display, sight, scene, field, landscape, show, spectacle, vision, vista, perspective.
**2.** Landscape, scenery, picture.
**3.** Expectation, anticipation, contemplation, calculation, expectance, foreseeing, promise, foresight, presumption, hope, trust.
**4.** Probability, likelihood.
**Prospective,** *a.* Future, coming.
**Prospectively,** *ad.* In the future, hereafter, in prospect.
**Prospectus,** *n.* Plan (*of a literary work*), outline, scheme, programme, announcement.
**Prosper,** *v. a.* Favor, befriend, aid, forward, help, make successful.
**Prosper,** *v. n.* Flourish, thrive, succeed, make gain, go on well, be successful.
**Prosperity,** *n.* Success, thrift, welfare, happiness, well-being, weal, luck, good fortune, good luck, prosperousness, run of luck, palmy days, halcyon days, smiles of fortune.
**Prosperous,** *a.* **1.** Successful, thriving, flourishing, fortunate, lucky, happy, well off, well to do.
**2.** Favorable, propitious, auspicious, good, golden, bright, fortunate, lucky.
**Prostitute,** *v. a.* Misuse, abuse, misapply, pervert, make a bad use of.
**Prostitute,** *n.* See STRUMPET.
**Prostitution,** *n.* **1.** Misuse, abuse, perversion, profanation.
**2.** Unlawful sexual intercourse (*on the part of a woman, for hire*), harlotry.
**Prostrate,** *a.* **1.** Prostrated, prone, stretched out, flat, fallen.
**2.** (*Bot.*) Procumbent.
**Prostrate,** *v. a.* **1.** Overthrow, overturn, level, fell, demolish, destroy, ruin, throw down, lay flat.
**2.** Exhaust, reduce, overcome, depress, bring low.
**Prostration,** *n.* **1.** Overthrow, destruction, demolition.
**2.** Exhaustion, depression, dejection.
**Prosy,** *a.* **1.** Prosaic, unpoetical.
**2.** Dull, flat, stupid, uninteresting, unentertaining, tiresome, tedious.
**Protean,** *a.* Changeable, variable.
**Protect,** *v. a.* Defend (*by a covering*), guard, cover, shield, fortify, screen, shelter, house, preserve, secure, save, harbor, countenance, patronize, foster.
**Protection,** *n.* **1.** Shelter, defence, security, safety, refuge, guard, preservation.
**2.** Shield, ægis, buckler, palladium, bulwark, safeguard.
**3.** Passport, safeguard.
**Protective,** *a.* Defensive, sheltering, affording protection.
**Protector,** *n.* Guardian, defender.
**Pro tempore.** [L.] For the time, for the time being, for the present occasion, temporary.
**Protest,** *v. n.* Declare (*solemnly*), aver, affirm, assert, asseverate, avow, profess, attest, testify.
**Protest,** *v. a.* Declare (*solemnly*), assert, affirm, asseverate.
**Protest,** *n.* Declaration (*made in a formal manner against something*).

**Protestation,** *n.* 1. Declaration, asseveration, affirmation, averment, avowal.
2. Declaration of dissent, protest.
**Protoplast,** *n.* Original, first individual of a species.
**Prototype,** *n.* Original, original pattern, model, type, exemplar, example, archetype, protoplast.
**Protract,** *v. a.* 1. Prolong, continue, lengthen (*in time*), spin out.
2. Lengthen, prolong (*in space*).
3. Delay, put off, postpone, defer.
**Protrude,** *v. a.* 1. Shoot out, thrust forward, push forth.
2. Beetle, jut out, hang over.
**Protrude,** *v. n.* Project, jut, bulge, jut out, stand out.
**Protrusion,** *n.* Projection, protuberance.
**Protuberance,** *n.* Prominence, projection, swelling, bulge, process, excrescence, lump, elevation, bunch *or* knob.
**Protuberant,** *a.* Projecting, prominent, bulging, swelling.
**Proud,** *a.* 1. Conceited, over-weening, self-satisfied, vain, contented, self-conscious, egotistical, assuming.
2. Arrogant, haughty, imperious, supercilious, presumptuous, lordly, lofty, vain-glorious, boastful, high-spirited, high-strung.
3. Grand, stately, noble, imposing, magnificent, splendid, ostentatious, lofty.
**Prove,** *v. a.* 1. Demonstrate, show, manifest, confirm, establish, evidence, evince, substantiate, ascertain, justify, verify, make good.
2. Try, test, examine, make trial of, assay, put to the test, experiment upon, submit to the test *or* proof.
3. Experience, suffer.
**Prove,** *v. n.* 1. Turn out, be found to be.
2. Essay, make trial.
3. Make certain.
**Provender,** *n.* Dry food (*as hay, corn, etc., for brutes*), fodder, forage.
**Proverb,** *n.* 1. Adage, maxim, saying, dictum, saw, aphorism, apothegm, by-word.
2. By-word, expression of contempt.
**Proverbial,** *a.* Notorious, current, acknowledged, unquestioned.
**Provide,** *v. a.* 1. Prepare, procure, get ready, make ready, arrange, collect for use.
2. Supply, furnish, contribute, yield, produce, afford.
3. [Followed by *with.*] Furnish, supply.
**Provide,** *v. n.* 1. Cater, furnish supplies.
2. Take measures, make provision, prepare, arrange.
3. Stipulate, bargain, contract, engage, agree, covenant
**Provided,** *conj.* If, on condition, with the understanding, granted, supposing, on these terms, by stipulation.
**Providence,** *n.* 1. Divine government, divine superintendence.
2. God.
3. Prudence, foresight, caution, consideration.
4. Frugality, economy.
**Provident,** *a.* 1. Careful (*for the future*), prudent, discreet, cautious, forecasting, foreseeing, considerate.
2. Frugal, economical.
**Province,** *n.* 1. Territory, region, tract, domain, district, section, large extent.
2. Dependency, colony.
3. Business, employment, function, duty, charge, calling, office, part, post, capacity, department, sphere.
4. Division, department.
**Provincial,** *a.* 1. Of a province, of provinces.
2. Appendant, annexed, outlying.
3. Rude, unpolished, unrefined, rustic, countrified, rural, bucolic.
**Provision,** *n.* 1. Providing, anticipation.
2. Preparation, provident measures *or* steps, provident care, arrangement.
3. Stock, store, hoard, fund, supply, supplies.
4. Proviso, stipulation, clause, condition, previous agreement.
**Provisional,** *a.* Temporary, provisory.
**Provisionally,** *ad.* Temporarily, for the present occasion, for the present exigency.
**Provisions,** *n. pl.* Food, victuals, provender, fare, eatables, viands, supplies.
**Proviso,** *n.* Condition, provision, clause, conditional stipulation.
**Provisory,** *a.* 1. Conditional, hypothetical.
2. Temporary, provisional.
**Provocation,** *n.* 1. Incitement, stimulus, stimulant, incentive, provocative.
2. Affront, offence, indignity, insult.
3. Vexation, angering.
**Provocative,** *a.* Stimulating, exciting, inciting, provoking.
**Provocative,** *n.* Stimulant, stimulus, incentive, provocation.
**Provoke,** *v. a.* 1. Excite, stimulate, arouse, rouse, awaken, incite, move, kindle, inflame, animate, instigate, impel, stir up, work up, induce.
2. Exasperate, incense, enrage, chafe, vex, aggravate, anger, irritate, exacerbate, nettle, offend, affront, infuriate, give offence *or* umbrage to, put out, put out of humor, work into a passion, raise one's ire, make one's blood boil.
3. Cause, promote, occasion, instigate, call forth, produce.
**Provoking,** *a.* Irritating, vexing, vexatious, annoying, tormenting, aggravating, offensive.
**Prow,** *n.* Bow, beak.
**Prowess,** *n.* Bravery, valor, intrepidity, courage, gallantry, heroism, fearlessness, daring.
**Prowl,** *v. n.* 1. Rove, roam, wander.
2. Prey, plunder.
**Proximate,** *a.* Next, nearest, immediate, closest, direct.
**Proximity,** *n.* 1. Nearness.
2. Nearness, contiguity, adjacency, vicinity, vicinage, neighborhood.
**Proximo,** *n.* [L.] Next month.
**Proxy,** *n.* Substitute, agent, deputy, delegate, representative, *locum tenens*, attorney, commissioner, lieutenant.
**Prudence,** *n.* Discretion (*accompanied with forecast*), providence, forecast, sense, caution, carefulness, circumspection, considerateness, commonsense, judiciousness, judgment, wisdom (*applied to the ordinary affairs of life*).
**Prudent,** *a.* 1. Discreet, cautious, careful, circumspect, wary, considerate, judicious, provident, foreseeing, wise, prudential.
2. Frugal, economical, thrifty, provident, sparing, saving.
**Prudential,** *a.* 1. Politic, prudent.
2. Discretionary, advisory.
**Prudery,** *n.* Coyness, demureness, stiffness, affected reserve, excessive nicety.
**Prudish,** *a.* Coy, demure, reserved, over-modest, affectedly modest *or* nice, very formal, precise.
**Pruina,** *n.* [L.] Hoar-frost.
**Pruinate,** / **Pruinose,** / **Pruinous,** } *a.* Frosty, frosted.
**Prune,** *v. a.* 1. Lop, trim, clip, dock.
2. Dress, trim, preen.
**Prune,** *n.* Dried plum.

**Prurience,** } *n.* Itching, longing, lust, desire, ap-
**Pruriency,** } petite, hankering, cupidity, covetousness.
**Prurient,** *a.* Itching, longing, desiring, hankering, craving, lustful, covetous.
**Prussian blue.** Ferrocyanide of iron, ferrocyanuret of iron.
**Prussic acid.** Hydrocyanic acid.
**Pry,** *v. n.* Peer, peep, search, look closely *or* narrowly, scrutinize, examine, inspect, question, investigate, be inquisitive.
**Prying,** *a.* Curious, inquisitive, peering, peeping, scrutinizing.
**Psalm,** *n.* Sacred song, hymn.
**Psalmody,** *n.* Psalm-singing, psalmistry.
**Psalm-singing,** *n.* Psalmody, psalmistry.
**Psalm-tune,** *n.* Choral.
**Psalter,** *n.* Book of Psalms.
**Pseudonyme,** *n.* False name, fictitious name, *nom de plume.*
**Pshaw,** *interj.* Poh, pugh, fudge, pish.
**Psora,** *n.* [Gr.] (*Med.*) Scabies, the itch.
**Psyche,** *n.* Soul, mind.
**Public,** *a.* **1.** Of the whole, not private, national, common, general.
**2.** Open, notorious, general, common.
**3.** Common, general.
**Public,** *n.* [Preceded by *The.*] Persons, men, society, the people, the community, the world, general body of mankind.
**Publican,** *n.* **1.** Tax-gatherer.
**2.** Inn-keeper, victualler.
**Publication,** *n.* **1.** Promulgation, proclamation, divulgation, open declaration, blazon.
**2.** Literary production (*book, pamphlet, magazine, etc.*).
**Public-house,** *n.* Inn, tavern, house of entertainment, hotel, ale-house, eating-house, victualling-house, restaurant.
**Publicity,** *n.* Notoriety, currency, publicness.
**Publish,** *v. a.* **1.** Promulgate, proclaim, utter, blaze, blazon, announce, declare, disclose, divulge, reveal, advertise, bruit, impart, communicate, broach, make known, spread, spread abroad, blaze abroad, tell, ventilate, make public.
**2.** Issue (*as a book*), emit, send forth, bring out, put forth, print and offer for sale.
**Puce,** *a.* Dark-brown, reddish-brown, flea-colored.
**Puceron,** *n.* Plant-louse, vine-fretter, aphis
**Puck,** *n.* Robin Good-fellow, Friar Rush, Pug, Hobgoblin.
**Pucker,** *v. a.* Corrugate, furrow, cockle, wrinkle, crinkle, crease, gather into wrinkles *or* folds, gather.
**Pucker,** *n.* Fold, wrinkle, crinkle, crease, furrow.
**Pudding-stone,** *n.* (*Min.*) Conglomerate.
**Puddle,** *n.* Pool (*of dirty water*), muddy plash.
**Puddly,** *a.* Muddy, miry, foul, dirty.
**Pudicity,** *n.* Modesty, chastity.
**Puerile,** *a.* **1.** Boyish, childish, juvenile, youthful.
**2.** Foolish, weak, petty, frivolous, trifling, trivial, idle, silly, simple, senseless, nonsensical.
**Puerility,** *n.* **1.** Boyishness, childishness, youthfulness, juvenility.
**2.** Folly, foolishness, nonsense, weakness, silliness, insipidity.
**Puff,** *n.* Whiff, sudden gust; short, quick blast.
**Puff,** *v. n.* **1.** Blow in puffs.
**2.** Pant, breathe hard.
**Puff,** *v. a.* **1.** Blow.
**2.** Swell, inflate.
**3.** Praise (*extravagantly*), compliment, flatter
**Puffed up.** Conceited, proud, haughty, overweening, vain-glorious, vain.
**Puffer,** *n.* (*Ich.*) Globe-fish.
**Puffin,** *n.* (*Ornith.*) Coulter-neb, Labrador auk (*Alca Arctica*).
**Puffing,** *a.* Bragging, boasting.
**Puff up.** Inflate, swell, blow up.
**Puffy,** *a.* **1.** Swelled, swollen, tumid, turgid, puffed out, distended.
**2.** Bombastic, inflated, extravagant, turgid, tumid, pompous.
**Pugh,** *interj.* Pshaw, poh, fudge, pish.
**Pugilism,** *n.* Boxing, fisticuffs, fighting with the fist.
**Pugilist,** *n.* Boxer.
**Pugnacious,** *a.* Quarrelsome, fighting, contentious.
**Pugnacity,** *n.* Quarrelsomeness.
**Pugnis et calcibus.** [L.] With fists and heels, with all one's might, tooth and nail, hammer and tongs.
**Puissance,** *n.* Power, force, strength, might, potency.
**Puissant,** *a.* Powerful, strong, mighty, forcible, potent.
**Puke,** *v. n.* **1.** Vomit, spew.
**2.** Sicken, be disgusted.
**Puke,** *v. a.* Vomit, spew, cast up, throw up.
**Pulchritude,** *n.* Beauty, comeliness, grace, loveliness.
**Pule,** *v. n.* Whine, whimper, cry, snivel.
**Puling,** *a.* **1.** Whining, whimpering.
**2.** Infantine, childish, trifling.
**Pull,** *n.* **1.** Pluck, shake, twitch.
**2.** Contest, struggle.
**3.** Hap, venture, chance (*colloq.*).
**Pull,** *v. a.* **1.** Draw, haul, tug, drag.
**2.** Pluck, gather.
**3.** Tear, rend, draw apart.
**Pull,** *v. n.* Tug, give a pull.
**Pull down.** **1.** Demolish, subvert, destroy.
**2.** Degrade, humble, bring down.
**Pull in one's horns.** (*Colloq.*) Repress one's ardor, restrain one's pride, cease boasting.
**Pull out.** Extract, draw out.
**Pull up.** **1.** (*Active.*) Draw up, haul up.
**2.** (*Active.*) Extirpate, eradicate, destroy, pluck up, root out.
**3.** (*Neuter.*) Stop, halt, draw the reins.
**Pulmonary,** *a.* Pulmonic.
**Pulmonic,** *a.* Pulmonary.
**Pulp,** *n.* Soft part, soft mass.
**Pulpit,** *n.* **1.** Desk, sacred desk.
**2.** Preaching, public religious exercises.
**Pulpy,** *a.* Soft, fleshy, succulent, pulpous.
**Pulsate,** *v. n.* Beat, throb.
**Pulsation,** *n.* Beating, beat, throbbing, throb, palpitation.
**Pulsatory,** *a.* Throbbing, palpitating.
**Pulse,** *n.* **1.** Beating *or* throbbing of an artery, pulsation, throb.
**2.** Oscillation, vibration, pulsation, measured *or* regular beat.
**3.** Legumes, fruit of leguminous plants.
**Pultaceous,** *a.* Macerated, softened, pappy, nearly fluid.
**Pulverize,** *v. a.* Triturate, comminute, bruise, grind, bray, levigate, reduce to powder, pulverate.
**Pulverulent,** *a.* Dusty, powdery.
**Puma,** *n.* American tiger.
**Pummel,** *n.* [Written also and preferably *Pommel.*] Knob, protuberant part, ball.
**Pummel,** *v. a.* [Written also and preferably *Pommel.*] Beat, strike, knock, hit, punch, whack, batter, belabor, bruise, thrash, flog, drub, bang, maul, thwack, thump, cudgel, baste.
**Pump,** *v. a.* Cross-examine, interrogate, cross-question.
**Pun,** *n.* Quibble, clinch, calembourg, play upon words, witticism, conceit, paragram.

**Pun,** *v. n.* Quibble, play upon words, make a pun.
**Punch,** *v. a.* 1. Perforate, bore, pierce, puncture.
2. Push, poke, strike.
**Punch,** *n.* 1. Borer, puncheon.
2. Push, poke, blow, thrust.
3. Horse (*short and thick*).
4. Buffoon (*of a puppet-show*), clown, harlequin, punchinello, merry-andrew, mountebank, jester, droll, zany, scaramouch, fool, antic, pickle-herring, jack-pudding, mime.
**Punchinello,** *n.* Buffoon. See PUNCH.
**Punctilio,** *n.* Nicety (*of behavior*), nice point, point, pique.
**Punctilious,** *a.* Nice, exact, particular, careful, precise, strict, scrupulous, over-scrupulous, conscientious, punctual, ceremonious.
**Punctual,** *a.* 1. Nice, exact, minutely correct, punctilious.
2. Prompt, seasonable, timely.
**Punctuality,** *n.* 1. Nicety, scrupulosity, exactness.
2. Promptness, punctualness.
**Punctualness,** *n.* Exactness, punctuality.
**Punctuate,** *v. a.* Point, mark with points, separate into sentences.
**Puncture,** *n.* Small hole, wound, bite, sting.
**Puncture,** *v. a.* Prick, perforate, pierce.
**Pungency,** *n.* 1. Acridness, acrimony, acrimoniousness, tartness, causticity, poignancy, piquancy, sharpness.
2. Keenness, severity, satire, pointedness, smartness.
**Pungent,** *a.* 1. Smart, stinging, stimulating, pricking, sharp, biting, mordant, burning, caustic, pyrotic, hot, peppery, piercing, penetrating, piquant, acrid.
2. Acute, keen, trenchant, cutting, acrimonious, severe, peevish, tart, waspish, distressing, poignant, smart, painful, satirical, pointed.
**Punic,** *a.* 1. Of the Carthaginians, Carthaginian.
2. Faithless, perfidious, treacherous, deceitful, untrustworthy, false, betraying, traitorous.
**Punic faith.** Treachery, treacherousness, perfidy, traitorousness, perfidiousness.
**Puniness,** *n.* Littleness, pettiness, smallness with feebleness.
**Punish,** *v. a.* 1. Chastise, castigate, lash, chasten, scourge, whip, flog.
2. Discipline, correct, visit with pain *or* suffering, take vengeance on, inflict penalties upon, subject to penalty.
**Punishment,** *n.* 1. Chastisement, castigation, scourging, correction, discipline.
2. Penalty.
**Punitive,** *a.* Penal.
**Punk,** *n.* 1. Prostitute, strumpet, harlot, whore, trull, drab.
2. Touchwood, spunk, agaric, amadou, German tinder.
**Punner,** *n.* Punster.
**Punning,** *n.* Paronomasy, *paronomasia*.
**Punster,** *n.* Punner, quibbler, paragrammatist.
**Puny,** *a.* 1. Weak, feeble, inferior.
2. Little, small, petty, insignificant, diminutive, undeveloped, undersized, tiny, dwarf, dwarfish, pygmy, pygmean, stunted, Liliputian.
**Pup,** *n.* 1. Puppy, whelp, young dog.
2. Young seal.
**Pupa,** *n.* Chrysalis, aurelia.
**Pupil,** *n.* 1. (*Anat.*) Apple of the eye.
2. Learner, scholar, disciple, student, tyro, beginner, novice, neophyte, catechumen.
3. (*Law.*) Ward.
**Pupilage,** *n.* Nonage, minority, wardship, pupilarity, tutelage.
**Puppet,** *n.* 1. Doll.
2. Marionette, image.
3. Tool.
**Puppy,** *n.* 1. Pup, whelp, young dog.
2. Fop, coxcomb, prig, jackanapes, dandy.
**Purblind,** *a.* Dim-sighted, near-sighted, short-sighted, myopic, mope-eyed.
**Purchase,** *v. a.* 1. Buy, bargain for, get by payment.
2. (*Rare.*) Obtain, acquire, procure, get, gain.
**Purchase,** *n.* 1. Bargain.
2. Property, possession, acquisition, thing acquired.
3. Hold, advantage, power, force.
4. Tackle, lever, capstan.
**Purchaser,** *n.* Buyer, vendee.
**Pure,** *a.* 1. Clean, clear, unsullied, unstained, stainless, undefiled, spotless, unspotted, fair, immaculate, untainted, untarnished, unpolluted, uncorrupted, unblemished.
2. Innocent, guiltless, guileless, true, virtuous, upright, honest, incorrupt, holy
3. Genuine, unadulterated, unmixed, real, perfect, simple, clear.
4. Modest, chaste.
5. Mere, absolute, sheer.
6. Classic, classical, Attic.
**Purely,** *ad.* 1. Genuinely.
2. Innocently, chastely, guilelessly.
3. Merely, absolutely, entirely, completely, totally.
**Pureness,** *n.* See PURITY.
**Purgation,** *n.* Clearing, cleansing, purification, lustration, clarification, defecation, detersion.
**Purgative,** *a.* Cathartic, abstergent, abstersive, cleansing, purifying, evacuant, detersive, detergent.
**Purgative,** *n.* (*Med.*) Purge, physic, cathartic, scourer, purgative medicine.
**Purgatory,** *a.* Cleansing, expiatory.
**Purgatory,** *n.* Limbo, hell, infernal regions, shades below.
**Purge,** *v. a.* 1. Cleanse, clear, purify, free from impurity.
2. Clarify, defecate.
3. Physic, scour.
4. Deterge, wash away.
**Purge,** *n.* See PURGATIVE.
**Purging,** *n.* (*Med.*) Diarrhœa, relax, flux, lientery, dysentery.
**Purification,** *n.* 1. Cleansing, purifying.
2. Defecation, clearing, clarification, depuration.
3. Lustration.
**Purifier,** *n.* Cleanser, refiner.
**Purify,** *v. a.* 1. Clear, clean, cleanse, purge, free from impurity, make pure.
2. Defecate (*as liquors*), clarify, fine.
**Purism,** *n.* Nicety (*in the use of words*), fastidiousness, squeamishness, daintiness, euphuism, affected elegance, finical style.
**Puritanic,** } *a.* Strict, rigid, ascetic, over-scru-
**Puritanical,** } pulous, prim, strait-laced, precise in religious matters.
**Purity,** *n.* 1. Clearness, fineness.
2. Cleanness, clearness, immaculateness.
3. Innocence, virtue, guiltlessness, guilelessness, holiness, honesty, integrity, uprightness, truth, simplicity.
4. Genuineness, excellence, integrity.
5. Modesty, chastity, chasteness.
**Purl,** *v. n.* Murmur, ripple, gurgle, bubble.
**Purlieus,** *n. pl.* [*Used generally in a bad sense.*] Environs, precincts, suburbs, neighborhood, vicinage, borders, limits, outskirts, confines.

**Purloin,** *v. a.* Steal, rob, pilfer, thieve, filch, abstract, crib, cabbage.
**Purport,** *n.* Design, meaning, signification, import, significance, drift, current, tenor, bearing, scope, sense, tendency, gist, intent, spirit.
**Purport,** *v. a.* Intend, mean, signify, import, show, design.
**Purpose,** *n.* 1. Aim, intent, intention, design, object, end, drift, view, final cause.
2. Design, project, plan, intention.
3. Sense, meaning, purport.
4. End, effect, consequence.
5. Question, subject-matter in hand.
**Purpose,** *v. a.* Intend, design, mean, meditate, think of, have in mind, resolve upon, propose to one's self, harbor a design, contemplate, determine upon.
**Purpose,** *v. n.* Intend, design, mean, have in mind, determine, resolve.
**Purposeless,** *a.* Aimless.
**Purposely,** *ad.* Intentionally, designedly, by design, on purpose, advisedly, wittingly, knowingly, deliberately.
**Pursuance,** *n.* Pursuit, prosecution, following out.
**Pursuant to.** Agreeable to, conformable to, according to, in pursuance of, following.
**Pursue,** *v. a.* 1. Follow, chase, hunt, track, dog, hound, go after, give chase to.
2. Continue, prosecute, conduct, keep up, carry on, persist in, engage in, follow up, maintain, stick to.
3. Seek, strive for, try to obtain.
4. Follow, proceed along, keep to, keep on.
5. Imitate, follow as an example.
6. Attend, accompany, follow close.
**Pursuit,** *n.* 1. Chase, race.
2. Pursuance, prosecution, following out.
**Pursuit of.** 1. Chase after.
2. Prosecution of, search for, quest, endeavor after.
**Pursuivant,** *n.* 1. Follower, attendant.
2. State messenger.
**Pursy,** *a.* 1. Fat, corpulent, fleshy, plump, short, thick, pudgy, podgy
2. Short-breathed, short-winded, thick-winded.
**Purulence,** } *n.* 1. Suppuration, secretion of
**Purulency,** } pus.
2. Pus, matter, purulent matter.
**Purulent,** *a.* Feculent, suppurating, festering, corrupt.
**Purvey,** *v. n.* 1. Provide, furnish, cater, procure provisions, provide food, victual, find provision.
2. Procure, get, obtain.
**Purveyance,** *n.* Provisions, food, victuals provided.
**Purveyor,** *n.* Provider, caterer, victualler.
**Purview,** *n.* Limit, sphere, scope, extent, reach, compass.
**Pus,** *n.* Purulence, matter, purulent matter.
**Puseyite,** *a.* Tractarian, Tractite, Oxford school.
**Push,** *v. a.* 1. Thrust, impel (*by pressure*), hustle, jostle, justle, elbow, crowd, shove.
2. Urge, press forward, drive on.
3. Force, press, drive, embarrass by arguments.
4. Importune, tease, press with solicitation.
5. Prosecute, follow closely
6. Impel, drive, urge.
**Push,** *v. n.* 1. Thrust, make a thrust.
2. Endeavor, strive, try, exert one's self.
3. Bud, sprout, germinate, vegetate, grow, burst out, put forth, shoot forth.
**Push,** *n.* 1. Thrust, foin.
2. Trial, test, exigence, exigency, extremity, emergency, pinch, strait.
3. Onset, attack, assault, charge, strong effort.
**Push on.** Advance, hasten forward.
**Pusillanimity,** *n.* Cowardice, cowardliness, timidity, poltroonery, recreancy, dastardliness, mean-spiritedness, pusillanimousness, effeminacy, faint-heartedness, fear.
**Pusillanimous,** *a.* Cowardly, timorous, timid, feeble, recreant, dastardly, effeminate, spiritless, weak, mean-spirited, little-souled, faint-hearted.
**Pustule,** *n.* Ulcer, fester, imposthume, gathering, pimple, blotch, blain, sore, abscess, aposteme
**Put,** *v. a.* 1. Place, set, lay, deposit, bring.
2. Impose, enjoin, levy, inflict.
3. Propose, offer, state, present, bring forward.
4. Oblige, compel, force, constrain, push to action.
5. Incite, urge, entice, induce.
6. Express, utter, state in language.
**Put,** *v. n.* Steer.
**Put,** } *n.* Rustic, clown, boor, simpleton, oddity,
**Putt,** } simple fellow.
**Put about.** (*Naut.*) Tack, turn, change the course.
**Putative,** *a.* Reputed, supposed, commonly esteemed, deemed, reckoned, reported.
**Put away.** 1. Lay away, set aside, put aside.
2. Renounce, discard, reject, put off, expel.
3. Divorce.
**Put back.** 1. Hinder, delay.
2. Restore.
3. Set.
**Put by.** 1. Lay by, lay aside.
2. Thrust aside, turn off.
**Put down.** 1. Deposit, lay down.
2. Repress, crush, baffle, overthrow, destroy, conquer.
3. Degrade, confute, humiliate, abash, shame, disconcert, humble, extinguish, suppress.
4. Confute, silence.
**Put forth.** (*Active.*) 1. Exert, bring into play, bring into action, make manifest.
2. Extend, thrust out, reach, stretch out.
3. Emit, send out, throw out.
4. Publish, issue.
5. Propose, offer to notice.
**Put forth.** (*Neuter.*) 1. Leave port, put to sea.
2. Bud, shoot, germinate, push, vegetate, grow.
**Put forward.** 1. Promote, advance.
2. Aid, cause to progress.
3. Set.
**Put in.** (*Active.*) Introduce, insert, interpose, bring in.
**Put in.** (*Neuter.*) Make a harbor, enter a port, conduct into a harbor.
**Put in for.** Make a claim, offer one's self for, be a candidate for
**Put in mind.** Remind, call to remembrance.
**Put in practice.** Apply, exercise, make use of.
**Put in one's oar.** (*Colloq.*) Interfere, meddle, intermeddle.
**Put off.** (*Active.*) 1. Discard, renounce, reject, cast aside, lay aside, divest one's self of.
2. Defeat, frustrate, disappoint, turn aside, baffle.
3. Defer, delay, procrastinate, postpone.
4. Get rid of, dispose of, pass fraudulently.
**Put off.** (*Neuter.*) Leave shore, put to sea, put forth, push from land.
**Put-off,** *n.* Shift, evasion, excuse, pretext.
**Put on.** 1. Invest with, clothe.
2. Assume, take on.
3. Impose, inflict.
4. Impute to, charge upon.
5. Incite, instigate.
6. (*Law.*) Rest upon, submit to.

**Put one's shoulder to the wheel.** Render assistance, lend a hand, help.
**Put out.** I. Eject, expel, drive out.
2. Extend, protrude, hold out, stretch forth.
3. Emit, send out, throw out, shoot out.
4. Extinguish.
5. Publish, issue, make public.
6. Dislocate, luxate.
7. Confuse, disconcert, interrupt.
8. Offend, displease, anger, provoke, vex, irritate.
9. Place at interest.
**Put out of countenance.** Shame, mortify, abash.
**Put over.** I. Place in command of, give authority over.
2. Defer, postpone, put off.
3. Refer, send.
4. Sail over.
**Putrefy,** *v. a.* Corrupt, rot, render putrid.
**Putrefy,** *v. n.* Rot, decay, decompose, become rotten, become putrid.
**Putrescence,** *n.* Rottenness, putridity.
**Putrid,** *a.* Decomposed, rotten, decayed, corrupt, putrefied, stinking.
**Putridity,** *n.* Putridness, rottenness, corruption, putrefaction.
**Put the hand to.** I. Apply, take hold, begin, undertake.
2. Steal, purloin, filch.
**Put to.** I. Unite, add to.
2. Expose, refer to, give over to.
3. Lay by.
4. Assist with.
**Put to death.** Kill.
**Put to flight.** Cause to flee, scatter in flight.
**Put to it.** Distress, perplex, puzzle, embarrass, stagger, pose, nonplus.
**Put to rights.** Adjust, regulate, set in order, set to rights.
**Put to sea.** Set sail, put forth, put off, begin a voyage.
**Put to shame.** Shame, abash, mortify, make ashamed, put to the blush, put out of countenance, put down.
**Put to the blush.** See PUT TO SHAME.
**Put to the halter.** Hang.
**Put to the sword.** Kill, slay.
**Put up.** (*Active.*) I. Store, pack away, preserve.
2. Expose, offer publicly.
3. Put away, lay away, set aside.
4. Hoard, save.
**Put up.** (*Neuter.*) Lodge, stay, take lodgings. See STOP.
**Put up with.** Endure (*without complaint*), bear, tolerate, suffer, overlook, submit to, make the best of.
**Puzzle,** *v. a.* I. Perplex, embarrass, bewilder, confound, stagger, pose, nonplus, confuse, mystify, gravel.
2. Make intricate, entangle, complicate.
**Puzzle,** *n.* I. Riddle, enigma, labyrinth, maze.
2. Perplexity, embarrassment, bewilderment, confusion, dark problem, difficulty, poser, knotty point, quandary, nonplus.
**Pyæmia,** *n.* (*Med.*) Blood-poisoning.
**Pyet,** *n.* Magpie.
**Pygmean,** *a.* Dwarfish, dwarfed, diminutive, small, stunted, Liliputian, pygmy, little.
**Pygmy,** *n.* Dwarf, hop o' my thumb.
**Pygmy,** *a.* Dwarfish. See PYGMEAN.
**Pyre,** *n.* Funeral pile.
**Pyriform,** *a.* Pear-shaped, obconical.
**Pyroligneous spirit,** *n.* Wood-spirit, wood-naphtha. See PYROXYLIC SPIRIT.
**Pyrosis,** *n.* (*Med.*) Water-brash, water-qualm.
**Pyrotechnic,** / **Pyrotechnical,** *a.* Of fireworks.
**Pyrotechnics,** *n.* Pyrotechny.
**Pyrotechnist,** *n.* Manufacturer of fireworks.
**Pyrotechny,** *n.* Pyrotechnics.
**Pyrotic,** *a.* Caustic, burning.
**Pyroxene,** *n.* (*Min.*) Augite.
**Pyroxylic acid.** See PYROXYLIC SPIRIT.
**Pyroxylic spirit.** Wood-spirit, wood-naphtha, methylic alcohol, pyroxylic acid, pyroligneous spirit.
**Pyroxyline,** *n.* Gun-cotton.
**Pyrrhonism,** *n.* Scepticism, unbelief, incredulity, universal doubt.
**Pyrrhonist,** *n.* Sceptic, doubter.
**Pyx,** *n.* Box (*especially that in which the host is kept*), tabernacle, vessel, pyxis.

# Q

**Quack,** *n.* Charlatan, empiric, mountebank, impostor, pretender, humbug.
**Quackery,** *n.* Charlatanism, charlatanry, empiricism, mummery, imposition, pretension, humbug.
**Quadrangular,** *a.* Four-cornered.
**Quadrate,** *a.* Square.
**Quadrate,** *n.* Square.
**Quadrifoil,** / **Quadrifoliate,** *a.* Four-leaved.
**Quadrilateral,** *a.* Four-sided.
**Quadruped,** *n.* Four-footed animal.
**Quadruple,** *a.* Fourfold.
**Quære,** *v. n.* [L. *imperative.*] Inquire, seek, question, see.
**Quaff,** *v. a.* Drink (*copiously*), swallow in large draughts.
**Quaggy,** *a.* Boggy, marshy, swampy, queachy.
**Quagmire,** *n.* Bog, fen, slough, morass, marsh, swamp.
**Quail,** *v. n.* Cower, shrink, flinch, faint, blench, droop, quake, tremble, be quelled, give way, lose courage, lose spirit, be cast down
**Quaint,** *a.* I. Odd, strange, singular, antique, antiquated, old-fashioned, archaic, unusual, uncommon, extraordinary, unique, curious, droll, fanciful.
2. Recondite, subtle, ingenious, artful, abstruse, nice, neat, artificially elegant, characterized by ingenuity *or* art.
3. Far-fetched, affected, odd, whimsical, fantastic, out of the way.
**Quake,** *v. n.* I. Shake, tremble, shudder, shiver, quiver.
2. Shake, tremble, vibrate, quiver, move
**Quake,** *n.* Shake, trembling, shudder, tremulous agitation.
**Quaker,** *n.* Friend.
**Qualifiable,** *a.* Modifiable, abatable.
**Qualification,** *n.* I. Fitness, suitableness, capability, accomplishment, requisite capacity, ability, legal power.
2. Modification, limitation, restriction, condition.
3. Abatement, diminution, mitigation, allowance, grains of allowance.

4. Adaptation, fitting, preparation.

**Qualified,** *a.* 1. Modified, limited.
2. Competent, fit, adapted.

**Qualify,** *v. a.* 1. Fit, adapt, capacitate, equip, prepare, empower, make fit, make suitable, make capable.
2. Modify, limit, restrict, restrain, narrow.
3. Soften, abate, diminish, mitigate, ease, assuage, moderate, temper, reduce.
4. Regulate, vary, temper, modulate.
5. Dilute, modify.

**Quality,** *n.* 1. Property, attribute, nature, characteristic, peculiarity, trait.
2. Disposition, humor, temper, mood, character, condition, characteristic.
3. Rank, condition, station, standing, status, character, sort, kind, description, capacity.
4. [With *The* prefixed.] Nobility, gentry, aristocracy, persons of rank, *noblesse*.
5. Brand, chop.
6. Part, special character, assumed position.

**Qualm,** *n.* 1. Throe, pang, agony, sudden attack.
2. Sickness (*of the stomach*), nausea.
3. Twinge (*of conscience*), scruple, uneasiness, compunction, remorse.

**Qualmish,** *a.* Sick (*at the stomach*), inclined to vomit, queasy, nauseated.

**Quandary,** *n.* Difficulty, perplexity, doubt, puzzle, uncertainty, embarrassment, bewilderment, nonplus, strait, dilemma, pickle, predicament.

**Quantity,** *n.* 1. Size, greatness, extent, measure.
2. Amount, aggregate, bulk, sum.
3. Length, duration.
4. (*Log.*) Category, universal predicament, general conception.

**Quantum sufficit.** [L.] Enough, sufficient.

**Quarrel,** *n.* 1. Brawl, feud, affray, fray, tumult, contention, altercation, tiff, misunderstanding, wrangle, contest, squabble, broil, jar, breach, rupture, dispute, difference, disagreement, dissension, bickering, quarrelling, strife, breeze, falling out, variance.
2. Dispute, contest, open variance, breach of concord.
3. Objection, ill-will.

**Quarrel,** *v. n.* 1. Wrangle, scold, altercate, squabble, bicker, brawl, dispute, spar, jangle, fall out, have words, have an altercation, be at variance.
2. Scuffle, squabble, fight.
3. Cavil, find fault, carp.
4. Disagree, clash, jar, be discordant.

**Quarrelsome,** *a.* Irascible, choleric, irritable, petulant, cross, contentious, disputatious.

**Quarry,** *n.* 1. Stone-pit, stone-bed.
2. Prey (*especially that of the hunting falcon*), game, object of the chase.
3. Pane of glass.

**Quart,** *n.* Two pints, fourth part of a gallon.

**Quarter,** *n.* 1. Fourth part.
2. District, region, territory, locality, place.
3. Mercy (*granted by a conqueror*).
4. Station, position, location, specific place.
5. Proper position, specific place, special location.

**Quarter,** *v. a.* 1. Divide in four equal parts.
2. Divide, separate into parts, cut to pieces.
3. Lodge, billet, furnish with quarters (*as soldiers*).
4. Allot, share, deal out, furnish.

**Quarter,** *v. n.* Lodge, abide, have lodgings, be stationed.

**Quarter-note,** *n.* Crotchet.

**Quarters,** *n. pl.* 1. Stations, posts, cantonments.
2. Lodging, dwelling, abode, habitation, shelter, entertainment, temporary residence.

**Quartz,** *n.* Silex, silica.

**Quartzite,** *n.* Quartz-rock.

**Quash,** *v. a.* 1. Crush, beat to pieces.
2. Crush, subdue, quell, repress, suppress, extinguish, put down.
3. (*Law.*) Annul, nullify, overthrow, cancel, make void, abate.

**Quasi.** [L.] Apparently, as if, as though, as it were, in a certain sense, to a certain extent, in a manner.

**Quassation,** *n.* Concussion, shaking.

**Quaternary,** *a.* Four, fourfold, consisting of four.

**Quateron,** *n.* Quadroon.

**Quaver,** *v. n.* Tremble, shake, quiver, vibrate.

**Quaver,** *n.* (*Mus.*) 1. Shake.
2. Eighth-note, eighth of a semibreve, quarter of a minim, half of a crotchet.

**Quay,** *n.* Wharf, artificial bank, landing-place.

**Queachy,** *a.* Shaking, yielding, trembling, moving.

**Quean,** *n.* Jade, hussy, base woman, sorry wench.

**Queasy,** *a.* 1. Qualmish, sick (*at the stomach*), inclined to vomit, nauseated.
2. Fastidious, squeamish, difficult, over-nice, delicate.

**Queer,** *a.* Odd, strange, singular, droll, whimsical, quaint, curious, fantastic, unusual, uncommon, extraordinary, unique.

**Queest,** *n.* Cushat, ring-dove, European wood pigeon (*Columba palumbus*).

**Quell,** *v. a.* 1. Subdue, suppress, crush, overcome, put down, overpower.
2. Repress, restrain, check, smother, stifle, extinguish, quench, curb, bridle, lay, rein in.
3. Quiet, calm, still, compose, lull, hush, tranquillize, pacify, allay, reduce to peace, subdue.
4. Moderate, assuage, mitigate, allay, appease, alleviate, mollify, soften, dull, soothe, blunt, deaden.

**Quench,** *v. a.* 1. Extinguish, put out.
2. Destroy, still, stifle, repress, check, suppress, put an end to.
3. Allay, shake, cool, extinguish.

**Quenchless,** *a.* Inextinguishable, unquenchable, irrepressible.

**Querimonious,** *a.* See QUERULOUS.

**Querist,** *n.* Inquirer, interrogator, investigator, questioner.

**Querulous,** *a.* Complaining, murmuring, querimonious, petulant, peevish, cross, dissatisfied, discontented, fault-finding, bewailing, lamenting, whining, mourning, fretful.

**Query,** *n.* Question, inquiry, interrogatory.

**Query,** *v. n.* Make inquiry, ask questions.

**Query,** *v. a.* 1. Question, inquire, ask.
2. Doubt, dispute, hesitate to believe, consider questionable.

**Quest,** *n.* 1. Search.
2. Pursuit, suit.
3. Inquiry, examination.
4. Request, desire, prayer, solicitation, invitation, demand.

**Question,** *n.* 1. Interrogation, examination, inquiry, act of asking.
2. Interrogatory, query, inquiry.
3. Discussion, inquiry, debate, disquisition, investigation, trial, examination.
4. Dispute, controversy, doubt, verbal contest.
5. Proposition, motion, topic, point, theme of inquiry, subject of investigation.
6. Examination, investigation, trial, judicial or official inquiry.
7. Torture, examination.

**Question,** *v. a.* 1. Interrogate, ask, catechise, examine, inquire of, put questions to.
2. Doubt, query, hesitate to believe, consider questionable, be uncertain of.

3. Dispute, call in question, challenge, take exception to.

**Questionable,** *a.* Doubtful, suspicious, uncertain, equivocal, problematical, disputable, controvertible, debatable, liable to question.

**Questioner,** *n.* Inquirer, interrogator.

**Quib,** *n.* Sarcasm, bitter taunt, gibe, quip.

**Quibble,** *n.* 1. Evasion, cavil, subterfuge, pretence, subtlety, quirk, shift, prevarication, equivocation, sophism, quiddity, trifling nicety.

2. Pun, clinch, calembourg, play upon words.

**Quibble,** *v. n.* 1. Cavil, shuffle, prevaricate, equivocate, practise evasion, evade the truth, trifle, shift.

2. Pun, play upon words.

**Quick,** *a.* 1. Active, nimble, agile, animated, sprightly, lively, smart, alert, brisk, prompt, ready.

2. Rapid, swift, speedy, fleet, fast, hasty, expeditious, hurried, flying.

3. Dexterous, adroit, skilful, expert, apt.

4. Acute, clever, sharp, shrewd, keen, intelligent, sagacious, discerning, sensitive.

5. Excitable, restless, passionate.

6. Hasty, precipitate, sharp, unceremonious, choleric, passionate, testy, irritable, touchy, waspish, petulant, irascible, peppery, snappish.

7. Alive, living, live, animate.

8. Pregnant, with child.

9. Fresh, sharp, bracing.

**Quick,** *ad.* See QUICKLY.

**Quick,** *n.* Quickset, hawthorn.

**Quicken,** *v. a.* 1. Vivify, revive, resuscitate, make alive, animate, give life to.

2. Revive, cheer, reinvigorate, refresh.

3. Hasten, accelerate, speed, hurry, expedite, despatch.

4. Stimulate, sharpen, excite, incite, refresh, actuate.

**Quickens,** *n.* See QUICK-GRASS.

**Quicken-tree,** *n.* Rowan-tree, mountain-ash (*European*), sorb, fowler's service-tree (*Pyrus aucuparia* or *Sorbus aucuparia*).

**Quick-grass,** *n.* Knot-grass, dog-wheat, dog's-grass, couch-grass, wheat-grass, twitch-grass, quitch-grass, quickens (*Triticum repens*).

**Quick-lime,** *n.* Caustic lime, protoxide of calcium, burned lime.

**Quickly,** *ad.* 1. Speedily, swiftly, rapidly, nimbly, readily, fast, quick, with haste, with celerity, post-haste.

2. Soon, without delay, immediately, in a short time.

**Quickness,** *n.* 1. Celerity, expedition, velocity, speed, speediness, fleetness, rapidity, swiftness, despatch, haste.

2. Activity, briskness, nimbleness, readiness, promptness, promptitude, alertness, agility, smartness, liveliness.

3. Dexterity, adroitness, expertness, dexterousness, aptness, aptitude, facility, knack.

4. Sharpness, penetration, keenness, acuteness, sagacity, shrewdness, perspicacity, acumen.

5. Sharpness, pungency, keenness.

**Quicksand,** *n.* *Syrtis.*

**Quick-sighted,** *a.* Sharp-sighted, lynx-eyed, quick-eyed, eagle-eyed, hawk-eyed, perspicacious

**Quicksilver,** *n.* Mercury, hydrargyrum.

**Quick-witted,** *a.* Witty, smart, nimble-witted, ready.

**Quid,** *n.* Cud.

**Quidam,** *n.* [L.] Somebody, some one, one unknown.

**Quiddity,** *n.* 1. Essence, nature.

2. Quibble, cavil, evasion, sophism, subterfuge, prevarication, equivocation, trifling nicety subtlety, quirk.

**Quiddle,** *v. n.* Dawdle, waste time in trifles, be busy about trifles.

**Quiddle,** / **Quiddler,** } *n.* Trifler, dawdler.

**Quidnunc,** *n.* Newsmonger, gossiper.

**Quid pro quo.** [L.] Equivalent, tit for tat.

**Quiescence,** *n.* 1. Rest, repose, quiet, quietude, stillness, calmness, calm, tranquillity, peace.

2. Suspense, intermission, remission, dormancy, abeyance.

3. Silence.

**Quiescent,** *a.* 1. Quiet, resting, still, motionless, at rest, at a stand, stock-still, standing still.

2. Quiet, still, placid, calm, unagitated, undisturbed, tranquil, serene, unruffled.

3. Silent.

**Quiet,** *a.* 1. Still, quiescent, unmoved.

2. Tranquil, calm, peaceful, peaceable, silent, gentle, mild, meek, contented.

3. Smooth, unruffled, unmolested, undisturbed, placid, tranquil.

4. Calm, patient, contented.

5. Retired, secluded.

**Quiet,** *n.* 1. Rest, repose, stillness, calm, calmness, quietude, quiescence, quietness.

2. Tranquillity, peace, security, ease, calm, calmness, silence, quietness, serenity, repose, freedom from disturbance *or* alarm.

3. Patience, calmness.

**Quiet,** *v. a.* 1. Stop, suspend, still, arrest, interrupt, intermit, discontinue, put a stop to.

2. Tranquillize, calm, compose, lull, pacify, appease, soothe, sober, allay.

Still, silence, hush.

4. Moderate, allay, assuage, mitigate, molli'y, alleviate, soften, dull, blunt.

**Quietly,** *ad.* 1. Peaceably, at rest, without disturbance, without agitation.

2. Calmly, patiently.

3. Silently, noiselessly.

**Quietness,** *n.* Tranquillity, stillness, calmness.

**Quietude,** *n.* See QUIET.

**Quietus,** *n.* Acquittance, final discharge, settlement.

**Quill,** *n.* Pen.

**Quill-driver,** *n.* 1. Writer, scribbler.

2. Clerk, scribe, secretary, amanuensis.

**Quina,** / **Quinia,** / **Quinine,** } *n.* Sulphate of quinia, sulphate of quinine.

**Quinquina,** *n.* Cinchona, Jesuit's bark, Peruvian bark, Cinchona bark.

**Quintessence,** *n.* Essence, essential part, extract.

**Quintuple,** *a.* Fivefold.

**Quip,** *n.* Taunt, gibe, jeer, scoff, sneer, mock, flout, sally, quirk, crank, repartee. retort, sharp saying, caustic *or* cutting remark, biting jest.

**Quirk,** *n.* 1. Evasion, shift, make-shift, loophole, quibble, pretence, pretext, excuse.

2. Taunt, gibe, jeer, sally, quip.

**Quit,** *v. a.* 1. Deliver, release, free, acquit, absolve, set free.

2. Free, relieve, clear, liberate, discharge from, deliver.

3. Acquit, conduct (*used reflexively*).

4. Resign, give up, renounce, relinquish, surrender.

5. Perform, carry through.

6. Pay, discharge, requite, repay.

7. Leave (*with the purpose of never returning*), withdraw from, go away from, retire from, depart from, get away from.

8. Abandon, desert, forsake, forswear, cast off.

**Quit,** *a.* Clear, free, absolved, released, acquitted, discharged.

**Quitch-grass,** *n.* See QUICK-GRASS.
**Quite,** *ad.* I. Completely, wholly, entirely, totally, perfectly.
2. Very, considerably, in a great degree, to a great extent.
**Quit scores.** Settle mutual accounts, quit from mutual obligations, clear mutually from all demands, make even.
**Quittance,** *n.* I. Discharge, acquittance, receipt.
2. Recompense, return, repayment, reward, requital.
**Quiver,** *v. n.* I. Quake, shake.
2. Tremble, play, be agitated.
3. Tremble, shudder, shiver.
**Quiver,** *n.* Trembling, tremulous motion, shake, shudder, shiver.
**Quixotic,** *a.* Visionary, imaginary, wild, mad, fanciful, freakish, Utopian, chimerical, fantastic, fantastical, absurdly romantic.
**Quiz,** *n.* I. Puzzle (*by way of sport*), enigma, riddle, knotty question, hoax, joke, jest.
2. Odd fellow, joker, jester.
**Quiz,** *v. a.* I. Puzzle (*for sport*), ridicule, banter, hoax, run upon, make fun of, make sport of.
2. Stare at (*in mockery*), peer at.
**Quo ad hoc.** [L.] As to this, as far as this is concerned.
**Quo animo.** [L.] Animus, design, motive.
**Quondam,** *a.* [L.] Former, late, old-time, in former times, past, *ci-devant*.
**Quota,** *n.* Portion, share, contingent, proportion, proportional part.
**Quotation,** *n.* Citation, extract.
**Quote,** *v. a.* Cite, adduce, name, repeat.
**Quoth,** *v. n.* Said, spoke.
**Quotha,** *interj.* Indeed, forsooth.
**Quotidian,** *a.* Daily, diurnal.
**Quotidian,** *n.* (*Med.*) Quotidian fever.

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**Rabbi,** } *n.* Hebrew doctor, teacher, master.
**Rabbin,** }
**Rabbit,** *n.* Cony (*Lepus cuniculus*).
**Rabble,** *n.* I. Mob, rout, rabble-rout, tumultuous crowd of vulgar people; confused, disorderly crowd.
2. Populace, commonalty, herd, dregs of the people, the common people, scum of society, lowest class of people, lower classes, the masses, riff-raff, swinish multitude, ignoble vulgar, vulgar herd, *canaille*.
3. Rhapsody, incoherent discourse, medley.
**Rabid,** *a.* I. Furious, raging, mad.
2. Rampant, intolerant, excessively enthusiastic.
**Raca,** *n.* [Heb.] Fool, beggar, worthless fellow.
**Race,** *n.* I. Generation, lineage, stock, breed, family, line, house, kindred.
2. Tribe, family, clan, people, nation.
3. Progeny, descendants, offspring, children, breed, lineage, issue, stock.
4. Trial of speed.
5. Chase, pursuit.
6. Mill-race, head-race.
7. Flavor, taste, strength, quality, smack (*of wine*).
8. Root.
**Race,** *v. n.* I. Run swiftly
2. Contend in running.
**Race,** *v. a.* Drive swiftly.
**Race-course,** *n.* Ring, racing ground.
**Race-horse,** *n.* I. Racer, blood-horse, thoroughbred horse.
2. (*Ornith.*) Steamer-duck (*Micropterus brachypterus*).
**Racer,** *n.* I. Runner.
2. Race-horse, courser, blood-horse, thoroughbred horse.
**Rachitic,** *a.* Rickety.
**Rachitis,** *n.* (*Med.*) Rickets, inflammation of the spine.
**Rack,** *n.* I. Torture, torment, anguish, agony, pang, extreme pain.
2. Crib, manger.
3. Neck (*of mutton*), crag.
4. Mist, vapor, flying cloud, moisture, dampness.
5. (*Naut.*) Fairleader.
6. Stand, frame.
7. Arrack, spirituous liquor.
**Rack,** *v. a.* I. Torture, torment, distress, agonize, excruciate, pain extremely.
2. Stretch, strain, force, wrest.
3. Draw off (*from sediment*).
4. Harass (*by exaction*), exhaust.
5. Heighten, exaggerate.
**Racket,** *n.* Uproar, clamor, hubbub, tumult, din, noise, outcry, disturbance.
**Racket-court,** *n.* Tennis-court.
**Racy,** *a.* I. That tastes of the soil (*as wine*), of a peculiar flavor, pungent, flavorous, fine-flavored, rich, piquant, strong.
2. Strong (*as peculiar qualities of thought* or *of expression*), vigorous, forcible, of a distinctive character, spirited, pungent, piquant.
**Raddle,** *v. a.* I. Interweave, twist together.
2. Wrinkle.
**Radiance,** *n.* Brilliance, brilliancy, lustre, brightness, splendor, resplendence, effulgence, refulgence, glare, glitter, shine, glister.
**Radiant,** *a.* I. Beaming, shining, brilliant, splendid, resplendent, effulgent, sparkling, lustrous, glittering, luminous, glorious.
2. (*Bot.*) Radiate.
**Radiata,** *n. pl.* (*Zoöl.*) Radiate animals, rayed animals.
**Radiate,** *v. n.* I. Shine, gleam, emit rays, beam, glitter.
2. Issue in rays, emanate in rays.
3. Emit heat, throw off heat, be radiant.
**Radiate,** *v. a.* Emit (*heat* or *light*) in straight lines.
**Radiate,** *a.* I. (*Bot.*) Radiant, rayed.
2. (*Zoöl.*) Radiated.
**Radiated,** *a.* (*Zoöl.*) Radiate.
**Radiation,** *n.* Irradiance, irradiation, emission of rays, beamy brightness.
**Radical,** *a.* I. Original, fundamental, organic, constitutional, native, natural, innate, essential, ingrained, deep-seated.
2. Primitive, underived, uncompounded, simple, original.
3. Thorough, entire, complete, perfect, total, extreme, thorough-going, fundamental.
**Radical,** *n.* I. Radical reformer.
2. Primitive letter.
3. Root, radix, etymon, primitive word.
4. (*Chem.*) Base.
**Radically,** *ad.* I. Fundamentally.
2. Primitively, essentially, originally.

**Radicate,** *a.* Deeply rooted, firmly established.
**Radicle,** } *n.* Rootlet.
**Radicule,** }
**Radix,** *n.* [L.] Root, radical, etymon, primitive word.
**Raff-merchant,** } *n.* [*Local Eng.*] Lumber-
**Raft-merchant,** } merchant.
**Rag,** *n.* 1. Shred, tatter, fragment, bit, patch.
2. [*pl.*] Mean attire, mean dress.
**Ragamuffin,** *n.* Tatterdemalion, mean fellow, wretch, paltry fellow.
**Rag-baby,** *n.* Moppet, mopsey.
**Rage,** *n.* 1. Fury, frenzy, wrath, vehemence, excitement, passion, madness, raving, violent anger, *furor*.
2. Extreme eagerness, vehement desire.
3. Enthusiasm, rapture.
4. (*Colloq.*) Fashion, vogue, mode.
**Rage,** *v. n.* 1. Rave, storm, fume, fret, chafe, be violent, be furious.
2. Ravage, prevail without restraint.
**Ragged,** *a.* 1. Tattered, torn, rent.
2. Dressed in rags, contemptible, shabby, poor, mean.
3. Uneven, jagged, rough.
4. Rough, rugged, shaggy.
5. Rough, unmusical, dissonant, inharmonious, discordant.
**Raging,** *a.* Furious, enraged, infuriate, infuriated, incensed, very angry
**Raid,** *n.* Invasion, inroad, foray, irruption, hostile incursion (*especially of mounted men*).
**Raider,** *n.* 1. Invader.
2. Forager.
**Rail at.** Censure, reproach, upbraid, abuse, scoff at, sneer at, scold at, inveigh against, exclaim against, declaim against.
**Railing,** *n.* Vituperation, abuse, scolding, reviling, contumely, reproach, invective, aspersion, censure.
**Raillery,** *n.* Banter, irony, slight ridicule, good-humored satire, pleasantry, joke, satirical merriment, jesting language.
**Railroad,** *n.* Railway.
**Raiment,** *n* Clothes, clothing, dress, attire, apparel, vesture, vestments, garments, habiliment, habit, garb, costume, array.
**Rainbow,** *n.* Iris.
**Rain-gauge,** *n.* Pluviameter, ombrometer, udometer.
**Rainy,** *a.* Showery, wet, moist.
**Raise,** *v. a.* 1. Lift, uplift, set up, raise up, make upright.
2. Hoist, heave.
3. Erect, rear, construct, build up.
4. Exalt, elevate, advance, promote.
5. Enhance, heighten, increase, aggravate, augment, amplify, enlarge.
6. Excite, rouse, arouse, awake, stir up, call up, call forth, put in action, put in motion.
7. Collect, levy, obtain, get, bring together, assemble.
8. Grow, cause to grow, propagate, cultivate.
9. Make light *or* spongy (*as bread*).
10. Bring back to life, raise from the dead.
11. [*Southern States of the U. S.*] Rear, bring up.
12. Cause to arise, give rise to, originate, produce, cause, effect.
13. Give rise to, originate, occasion, start, set going.
14. Utter, strike up, give utterance to.
15. Excite, intensify, invigorate, heighten.
**Raise a siege.** Abandon a siege, give up the attempt to take by siege.
**Raisin,** *n.* Dried grape.
**Rake,** *n.* Libertine, debauchee, man of pleasure *roué*.
**Rake,** *v. a.* 1. Gather, collect, draw together, heap together, gather together, scrape together, rake up, heap up, scrape over.
2. Scour, search closely, ransack.
3. Enfilade.
**Rake,** *v. n.* 1. Search, grope, scrape, scratch in order to find.
2. (*Naut.*) Incline from a perpendicular (*as a mast*).
**Rake up.** 1. Gather together, scrape up.
2. Cover with ashes (*as a fire*).
**Rakish,** *a.* Lewd, debauched, dissolute, licentious.
**Rally,** *v. a.* 1. Reunite, restore to order.
2. Banter, joke, ridicule, satirize, deride, mock, quiz, taunt, treat with raillery.
**Rally,** *v. n.* 1. Be restored to order, come into order, take courage.
2. Recover, recover strength, gain ground, get better, pick up.
3. Jest, indulge in banter *or* raillery.
**Ram,** *n.* 1. Male sheep.
2. Aries, the vernal sign.
3. Battering-ram.
4. Hydraulic-ram, water-ram.
**Ram,** *v. a.* 1. Drive down, force down.
2. Cram, stuff, force in.
**Ramble,** *v. n.* Rove, wander, stroll, range, roam, straggle, stray.
**Ramble,** *n.* Stroll, excursion, trip, tour, wandering, rambling, roving.
**Rambling,** *a.* Strolling, rambling, wandering, straggling, irregular.
**Ramification,** *n.* 1. Branching, forking, divarication.
2. Branch, division, subdivision.
3. Offshoot, subordinate branch.
**Ramify,** *v. a.* Separate into branches.
**Ramify,** *v. n.* Branch, divaricate, shoot into branches.
**Rammer,** *n.* Ramrod, gun-stick.
**Ramose,** } *a.* (*Bot.*) Branched, branchy.
**Ramous,** }
**Ramp,** *n.* Leap, spring, bound.
**Ramp,** *v. n.* 1. Climb, creep up.
2. Spring, bound, leap, prance, gambol, frolic, sport, play, romp.
3. Spring violently, rage, bound wildly.
**Rampancy,** *n.* Exuberance, extravagance, excessive prevalence.
**Rampant,** *a.* 1. Rank, exuberant, luxuriant, wanton, excessive.
2. Vehement, impetuous, ungovernable, uncontrollable, headstrong, dominant, unbridled, violent, predominant.
3. (*Her.*) Standing erect (*on the hind legs, as a lion*).
**Rampart,** *n.* 1. Bulwark, defence, fence, security, guard, fortification.
2. Mound, elevation, embankment.
**Ramrod,** *n.* Rammer, gun-stick.
**Rancid,** *a.* Rank, fetid, musty, fusty, strong-smelling, sour, tainted.
**Rancor,** *n.* Malignity, malice, malevolence, spite, venom, gall, grudge, ill-will, hate, hatred, enmity, animosity, vindictiveness, bitterness.
**Rancorous,** *a.* Malignant, malign, vindictive, malevolent, malicious, bitter, spiteful, virulent.
**Random,** *a.* Chance, casual, fortuitous, stray, wandering.
**Range,** *n.* 1. Row, rank, line, tier, file.
2. Class, order, kind, sort.
3. Excursion, wandering, ramble, expedition, roving.
4. Scope, sweep, compass, extent, reach, amplitude, latitude, command, discursive power.

5. (*Mus.*) Compass, register.
**Range,** *v. a.* 1. Class, rank, arrange, set in a row, dispose in order.
2. Rove over, pass over.
3. Sail along, pass near.
**Range,** *v. n.* 1. Rove, ramble, wander, stroll, roam, course, straggle, rove at large.
2. Consort, be classed, be ranked, rank.
3. Lie, run, bend, correspond in direction.
**Rank,** *a.* 1. Luxuriant, vigorous, exuberant, over-abundant, high-growing, strong in growth.
2. Excessive, extravagant, rampant, very great, violent, gross, sheer, utter.
3. Rancid, musty, fusty, fetid, offensive, strong-smelling, strong-scented, frowzy.
4. Offensive, high-tasted.
5. Fertile, rich, productive.
6. Gross, coarse, foul, disgusting.
**Rank,** *n.* 1. Row, line, tier, range, order.
2. Class, order, division, series.
3. Degree, grade, quality, relative station.
4. Dignity, high degree, distinction, eminence.
**Rank,** *v. a.* 1. Class, arrange, range, classify.
2. [*Modern*] Outrank, take precedence of.
**Rank,** *v. n.* Be ranked, be classed, take rank, have rank.
**Rank and file.** Privates, common soldiers (*including corporals*).
**Rankle,** *v. n.* 1. Fester, be inflamed.
2. Be embittered, become more bitter, grow more intense, be inflamed.
**Rankling,** *n.* 1. Festering.
2. Animosity, hatred, heart-burning.
**Rankly,** *ad.* 1. Luxuriantly, with vigorous growth.
2. Rancidly, with strong scent.
3. Coarsely, grossly.
**Rankness,** *n.* 1. Luxuriance, excess, extravagance.
2. Rancidness, rancidity, strong smell.
**Ransack,** *v. a.* 1. Plunder, pillage, sack, ravage, rifle, strip.
2. Explore, rummage, search thoroughly.
**Ransom,** *n.* 1. Price of redemption.
2. Release, liberation, redemption, deliverance.
**Ransom,** *v. a.* 1. Redeem.
2. Rescue, liberate, deliver, redeem.
**Rant,** *v. n.* Spout, declaim (*boisterously*), rave (*in high-sounding phrases*), vociferate, mouth, tear a passion to tatters.
**Rant,** *n.* Fustian, bombast, rhodomontade, exaggeration, boisterous declamation.
**Ranting,** *a.* Declamatory, theatrical, bombastic.
**Ranunculus,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Crowfoot, buttercup.
**Rap,** *n.* Knock, stroke, pat, thump, thwack, smart blow.
**Rap,** *v. a.* Strike (*suddenly*), knock.
**Rapacious,** *a.* 1. Raptorial, preying, predaceous.
2. Ravenous, greedy, plundering.
3. Avaricious, grasping, greedy.
**Rapacity,** *n.* 1. Ravenousness, rapaciousness, voraciousness, voracity, avidity, canine appetite.
2. Greed, ravenousness, exercise of plunder.
3. Avariciousness, greediness of gain.
**Rape,** *n.* 1. Violation, defloration, constupration, ravishment, defilement, carnal knowledge of a woman (*forcibly and against her will*).
2. (*Bot.*) Navew, French turnip (*Brassica napus*).
**Rape-cake,** *n.* Refuse *or* marc of rape-seed (*after the oil has been expressed*).
**Rape-oil,** *n.* Colza-oil, oil of rape-seed.
**Rape-seed,** *n.* Seed of the rape *or* French turnip.
**Rapid,** *a.* 1. Swift, quick, fleet, fast.
2. Speedy, fast, hasty, quick.
3. Brisk, hasty, hurried, expeditious, quick.
**Rapidity,** *n.* 1. Swiftness, quickness, celerity, velocity, rapidness, haste, speed, fleetness, agility.
2. Quickness, rapidness.
3. Haste, quickness.
**Rapidly,** *ad.* Swiftly, fast, quickly, expeditiously.
**Rapidness,** *n.* Celerity, swiftness, velocity, rapidity, speed.
**Rapier,** *n.* Small sword.
**Rapine,** *n.* Plunder, pillage, spoliation, robbery, depredation.
**Rapt,** *a.* Enraptured, transported, ravished, entranced, charmed, delighted, enchanted, fascinated, spell-bound, inspired.
**Raptores,** *n. pl.* [L.] (*Ornith.*) Raptors, raptorials, birds of prey. See ACCIPITRES.
**Raptorial,** *a.* Preying, rapacious, raptorious.
**Raptorial,** *n.* Bird of prey.
**Raptorious,** *a.* Preying, raptorial.
**Raptors,** *n. pl.* Raptores, raptorials, birds of prey. See ACCIPITRES.
**Rapture,** *n.* 1. Transport, ecstasy, ravishment, beatitude, beatification, bliss, great happiness, heavenly joy.
2. Delight, exultation, enthusiasm.
**Rapture,** *v. n.* Ravish, transport, enrapture.
**Rapturous,** *a.* Ecstatic, ravishing, transporting.
**Rara avis.** [L.] 1. Rare bird.
2. Curiosity, rare thing, unusual thing, rarity, prodigy.
**Rare,** *a.* 1. Sparse, thinly scattered.
2. Thin, subtile.
3. Uncommon, infrequent, scarce, unfrequent, singular, extraordinary, strange, out of the way, unusual.
4. Choice, fine, excellent, exquisite, incomparable, inimitable.
5. Underdone, imperfectly cooked, nearly raw.
**Rarefy,** *v. a.* Make rarer, make less dense, make thin, make porous.
**Rarely,** *ad.* 1. Seldom, not often.
2. Finely, excellently.
**Rareness,** *n.* 1. Thinness, tenuity, rarity.
2. Uncommonness, infrequency, scarcity.
**Rarity,** *n.* 1. Thinness, tenuity, rareness.
2. Uncommonness, infrequency, scarcity.
3. Uncommon thing, scarce thing.
**Rascal,** *n.* Knave, rogue, villain, scoundrel, scapegrace, caitiff, scamp, miscreant, mean wretch.
**Rascal,** *a.* Mean, low, pitiful, paltry, base.
**Rascality,** *n.* Knavery, knavishness, wickedness, villany, dishonesty, trickery, chicane, chicanery, fraud.
**Rascallion,** *n.* Rascal, mean wretch.
**Rascally,** *a.* 1. Wicked, villanous, bad, trickish, dishonest, vile, base.
2. Mean, base, sorry, pitiful, worthless.
**Rase,** *v. a.* 1. Erase, efface, cancel, expunge, obliterate, rub out, blot out.
2. Level, overthrow, destroy, demolish, subvert, ruin, prostrate. See RAZE.
**Rash,** *a.* Reckless (*in action*), headlong, headstrong, hasty, precipitate, heedless, thoughtless, inconsiderate, indiscreet, impulsive, careless, incautious, unwary, adventurous, venturesome, over-venturesome, audacious, foolhardy, hot-headed, hot-brained, hare-brained, without ballast.
**Rash,** *n.* (*Med.*) Exanthem, exanthema, eruption, breaking out.
**Rasher,** *n.* Slice (*of pork* or *bacon*), collop.
**Rashness,** *n.* Recklessness (*in action*), precipitancy, precipitation, hastiness, venturesomeness, temerity, heedlessness, thoughtlessness, indiscretion, carelessness, inconsiderateness, inconsideration, foolhardiness.
**Rasores,** *n. pl.* (*Ornith.*) Gallinaceous birds, scratchers.

**Rasorial,** *a.* Gallinaceous.
**Rasp,** *n.* Coarse file (*the prominences in which are made by a punch and not by a chisel, as are those of the file, properly so called*).
**Rasp,** *v. a.* Grate harshly upon, offend.
**Rasure,** *n.* Erasure, obliteration, scraping, shaving.
**Rat,** *v. n.* Desert one's party (*from interested motives*), bolt.
**Ratable,** *a.* 1. To be rated, estimated, reckoned, set at a certain value.
2. Proportional, *pro rata.*
3. Liable to taxation.
**Ratably,** *ad.* Proportionally, proportionably, proportionately, in proportion, by rate, *pro rata.*
**Ratch,** *n.* 1. Ratchet.
2. Ratchet-wheel.
**Ratchet,** *n.* Click, catch, detent, pawl, ratch.
**Ratchet-wheel,** *n.* (*Mach.*) Ratchet.
**Rate,** *n.* 1. Standard, fixed measure.
2. Cost, price.
3. Worth, value, valuation, estimate, rank, degree.
4. Proportion, ratio, degree.
5. Tax, assessment, impost, charge, duty.
**Rate,** *v. a.* 1. Estimate, value, appraise, set a value on, compute, reckon.
2. Scold, chide, reprimand, berate, reprove, censure, blame, find fault with.
3. Vilify, defame, abuse, traduce, asperse.
**Rath,** / **Rathe,** } *ad.* Early, betimes, quick, soon, speedily.
**Rather,** *ad.* 1. Preferably, in preference, more readily, more willingly, sooner, more.
2. Moderately, in some measure, in some degree, somewhat, tolerably.
3. Especially, the sooner, the more so, for better reason.
**Ratification,** *n.* 1. Confirmation, substantiation, corroboration, establishment.
2. Approval, consent, sanction, confirmation.
**Ratify,** *v. a.* 1. Confirm, substantiate, seal, corroborate, establish, settle.
2. Approve, sanction, bind, consent to, make valid.
**Ratio,** *n.* Proportion, rate, fixed relation.
**Ratiocination,** *n* Reasoning, argumentation, deduction.
**Ration,** *n.* Portion (*of food* or *drink*), allowance.
**Rational,** *a.* 1. Intellectual, endowed with reason, reasoning.
2. Reasonable, just, right, equitable, moderate, fair, fit, proper, agreeable to reason, according to reason.
3. Judicious, sagacious, enlightened, sensible, discreet, wise, intelligent.
4. Sane, sound, sober, in one's right mind, in one's sober senses.
**Rationale,** *n.* Reason, cause, theory, exposition, explanation, solution, the why and the wherefore, the reason why, theoretical explanation, theoretical solution.
**Rationalism,** *n.* (*Theol.*) Rationalistic interpretation (*of the Scriptures*).
**Rationality,** *n.* 1. Sanity, soundness of mind.
2. Reasonableness, rationalness.
**Rationally,** *ad.* Reasonably.
**Rationalness,** *n.* Rationality.
**Ratsbane,** *n.* White arsenic, arsenious acid, white oxide of arsenic.
**Rattle,** *n.* 1. Loud talk, empty talk, clamorous chiding
2. Jabberer, prater.
**Rattle,** *v. n.* 1. Clatter.
2. Jabber, talk noisily, chatter, prate, prattle, babble.
**Rattle,** *v. a.* 1. Stun, deafen, drive (*with noise*).
2. Scold, chide, rail at.
**Rattle-brained,** *a.* Giddy, noisy, wild, rattle-headed.
**Rattle-head,** *n.* Chatterer, prater, gabbler, rattlepate (*colloq.*), giddy talker.
**Rattle-headed,** *a.* Giddy, talkative, wild, unsteady, rattle-pated, rattle-brained.
**Rattle-pated,** *a.* Rattle-headed.
**Raucity,** *n.* Hoarseness, rough utterance, harshness of sound.
**Raucous,** *a.* Hoarse, husky, rough, harsh.
**Ravage,** *v. a.* Ruin, spoil, waste, devastate, destroy, despoil, sack, ransack, desolate, pillage, plunder, strip, lay waste, consume.
**Ravage,** *n.* Ruin, waste, spoil, pillage, plunder, rapine, desolation, destruction, devastation, havoc, despoilment.
**Rave,** *v. n.* 1. Rage, be mad, be wild, be furious, rant.
2. Be delirious, talk irrationally, wander.
**Ravel,** *v. a.* 1. Disentangle, untwist, unravel, unweave, take apart, unroll, undo, unwind.
2. Entangle, entwist, involve, make intricate, net, perplex.
**Raven,** *a.* Black, ebony, inky, sable.
**Raven,** *n.* 1. Rapine, rapacity, rapaciousness.
2. Prey, plunder, food obtained by violence, ravin.
**Raven,** *v. a.* Devour, eat with voracity.
**Raven,** *v. n.* [Written also *Ravin.*] Prey, be greedy, show rapacity.
**Ravening,** *a.* See RAVENOUS.
**Ravenous,** *a.* Voracious, rapacious, devouring, ravening, greedy, insatiable, insatiate, ferocious.
**Ravin,** *n.* See RAVEN.
**Ravine,** *n.* Gorge, defile, deep pass, mountain cleft, gulch, gully.
**Raving,** *n.* Madness, frenzy, fury, rage, furious exclamation, delirium.
**Raving,** *a.* Furious, frenzied, frantic, distracted, mad, infuriate, phrenetic, delirious.
**Ravish,** *v. a.* 1. Violate, deflour, constuprate, defile, abuse, debauch, force, outrage, commit rape upon.
2. Enchant, charm, captivate delight, enrapture, transport, entrance, delight, overjoy
3. Strip, seize, snatch by force.
**Ravishment,** *n.* 1. Rape, defloration, constupration, violation, defilement.
2. Rapture, ecstasy, transport, great delight, enravishment.
3. Abduction.
**Raw,** *a* 1. Uncooked.
2. Inexperienced, unskilled, unskilful, unprepared, green in experience, unseasoned, fresh, unpractised, untried
3. Immature, unripe, green, unfinished, crude.
4. Cold, bleak, chilly, damp, piercing.
5. Unmanufactured, in the natural state, crude.
6. Bare, sore, sensitive, galled.
**Rawly,** *ad.* Unskilfully, in a raw manner.
**Rawness,** *n.* 1. Unskilfulness, inexperience.
2. Chilliness, dampness, bleakness.
**Ray,** *n.* 1. Beam, gleam.
2. Perception, vision, sight, apprehension, notice, intellectual light, beam.
**Rayed,** *a.* 1. Striped, streaked, radiated.
2. (*Zoöl.*) Radiate.
**Ray-grass,** *n.* Darnel, rye-grass (*Lolium perenne*).
**Rayless,** *a.* Sunless, beamless, darksome, dark, dismal, Cimmerian.
**Ray-stone,** *n.* Actinolite, strahlstein, novaculite.
**Raze,** *n.* Root (*as of ginger*). See RACE.

**Raze,** *v. a.* I. Overthrow, demolish, subvert, destroy, ruin, level.
2. Erase, efface, obliterate, rase.
3. Extirpate, destroy.
4. Graze, rase.
**Razor-back,** *n.* Whale, rorqual (*Physalus antiquorum*).
**Razor-bill,** *n.* Black-billed auk (*Alca torda*).
**Razor-strap,** *n.* Strap, strop, razor-strop.
**Razor-strop,** *n.* See RAZOR-STRAP.
**Razure,** *n.* See RASURE.
**Reach,** *v. a.* I. Extend, stretch, stretch forth, hold forth.
2. Touch in extent, extend to.
3. Strike, hit.
4. Arrive at, come to, get to, get at, make way to.
5. Get, obtain, attain to, gain, be advanced to.
**Reach,** *v. n.* Extend, be extended.
**Reach,** *n.* I. Reaching, extension.
2. Power to reach.
3. Capacity, capability, grasp, power of attainment.
4. Penetration, depth of thought.
5. Extent, extension, stretch, range, compass, distance, space, span, spread, expanse.
6. Application, influence, result.
7. (*Rare.*) Stratagem, ruse, fetch, artifice, scheme, contrivance.
**Reachable,** *a.* Attainable, within reach.
**React,** *v. a.* Repeat, re-enact, perform again, act again.
**React,** *v. n.* I. Recoil, rebound, fly back, spring back.
2. Act reciprocally.
**Reaction,** *n.* I. Rebound, recoil.
2. Reciprocal action, reverse action.
**Read,** *v. a.* I. Peruse.
2. Interpret, decipher, unravel, explain, make out, understand.
3. Comprehend, understand, know fully.
**Read,** *v. n.* I. Practise reading, be studious in books.
2. Be read, appear in reading.
**Read,** *a.* Learned, versed in books.
**Readable,** *a.* I. Legible, that may be read.
2. Worth reading, fit to be read.
**Readily,** *ad.* I. Quickly, promptly, easily.
2. Willingly, cheerfully.
**Readiness,** *n.* I. Promptness, promptitude, expedition, quickness, alertness, alacrity.
2. Dexterity, aptness, aptitude, expertness, facility, knack, easiness, skill, quickness.
3. Preparedness, ripeness, fit state, preparation.
4. Willingness, disposition, inclination, cheerfulness, ease, alacrity.
**Reading,** *n.* I. Perusal.
2. Study of books.
3. Version, interpretation, lection.
4. Lecture, prelection, public recital.
5. Delineation, representation, rendering.
**Readmission,** *n.* Readmittance.
**Readmittance,** *n.* Readmission.
**Ready,** *a.* I. Prepared, in readiness, fitted.
2. Prompt, quick, expeditious.
3. Apt, expert, dexterous, keen, prompt, nimble, unhesitating, facile, adroit, clever, quick, sharp, smart, skilful, handy.
4. Willing, disposed, inclined, free, cheerful.
5. Near, handy, convenient, commodious, at hand.
6. Easy, opportune, facile, short.
**Ready-witted,** *a.* Quick-witted.
**Reagent,** *n.* (*Chem.*) Test.
**Real,** *a.* I. Actual, veritable, substantial, substantive, absolute, positive, certain, actually being *or* existing.
2. True, genuine, authentic.
3. Intrinsic, internal, essential.
**Realgar,** *n.* Red orpiment, red sulphuret of arsenic.
**Reality,** *n.* I. Truth, verity, actuality, fact, actual existence, matter of fact.
2. Substantiality, being, substantialness.
3. (*Law.*) Realty, immobility.
**Realize,** *v. a.* I. Effect, effectuate, accomplish, perform, bring into being *or* act, work out, bring to pass.
2. Make real, consider as real, bring home to one's self, feel strongly.
3. Make certain, substantiate.
4. Earn, gain, acquire, get.
**Really,** *ad.* Actually, truly, absolutely, positively, certainly, verily, indeed, in fact, in reality, in truth, veritably.
**Realm,** *n.* I. Kingdom.
2. Province, department, region, sphere, domain.
**Realness,** *n.* Reality.
**Realty,** *n.* (*Law*) Reality, immobility.
**Ream,** *n.* Twenty quires.
**Reanimate,** *v. a.* I. Resuscitate, revive, bring to life, restore to life.
2. Reinvigorate, revive, enliven, cheer.
**Reanimation,** *n.* Reinvigoration, revival.
**Reap,** *v. a.* I. Cut with a sickle.
2. Gather, gain, get, obtain, receive.
**Reap,** *v. n.* Gather the harvest.
**Reaping-hook,** *n.* Sickle.
**Rear,** *n.* I. Hind part, background.
2. Hind part (*particularly of an army*).
**Rear,** *a.* Rare, raw, little cooked.
**Rear,** *v. a.* I. Raise, elevate, lift, raise up.
2. Exalt, elevate, lift up.
3. Bring up, raise, educate, instruct, train, foster, cherish, nurse.
4. Raise, breed.
5. Stir up, rouse.
6. Build up, construct, erect.
**Rearward,** *n.* I. Rearguard. See REREWARD.
2. End, tail, latter part, train behind.
**Reason,** *n.* I. Intellect, mind, sense, understanding, rational faculty, conception, judgment, intuitional faculty, thinking principle, intellectual powers *or* faculties, discursive power *or* faculty.
2. Cause, ground, principle, motive, consideration, account, efficient cause, sake.
3. Design, purpose, end, object, aim, final cause.
4. Argument, reasoning, ratiocination, right judgment, chain of reasoning, process of reasoning.
5. Reasonableness, wisdom, common-sense, good sense, right *or* just view.
6. Right, justice, fairness, equity.
7. Theory, exposition, rationale.
**Reason,** *v. n.* I. Draw conclusions, draw inferences, make deductions, ratiocinate, argue.
2. Argue, debate, dispute, chop logic, try conclusions, bandy words *or* arguments, hold *or* carry on an argument.
**Reasonable,** *a.* I. Right, equitable, fair, suitable, just, rational, honest, fit, proper, according to reason, agreeable to reason.
2. Judicious, sensible, wise, sagacious, enlightened, intelligent.
3. Tolerable, moderate, considerable.
4. Rational, intellectual, endowed with reason.
5. Sane, sound, sober, rational.
**Reasonably,** *ad.* I. Moderately, tolerably, in a moderate degree.
2. Rationally, with reason.

**Reasoning,** *n.* Ratiocination, argumentation, argument.
**Reassume,** *v. a.* Resume, take again.
**Reassurance,** *n.* 1. Renewed assurance.
2. (*Law.*) Reinsurance.
**Reassure,** *v. a.* 1. Hearten, enhearten, encourage, cheer, comfort, embolden, strengthen, inspirit, assure again, restore courage to.
2. (*Law.*) Reinsure.
**Rebate,** *v. a.* 1. Blunt, beat back.
2. Diminish, lessen, reduce, abate, bate.
3. Cut, pare, rabbet.
**Rebate,** *n* 1. Diminution, lessening.
2. (*Com.*) Discount, allowance, deduction, reduction, drawback, abatement.
**Rebel,** *n.* Insurgent, traitor, revolter.
**Rebel,** *v. n.* Revolt, resist lawful authority.
**Rebellion,** *n.* Insurrection, sedition, revolt, mutiny, resistance, contumacy.
**Rebellious,** *a.* Insubordinate, intractable, disobedient, mutinous, refractory, contumacious, seditious.
**Rebound,** *v. n.* 1. Reverberate, recoil, react, spring back, fly back, bound back, ricochet.
2. Reverberate, re-echo.
**Rebound,** *n.* Resilience, repercussion, reaction, recoil, reverberation.
**Rebuff,** *n.* 1. Repercussion, beating back.
2. Repulse, check, opposition, resistance, defeat, discouragement.
3. Refusal, rejection, repulse.
**Rebuff,** *v. a.* Repel, resist, reject, check, oppose, refuse, beat back.
**Rebuild,** *v. a.* Reconstruct, renew.
**Rebuke,** *v. a.* Censure, reprove, reprehend, reprimand, chide, admonish, blame, upbraid, lecture, scold, scold at, find fault with, remonstrate with, silence.
**Rebuke,** *n.* 1. Censure, reprimand, remonstrance, expostulation, reproof, chiding, reproval, reprehension, blame, reproach.
2. Chastisement, punishment, affliction.
**Rebut,** *v. a.* 1. Repel, rebuff, drive back.
2. Repel (*by argument* or *by evidence*), confute, refute, disprove, show the fallacy of.
**Recalcitrant,** *a.* Opposing, refractory.
**Recalcitrate,** *v. a.* Oppose, kick against, be refractory.
**Recalcitration,** *n.* Opposition, repugnance, kicking back.
**Recall,** *v. a.* 1. Revoke, retract, recant, repeal, abjure, rescind, annul, overrule, cancel, nullify, countermand, set aside.
2. Recollect, remember, recall to mind.
**Recall,** *n.* Revocation, recantation, retraction.
**Recant,** *v. a.* Retract, revoke, recall, annul, abjure, disown, disavow, unsay.
**Recantation,** *n.* Retraction, revocation, recall, abjuration.
**Recapitulate,** *v. a.* Repeat, reiterate, rehearse, recite, run over, sum up, give a summary of.
**Recapitulation,** *n.* Summary, summing up, concise statement.
**Recede,** *v. n.* 1. Retire, withdraw, retreat, retrograde, move back, return.
2. Withdraw, desist.
**Receipt,** *n.* 1. Reception.
2. Reception, admission.
3. Recipe, prescription, formulary.
4. (*Com.*) Acquittance, quittance, acknowledgment of payment.
**Receive,** *v. a.* 1. Take, accept, derive, obtain, acquire, get.
2. Admit, take in.
3. Entertain, welcome, greet.
4. Allow, permit, tolerate.
5. Believe, embrace, give credence to.
6. Hold, contain, have capacity for, retain, admit.
7. Suffer.
**Received,** *a.* Accepted, current, admitted, believed.
**Receiver,** *n.* 1. Recipient.
2. Receptacle.
**Recension,** *n* 1. Review, examination, enumeration.
2. Review, re-examination, revisal.
**Recent,** *a.* 1. New, novel.
2. Late, fresh, newly come.
3. Latter, modern.
**Recently,** *ad.* Lately, newly, freshly, not long ago.
**Receptacle,** *n.* Depository, repository, receiver, reservoir.
**Reception,** *n.* 1. Receiving, receipt.
2. Welcome, entertainment.
3. Party, *soirée.*
4. Admission, credence, acceptance, allowance.
5. Admission, admittance.
**Recess,** *n.* 1. Retreat, nook, corner, niche, place of retirement.
2. Intermission, respite, remission of labor, suspension of business, vacation
3. Withdrawing, withdrawal, retreat, retirement, recession.
4. Seclusion, privacy.
5. Departure.
**Recherché,** *a.* [Fr.] Choice, select, uncommon, rare, exquisite, elegant.
**Recipe,** *n.* Receipt, prescription, formulary.
**Recipient,** *n.* Receiver.
**Reciprocal,** *a.* 1. Mutual, commutual, correlative.
2. Interchangeable.
3. Alternate.
**Reciprocally,** *a.* Mutually, interchangeably.
**Reciprocalness,** *n.* Alternateness, mutual return.
**Reciprocate,** *v. n.* Alternate, act interchangeably.
**Reciprocate,** *v. a.* Interchange, exchange, requite.
**Reciprocation,** *n.* 1. Interchange, exchange, reciprocity.
2. Alternation.
**Reciprocity,** *n.* Interchange, reciprocation, reciprocalness, exchange, mutuality.
**Recital,** *n.* 1. Repetition, rehearsal, recitation.
2. Narration, relation, description, telling, account, statement, explanation, detail.
3. Narrative, story, history.
**Recitation,** *n.* Recital, rehearsal, repetition.
**Recite,** *v. a.* 1. Repeat, rehearse, say by heart, repeat by note.
2. Narrate, relate, tell, describe, recount.
3. Enumerate, tell over, recapitulate, detail, number, count.
**Reckless,** *a.* Careless, heedless, rash, thoughtless, negligent, indifferent, regardless, unconcerned, inattentive, remiss, mindless, inconsiderate, uncircumspect, headlong, indiscreet, incautious, giddy, imprudent, improvident, volatile, wild, flighty, unsteady, giddy-brained, hare-brained, foolhardy, over-venturesome.
**Recklessly,** *ad.* Heedlessly, carelessly, in a reckless manner.
**Reckon,** *v. a.* 1. Count, number, compute, calculate, enumerate, cast, cast up.
2. Estimate, esteem, account, regard, repute, value.
**Reckon,** *v. n.* Compute, calculate, estimate, cast account.
**Reckoner,** *n.* Counter, calculator, computer.
**Reckon for.** Pay a penalty for.
**Reckoning,** *n.* 1. Counting, computation, calculation.

2. Estimate.
3. Account, register, score, charge, bill.
4. Esteem, account, estimation.

**Reckon on.** Depend upon, place dependence on, count upon, reckon upon.

**Reckon with.** Settle an account with, call to account, exact penalty of.

**Reclaim,** *v. a.* 1. Reform, amend.
2. Regain, recover, restore, reinstate.
3. Correct, reduce to order, amend.
4. Tame, make gentle.

**Reclaimable,** *a.* 1. Recoverable, redeemable.
2. Reformable, amendable, corrigible, improvable.

**Reclamation,** *n.* 1. Recovery.
2. Demand, claim.

**Recline,** *v. a.* Lean.

**Recline,** *v. n.* 1. Lean.
2. Couch, lie, lie down, be recumbent.
3. Rest, repose.

**Reclining,** *a.* 1. Leaning, recumbent, lying.
2. Resting, reposing.

**Recluse,** *a.* Secluded, sequestered, retired, solitary, shut up.

**Recluse,** *n.* Hermit, anchoret, solitary, solitaire, anchorite, eremite, ascetic.

**Reclusion,** *n.* Seclusion, retirement.

**Reclusory,** *n.* Hermitage.

**Recognition,** *n.* 1. Recollection, memory, remembrance.
2. Acknowledgment, avowal, confession.

**Recognizance,** *n.* 1. Recognition, acknowledgment, avowal.
2. Badge, token.

**Recognize,** *v. a.* 1. Know again, remember as formerly known, notice as already known.
2. Acknowledge, admit, own, avow, confess, confess knowledge of.
3. Allow, concede, grant.
4. Greet, salute.

**Recoil,** *v. n.* 1. Rebound, reverberate, react, spring back, fly back, bound back.
2. Retire, retreat, withdraw.
3. Shrink, falter, fail, flinch, blench, quail, draw back.

**Recoil,** *n.* Resilience, rebound, reaction.

**Recoil from.** Abhor, loathe, abominate, detest, feel disgust at, shrink from.

**Recollect,** *v. a.* Recall, remember, call up, call to mind, call to remembrance.

**Recollection,** *n.* 1. Remembrance, memory.
2. Reminiscence, memory.

**Recommend,** *v. a.* 1. Commend, praise, approve.
2. Make acceptable, attract favor to.
3. Commit, commend.
4. Advise, counsel.

**Recommendation,** *n.* Commendation, praise, approval, approbation, good opinion.

**Recompense,** *v. a.* 1. Reward, repay, requite, compensate, satisfy, remunerate.
2. Reimburse, indemnify, redress, make up for, make amends for.
3. Redeem, pay for.

**Recompense,** *n.* 1. Reward, satisfaction, repayment, remuneration, compensation, indemnity, indemnification, amends, satisfaction.
2. Requital, retribution.

**Reconcilable,** *a.* 1. Appeasable, placable, forgiving.
2. Consistent.

**Reconcile,** *v. a.* 1. Conciliate, pacify, appease, propitiate, restore to friendship, reunite.
2. Content, bring to acquiescence, make contented.
3. Harmonize, make consistent, bring into harmony.
4. Settle, adjust, compose, heal, make up.

**Reconcilement,** *n.* See RECONCILIATION.

**Reconciliation,** *n.* 1. Pacification, accommodation, reconcilement, reunion, adjustment, restoration of harmony.
2. Agreement, congruity, consonance, harmony, concordance, consistency, congruency, correspondence.
3. Appeasement, propitiation, atonement, expiation.

**Recondite,** *a.* 1. Hidden, occult, dark, obscure, abstruse, transcendental, mystic, mystical, secret, concealed.
2. Profound, deep, abstruse.

**Reconnoissance,** *n.* Preliminary survey, rough survey, examination.

**Reconnoitre,** *v. a.* Inspect, view, survey, examine, spy out.

**Reconquer,** *v. a.* Recover, regain.

**Reconsider,** *v. a.* Review, consider again.

**Reconsideration,** *n.* Renewed consideration.

**Reconstruct,** *v. a.* Rebuild, re-establish, construct again.

**Reconstruction,** *n.* Rebuilding, re-establishment, restoration, renovation, redintegration, reconstitution.

**Record,** *v. a.* Register, enroll, chronicle, enter, note, make an entry of, take down, make a memorandum of.

**Record,** *n.* 1. Register, account, note, chronicle, minute, memorandum, memorial, enrolment, registry, memoir.
2. Vestige, trace, memorial.
3. Memory, remembrance.
4. Attestation, testimony, witness.
5. History, personal history.

**Recorder,** *n.* Registrar, register, clerk.

**Recount,** *v. a.* Rehearse, relate, recite, narrate, enumerate, detail, describe, particularize, tell, give an account of, repeat.

**Recourse,** *n.* Resort, recurrence.

**Recover,** *v. a.* 1. Regain, reclaim, get back, win back.
2. Retrieve, repair, recruit, make up for.
3. Heal, cure, restore, revive.
4. Rescue, save.
5. (*Law.*) Obtain by course of law, get by judgment.

**Recover,** *v. n.* 1. Rally, regain health, get well, be restored to health.
2. Be restored, be reinstated, regain the former state.
3. (*Law.*) Obtain judgment, succeed.

**Recovery,** *n.* 1. Regaining, recuperation, retrieval, redemption.
2. Recruiting, restoration, convalescence.

**Recreancy,** *n.* Dastardliness, cowardice, pusillanimity, mean-spiritedness.

**Recreant,** *a.* 1. Cowardly, dastardly, base, craven, pusillanimous, mean-spirited, faint-hearted, yielding.
2. Apostate, treacherous, false, unfaithful, faithless, untrue, backsliding.

**Recreant,** *n.* 1. Coward, dastard.
2. Apostate, renegade, backslider.

**Recreate,** *v. a.* 1. Refresh, entertain, divert, amuse, cheer, enliven.
2. Delight, gratify, please.
3. Relieve, revive, reanimate.

**Recreate,** *v. n.* Unbend, take recreation, be diverted, be amused.

**Recreation,** *n.* 1. Amusement, diversion, entertainment, relaxation, sport, play, pastime, cheer.
2. Relief, refreshment.

**Recreative,** *a.* 1. Amusing, diverting, entertaining.
2. Refreshing, relieving.

**Recrement,** *n.* Scoria, dross, spume, scum, refuse, dregs.
**Recriminate,** *v. n.* Return an accusation, retort a charge.
**Recrimination,** *n.* Counter-accusation, counter-charge, retort.
**Recriminatory,** *a.* Recriminating, retorting, accusing.
**Recruit,** *v. a.* 1. Repair, replenish, supply, lack.
2. Refresh, revive, restore, renovate, renew, recover, reinvigorate, regain, retrieve.
3. (*Mil.*) Reinforce, supply with new men.
**Recruit,** *v. n.* 1. Raise new soldiers, get supplies of men, enlist troops.
2. Revive, recover, regain health, be restored to health, get well.
**Rectangular,** *a.* Right-angled.
**Rectify,** *v. a.* 1. Correct, redress, mend, amend, emend, better, improve, reform, adjust, regulate, straighten, set right, make right.
2. (*Chem.*) Refine, purify.
**Rectilineal,** } *a.* Right-lined, straight, straight-
**Rectilinear,** } lined.
**Rectitude,** *n.* 1. Right, uprightness, integrity, probity, honesty, justice, equity, virtue, goodness, righteousness, principle, conscientiousness, straightforwardness.
2. Correctness.
**Rector,** *n.* Pastor, clergyman.
**Rectorate,** } *n.* Office of rector.
**Rectorship,** }
**Rectory,** *n.* Parsonage, rector's mansion.
**Recumbent,** *a.* 1. Leaning, reclining, lying.
2. Reposing, inactive, listless, idle.
**Recuperate,** *v. a.* Recover, regain, get back.
**Recuperation,** *n.* Recovery.
**Recuperative,** *a.* Restorative.
**Recur,** *v. n.* 1. Return, come back, come again, be repeated.
2. Run in the mind, run in one's head, return to the thought.
3. Resort, revert, have recourse, go for help.
**Recurrence,** } *n.* 1. Return.
**Recurrency,** } 2. Resort, the having recourse.
**Recurrent,** } *a.* Returning (*at intervals*), re-
**Recurring,** } newed, intermittent, periodical.
**Recurved,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Curved outward, curved backward, recurvous, recurvate.
**Recusancy,** *n.* Nonconformity, dissent, heterodoxy.
**Recusant,** *n.* Dissenter, nonconformist.
**Recusative,** *a.* Refusing, denying, negative.
**Redbreast,** *n.* Robin.
**Redbud,** *n.* Judas-tree.
**Red-chalk,** *n.* Reddle.
**Red-deal,** *n.* Scotch pine timber.
**Redden,** *v. a.* Make red.
**Redden,** *v. n.* Blush, color, become red.
**Reddish-yellow,** *a.* See CARROTY.
**Reddition,** *n.* 1. Restitution, restoration, rendition, surrender.
2. Explanation, representation.
**Reddle,** *n.* Red-chalk.
**Redeem,** *v. a.* 1. Repurchase, buy back, regain, retrieve.
2. Ransom, free, liberate, save, rescue.
3. Deliver, recover, rescue, save.
4. Compensate, recompense, make amends for, atone for.
5. Fulfil, keep, discharge, make good, perform.
6. Improve, employ well.
**Redeemable,** *a.* Recoverable, retrievable.
**Redeemer,** *n.* 1. Ransomer.
2. [With *The* prefixed.] Christ, Jesus, Immanuel, Emmanuel, the Saviour, the Messiah, the Mediator, the Intercessor, the Advocate, the Judge, the Anointed, the Word, the Son of Man, the Son of God, the Son of David, the Lamb of God, Shiloh, the Prince of Peace, the Bread of Life, the Sun of Righteousness, the Lord, the Light of the World, the Good Shepherd, the Way, the Truth, the Life.
**Redemption,** *n.* 1. Repurchase, retrieval, recovery.
2. Ransom, release, liberation, deliverance, rescue, salvation.
3. Performance, discharge, fulfilment.
**Red-eye,** *n.* (*Ich.*) Rud (*Leuciscus erythophthalmus*).
**Red-gum,** *n.* (*Med.*) Gum-rash, tooth-rash.
**Redintegrate,** *v. a.* Restore, renew, reconstitute, re-establish, reconstruct, renovate.
**Redintegration,** *n.* Restoration, renewal, re-establishment, reconstruction, renovation.
**Re-disburse,** *v. a.* Refund, repay.
**Red-lead,** *n.* Minium.
**Red-lead-ore,** *n.* (*Min.*) Crocoisite.
**Red-letter,** *a.* Fortunate, lucky, happy, auspicious.
**Red-manganese,** *n.* (*Min.*) Diallogite.
**Red-marl,** *n.* Red sandstone.
**Redolence,** } *n.* Fragrance, aroma, odor, perfume,
**Redolency,** } sweet scent, grateful odor, savor.
**Redolent,** *a.* Fragrant, odoriferous, odorous, aromatic, balmy, scented, sweet-smelling.
**Redouble,** *v. a.* 1. Reduplicate, multiply, double again, reiterate.
2. Augment, increase.
**Redouble,** *v. n.* Be repeated, become twice as much.
**Redoubt,** *n.* (*Fort.*) Outwork, temporary field-work.
**Redoubtable,** *a.* 1. Formidable, terrible (*to foes*), dreadful, awful.
2. Valiant.
**Redound,** *v. n.* Result, contribute, conduce, tend.
**Redound,** *n.* Result, return, requital, reflection.
**Red-precipitate,** *n.* Red oxide of mercury.
**Red-puccoon,** *n.* Blood-root, bloodwort, red-root (*Sanguinaria Canadensis*).
**Redress,** *v. a.* 1. Remedy, repair, set right, amend, correct, rectify, adjust, order.
2. Relieve, ease, compensate, make amends to.
**Redress,** *n.* Remedy, relief, amends, compensation, reparation, atonement, indemnification.
**Redressal,** *n.* Redress, amendment, correction, rectification, reparation.
**Red-root,** *n.* 1. New Jersey tea (*Ceanothus Americanus*).
2. Stoneweed, puccoon-root (*Lithospermum arvense*).
3. Blood-root, bloodwort, red-puccoon (*Sanguinaria Canadensis*).
**Red saunders-wood.** Red sandal-wood, ruby-wood.
**Red squirrel.** Chickaree (*Sciurus Hudsonius*).
**Redtop,** *n.* (*Bot.*) English grass, herds-grass (*Agrostis vulgaris*).
**Reduce,** *v. a.* 1. Bring, restore.
2. Render, form, mould, make, shape, model, remodel, convert into, resolve into, change into, bring into, bring to.
3. Diminish, contract, lessen, abate, decrease, attenuate, contract, abridge, curtail, shorten, cut short, cut down, make less.
4. Depress, debase, lower, degrade, impair, weaken, dwarf.
5. Subdue, subject, conquer, subjugate, overpower, overthrow, vanquish, master, bring into subjection.
6. Impoverish, ruin, bring to want, bring to poverty.
7. (*Math.*) Solve, resolve.

**Reduction,** *n.* I. Conversion, resolution, transmutation.
2. Diminution, contraction, decrease, abridgment, lessening, retrenchment, abatement, decrement, curtailment, lowering.
3. Depression, detrusion, abasement, lowering.
4. Subjugation, conquest, subjection, mastery, subdual.
5. (*Math.*) Resolution, solution.

**Redundance,** } *n.* I. Excess, superabundance,
**Redundancy,** } superfluity, exuberance.
2. Diffuseness.

**Redundant,** *a.* I. Excessive, superabundant, exuberant, superfluous, overflowing, plentiful, copious
2. Diffuse.

**Redundantly,** *ad.* Superfluously, superabundantly, excessively.

**Reduplicate,** *v. a.* Redouble, repeat, multiply, double again.

**Reduplication,** *n.* Doubling, duplication, redoubling, repetition.

**Redwing,** *n.* Wind-thrush, swine-pipe, red-sided thrush (*Turdus iliacus*).

**Re-echo,** *v. a.* Reverberate, echo back.

**Re-echo,** *v. n.* Resound, echo back.

**Re-echo,** *n.* Reverberation, echo of an echo.

**Reed,** *n.* I. Pastoral pipe, rustic pipe, musical instrument.
2. Arrow.

**Reed-bird,** *n.* Rice-bird, bobolink (*Dolichonyx oryzivora*).

**Reed-bunting,** *n.* Chuck, reed-sparrow, water-sparrow, ring-bunting, king-bird (*Emberiza schæniclus*).

**Reed-grass,** *n.* Bur-reed.

**Reed-mace,** *n.* Cat-tail, mace-reed (*Typha latifolia*).

**Reed-organ,** *n.* Harmoneon, melodeon, seraphine.

**Reed-sparrow,** *n.* See REED-BUNTING.

**Reef,** *v. a.* Take in (*sail*).

**Reek,** *n.* I. Smoke, steam, exhalation, vapor, effluvium, fume, mist.
2. Rick, stack.

**Reek,** *v. n.* Smoke, steam, exhale, emit vapor.

**Reeking,** *a.* Smoking, steaming.

**Reeky,** *a.* I. Smoky, foul, sooty, sweaty.
2. Tanned, black, dark.

**Reel,** *v. n.* I. Totter, stagger, falter, vacillate, waver.
2. Whirl, spin.

**Re-enforce,** *v. a.* Strengthen, give additional support to, enforce anew.

**Re-enforcement,** *n.* Additional force, fresh assistance, new help.

**Re-enkindle,** *v. a.* Rekindle.

**Re-entering,** *a.* Re-entrant, turning inward, pointing inward.

**Reermouse,** *n.* Bat, rearmouse.

**Re-establish,** *v. a.* Restore, reinstate, replace, renew, renovate, establish again.

**Re-establishment,** *n.* Restoration, renewed confirmation.

**Refection,** *n.* Luncheon, refreshment, simple repast.

**Refective,** *a.* Refreshing, restorative.

**Refectory,** *n.* Refreshment-room, eating-room.

**Refer,** *v. a.* I. Direct, consign, commit, leave, deliver over, give in charge.
2. Attribute, ascribe, impute, assign.

**Refer,** *v. n.* I. Relate, point, belong, pertain, appertain, have reference, respect.
2. Appeal, have recourse, apply, consult.
3. Allude, advert, direct attention, make allusion, make reference, hint at.

**Referable,** *a.* Ascribable. See REFERRIBLE.

**Referee,** *n.* Arbitrator, arbiter, judge, umpire.

**Reference,** *n.* I. Respect, regard, relation, concern.
2. Allusion, intimation, hint.

**Referrible,** *a.* Ascribable, attributable, assignable, imputable, referable, to be referred.

**Refine,** *v. a.* I. Purify, clarify, fine, defecate.
2. Cultivate, polish, make elegant.

**Refine,** *v. n.* I. Become pure, be clarified.
2. Improve, make improvement.
3. Be over-nice, affect nicety, split hairs, make useless distinctions.

**Refined,** *a.* I. Purified, clarified.
2. Accomplished, cultivated, polished, elegant, genteel, stylish, courtly, polite, civilized, well-bred, fine, finished.
3. Classic, classical, pure, chaste, Attic, delicate, nice, exquisite.

**Refinement,** *n.* I. Clarification, purification, filtration, defecation, sublimation.
2. Improvement.
3. Elegance, polish, purity, delicacy, cultivation, civility, civilization, culture, politeness, gentility, good-breeding.
4. Subtilty, nicety, fineness, delicacy.
5. Subtilty, finesse, sophistry, artifice, nicety.

**Refit,** *v. a.* Repair, fit anew, restore.

**Reflect,** *v. a.* Mirror, throw back.

**Reflect,** *v. n.* I. Think, cogitate, muse, meditate, deliberate, ponder, consider, contemplate, ruminate.
2. Bring reproach, cast reproach.

**Reflecting,** *a.* I. That reflects.
2. Thoughtful, considerate, reflective, given to reflection, meditative, provident.

**Reflection,** *n.* I. Reflecting.
2. Reflected image.
3. Thought, meditation, cogitation, deliberation, contemplation, rumination, consideration, musing, thinking.
4. Thought, opinion, result of reflection.
5. Censure, reproach.

**Reflective,** *a.* I. Reflecting, reflexive.
2. Thoughtful, musing, deliberating, pondering, cogitating, reasoning.

**Reflector,** *n.* Mirror, speculum.

**Reflex,** *a.* I. Retroactive, introspective, reflective.
2. (*Bot.*) Reflected, bent back, reflexed.

**Reflexive,** *a.* Reflective.

**Refluence,** *n.* Reflux, ebb, regurgitation, return, flowing back.

**Refluent,** *a.* Ebbing, flowing back.

**Reflux,** *n.* Ebb. See REFLUENCE.

**Reform,** *v. a.* I. Correct, amend, mend, emend, ameliorate, meliorate, better, improve, rectify, repair, restore, reclaim.
2. Remodel, form anew.

**Reform,** *v. n.* Amend, become better.

**Reform,** *n.* Reformation, amendment, rectification, correction.

**Reformation,** *n.* Reform, amendment, correction, rectification, act of reforming.

**Reformative,** } *a.* Reforming.
**Reformatory,** }

**Refract,** *v. a.* Deflect (*rays*), deviate, turn from a straight course.

**Refracting,** *a.* Deflecting, refractive.

**Refraction,** *n.* Deflection (*of rays*), deviation.

**Refractive,** *a.* Refracting.

**Refractory,** *a.* Stubborn, obstinate, stiff, perverse, dogged, mulish, heady, headstrong, cross-grained, intractable, unyielding, contumacious, disobedient, unruly, ungovernable, cantankerous, unmanageable, recalcitrant.

**Refrain,** *v. a.* Restrain, withhold, keep back, curb, govern.

**Refrain,** *v. n.* Abstain, forbear, withhold, hold one's self back.
**Refrain,** *n.* Burden (*of a song*).
**Refrangibility,** *n.* Refrangibleness.
**Refrangibleness,** *n.* Refrangibility.
**Refresh,** *v. a.* 1. Invigorate, reanimate, revive, relieve, recruit, recreate, enliven, freshen, cheer, reinvigorate, give fresh vigor to.
2. Repair, restore, renew, retouch, renovate, freshen up.
**Refreshing,** *a.* Reviving, invigorating, cooling, reanimating, grateful, pleasant, comfortable.
**Refreshment,** *n* 1. Relief, invigoration, new life, restoration.
2. Food, nourishment.
3. Regalement, entertainment, repast.
**Refrigerant,** *n.* Refrigerative, cooling medicine.
**Refrigerate,** *v a.* Cool, chill, make cool, reduce the heat of, refresh.
**Refrigeration,** *n.* Cooling.
**Refrigerative,** *a.* Cooling, refrigeratory, refrigerant.
**Refrigerative,** *n* Refrigerant, cooling medicine.
**Refrigeratory,** *a.* Cooling, refrigerative.
**Refuge,** *n.* 1. Shelter, safety, security, protection.
2. Asylum, retreat, sanctuary, stronghold, covert, hiding-place, harbor, place of safety, place of refuge.
3. Resort, expedient, device, contrivance, shift.
**Refulgence,** } *n.* Brightness, brilliancy, splendor,
**Refulgency,** } resplendence, lustre, radiance, effulgence.
**Refulgent,** *a.* Bright, shining, brilliant, splendid, resplendent, lustrous, radiant, effulgent.
**Refund,** *v. a.* 1. Repay, reimburse, pay back, restore.
2. Return, repay, restore, give back.
**Refusal,** *n.* 1. Denial, negation.
2. Option, pre-emption, choice of accepting *or* declining.
**Refuse,** *v. a.* 1. Deny, decline.
2. Reject, repudiate, exclude, repel, rebuff, decline.
**Refuse,** *n.* Dross, scum, dregs, sediment, lees, draff, recrement, rubbish, trash, offscum, offscouring, scoria, slag, offal, garbage, waste matter.
**Refuse,** *a.* Worthless, waste, refused, rejected.
**Refutation,** *n.* Confutation, disproof, refutal.
**Refute,** *v. a.* 1. Confute, disprove, repel.
2. Overthrow.
**Regain,** *v. a.* Recover, get back, gain anew, retrieve, reobtain, repossess.
**Regal,** *a.* Kingly, royal.
**Regale,** *v. a.* Entertain, refresh, gratify, delight.
**Regale,** *v. n.* Feast, fare sumptuously.
**Regale,** *n.* Banquet *or* feast, sumptuous repast.
**Regalement,** *n.* Refreshment, entertainment, gratification.
**Regalia,** *n. pl.* Ensigns of royalty, regal paraphernalia.
**Regality,** *n.* Royalty, sovereignty, kingship.
**Regally,** *ad.* Royally.
**Regard,** *v. a.* 1. Observe, notice, mark, remark, watch, behold, set eyes on, look at, look upon, turn one's eyes.
2. Heed, mind, attend to, respect, pay attention to, give heed to, care for.
3. Esteem, value, respect, reverence, honor.
4. Consider, reckon, account, deem, think, believe, hold, suppose, imagine, treat, look upon, use, estimate.
5. Have reference to, relate to, respect.
**Regard,** *v. n.* Consider, reflect, care, bear in mind.
**Regard,** *n.* 1. Look, view, gaze.
2. Notice, consideration, attention, heed, observation, observance, care, concern.
3. Relation, reference, respect, account, view.
4. Esteem, affection, liking, respect, consideration, estimation, attachment, reverence, sympathy, interest, concern, love, deference, honor.
5. Repute, esteem, note, account, eminence, reputation.
6. Matter, point, particular, consideration, condition.
**Regardable,** *a.* Observable, remarkable, worthy of regard.
**Regardful,** *a.* Heedful, mindful, careful, watchful, attentive, observing, thoughtful, considerate.
**Regardfully,** *ad.* 1. Attentively, heedfully.
2. Respectfully.
**Regarding,** *a.* Touching, concerning, respecting, having regard to, in reference to.
**Regardless,** *a.* Heedless, unmindful, careless, negligent, indifferent, disregarding, unconcerned, neglectful, unobservant, mindless, inattentive.
**Regardlessly,** *ad.* Heedlessly, carelessly, negligently.
**Regardlessness,** *n.* Heedlessness, inattention, negligence.
**Regards,** *n. pl.* Commendations, compliments, respects, remembrances, good wishes.
**Regatta,** *n.* Boat race.
**Regency,** *n.* Rule, authority, government.
**Regenerate,** *v. a.* 1. Reproduce, revive, renovate, generate anew.
2. (*Theol.*) Convert, change, renew.
**Regenerate,** *a.* 1. Reproduced.
2. Converted, regenerated, renewed in spirit, born again.
**Regenerated,** *a.* See REGENERATE.
**Regeneration,** *n.* 1. Reproduction.
2. Conversion, new birth.
**Regent,** *n.* Governor, ruler, director, commander.
**Regent,** *a.* Ruling, governing, regnant.
**Regent-ship,** *n.* Regency.
**Regicide,** *n.* 1. Murderer of a king, king-killer.
2. Murder of a king.
**Régime,** *n.* [Fr.] Government, administration, rule, political system, form of government.
**Regimen,** *n.* 1. Dietetics, regulation of diet.
2. Diet, food, fare.
3. Hygiene, preservation of health.
4. (*Gram.*) Government.
**Regimentals,** *n. pl.* Military uniform.
**Region,** *n.* 1. Country, clime, territory, division, district, tract, province, quarter, tract, locality.
2. Portion, part, space, neighborhood, vicinity, sphere.
**Register,** *n.* 1. Record (*as of deeds*, or *of births and deaths*), list, chronicle, roll, schedule, catalogue, archive, annals.
2. Registrar, clerk, keeper of a record, registrary.
**Register,** *v. a.* 1. Record, make a record of.
2. Enroll, enter on a list, chronicle.
**Registrar,** *n.* Keeper of a record, register.
**Registration,** *n.* Enrolment, registry.
**Registry,** *n.* 1. Registering, enrolment, recording.
2. Registrar's office.
3. Record, register.
**Regnancy,** *n.* Rule, reign, predominance.
**Regnant,** *a.* 1. Reigning, regent.
2. Ruling, predominant, prevalent, predominating.
**Regorge,** *v. a.* 1. Devour, swallow eagerly.
2. Vomit.
**Regress,** *n.* Return, retrocession, reflux, retrogression, refluence, ebb, retirement, passage back, retrogradation, regression.
**Regression,** *n.* Return. See REGRESS.
**Regressively,** *ad.* Backward, by return.

**Regret,** *n.* 1. Grief, sorrow, trouble, sorrowful longing, concern, lamentation.
2. Penitence, compunction, remorse, repentance, contrition, self-condemnation.
**Regret,** *v. a.* 1. Lament, grieve at, be sorry for, deplore.
2. Repent, repent of, mourn for, rue, bewail, bemoan.
**Regular,** *a.* 1. Normal, formal, according to rule.
2. Stated, fixed, established, periodical.
3. Steady, constant, uniform.
4. Orderly, methodical, systematic, just, uniform, unvarying.
5. Thorough, out-and-out, perfect, complete (*colloq.*).
**Regularity,** *n.* 1. Order, rule, method, system, uniformity, even tenor, regular course.
2. Punctuality, regular recurrence.
3. Steadiness, constancy.
**Regulate,** *v. a.* 1. Methodize, dispose, adjust, arrange, order, systematize, reduce to method, adjust by rule, put in order, keep in order.
2. Direct, order, manage, govern, conduct, guide, rule.
**Regulation,** *n.* 1. Adjustment, disposition, disposure, disposal, ordering, arrangement.
2. Rule, order, law, precept.
**Regurgitate,** *v. n.* Flow back, be poured back.
**Regurgitation,** *n.* 1. Flowing back, reflux, refluence.
2. Reabsorption.
**Rehabilitate,** *v. a.* 1. Reinstate (*in a former right* or *privilege*), re-establish, restore, qualify again.
2. Re-establish, restore, renew, reinvigorate, reinstate, redintegrate, renovate, reconstruct, reconstitute, restore to former vigor and splendor.
**Rehabilitation,** *n.* 1. Reinstatement (*in a former right* or *privilege*), restoration, re-establishment, reinvestiture.
2. Instauration, restoration to former power and splendor, renewal, renovation, redintegration, reconstitution, revivification, reinvigoration.
**Rehearsal,** *n.* 1. Repetition, recital.
2. Narration, narrative, statement, relation, telling, recounting, account, story, history.
**Rehearse,** *v. a.* 1. Repeat, recite.
2. Narrate, relate, recount, describe, tell, portray, delineate, depict, set forth, recapitulate, detail, give an account of.
**Reign,** *v. n.* 1. Rule, be king, exercise sovereign authority.
2. Prevail, be predominant.
3. Rule, govern.
**Reign,** *n.* 1. Royalty, sovereignty, royal authority, supreme power, imperial sway.
2. Power, influence, rule, sway, prevalence.
3. Realm, empire, kingdom, dominions.
**Reimburse,** *v. a.* 1. Refund, repay, pay back, restore, make up anew.
2. Indemnify, requite, compensate.
**Reimbursement,** *n.* Repayment.
**Rein,** *v. a.* Check, restrain, control, curb, bridle, hold.
**Reinforce,** *v. a.* See RE-ENFORCE.
**Reins,** *n. pl.* 1. Kidneys,
2. Loins, lower part of the back, lumbar region.
3. Affections, passions, inward impulses.
**Reinstall,** *v. a.* See REINSTATE.
**Reinstate,** *v. a.* Re-establish, replace, reinstall, place in a former state, rehabilitate, restore, reinvest with.
**Reinstatement,** *n.* Re-establishment, replacement, rehabilitation, restoration.
**Reiterate,** *v. a.* Repeat, repeat again, do again and again.
**Reiteration,** *n.* Repetition.
**Reject,** *v. a.* 1. Exclude, discard, eject, set aside, pass over, throw aside, cast off, lay aside, cast aside, cast away, put away, throw overboard.
2. Decline, refuse, repudiate, repel, rebuff, slight, despise, disapprove, renounce.
3. Refuse.
**Rejection,** *n.* 1. Exclusion.
2. Declination, refusal, repudiation.
**Rejoice,** *v. a.* Gladden, exhilarate, cheer, gratify, please, delight, transport, enrapture, make glad, enliven.
**Rejoice,** *v. n.* Exult, triumph, glory, joy, delight, be joyful, be gladdened, be exhilarated, be pleased, be delighted, take delight.
**Rejoicing,** *n.* Festivity.
**Rejoin,** *v. n.* Answer (*to a reply*).
**Rejoinder,** *n.* Answer (*to a reply*), replication.
**Rejuvenate,** *v. a.* Make young again, restore to youth.
**Rejuvenated,** *a.* Renascent.
**Relapse,** *v. n.* Fall back, return to a former state (*especially a bad state*), backslide.
**Relapse,** *n.* 1. Falling back, return to a former state (*especially a bad state*), lapse, backsliding.
2. Falling back, return to a former state.
**Relate,** *v. a.* Tell, recount, rehearse, recite, narrate, report, detail, describe, give an account of.
**Related,** *a.* 1. Connected, cognate, of the same nature.
2. Kindred, akin, kin, allied, of the same family.
**Relate to.** Respect, regard, concern, refer to, appertain to, belong to, pertain to.
**Relating,** *p. a.* Respecting, pertaining, belonging, relative.
**Relation,** *n.* 1. Recital, narration, narrative, account, statement, story, history, chronicle, tale, description, detail, report, rehearsal.
2. Connection, relationship, dependency, bearing.
3. Reference, respect, regard.
4. Connection, relative position.
5. Relationship, kindred, family tie, connection, kinship, affinity, consanguinity.
6. Kinsman, relative, connection.
**Relationship,** *n.* 1. Connection, relation, dependence.
2. Kindred, affinity, consanguinity, propinquity, kinship.
**Relative,** *a.* 1. Referring (*to something else*), not absolute.
2. Respecting, relating to, pertaining to, belonging to, connected with.
3. Particular, special, positive, definite, pertinent, relevant.
**Relative,** *n.* 1. Relation, kinsman, connection.
2. (*Gram.*) Relative pronoun.
**Relatively,** *ad.* With reference to something else, comparatively.
**Relax,** *v. a.* 1. Loosen, slacken, loose.
2. Weaken, enfeeble, debilitate, enervate, unbrace, prostrate, unstring.
3. Lessen, diminish, reduce, abate, remit, mitigate.
4. Unbend, ease, divert, recreate, entertain, amuse.
**Relax,** *v. n.* 1. Become lax, unbend.
2. Recreate, unbend, take recreation.
**Relaxation,** *n.* 1. Loosening, slackening.
2. Rest, recreation, ease, diversion, amusement.
**Relay,** *n.* Supply, relief, recruitment, reinforcement.
**Release,** *v. a.* 1. Liberate, unloose, free, loose, disengage, discharge, deliver, exempt, extricate, set free, set at liberty, let loose, let out.

2. Quit, let go, give up, acquit, remit, discharge, relinquish.
3. Free.

**Release,** *n.* I. Liberation, deliverance, discharge, freedom.
2. Exemption, exoneration, excuse, dispensation, absolution.
3. Acquittance, clearance, receipt in full.

**Relegate,** *v. a.* I. Transfer, remove, consign, remand, despatch.
2. Banish, expatriate, exile, transport.

**Relegation,** *n.* I. Removal, transference, consignment.
2. Banishment, exile, deportation, expatriation.

**Relent,** *v. n.* Soften (*in temper*), grow lenient *or* tender, abate severity *or* rigor, yield, relax, comply, feel compassion.

**Relentless,** *a.* Unrelenting, unpitying, unforgiving, implacable, inexorable, unappeasable, cruel, vindictive, rancorous, merciless, unmerciful, uncompassionate, pitiless, hard, unyielding, remorseless.

**Relevant,** *a.* Pertinent, applicable, fit, proper, apt, suitable, appropriate, apposite, to the purpose, to the point.

**Reliability,** *n.* [*Modern.*] Reliableness, trustworthiness.

**Reliable,** *a.* [*Modern.*] Trustworthy, trusty.

**Reliableness,** *n.* See RELIABILITY.

**Reliance,** *n.* I. Dependence, trust, confidence.
2. Hope, ground of trust, sure dependence.

**Reliant,** *a.* Confident, trusting, self-reliant.

**Relics,** *n. pl.* I. Remains, remnants, scraps, fragments, leavings, remainder.
2. Corpse, dead body, remains.
3. Memorial, memento, remembrance, souvenir, keepsake.

**Relict,** *n.* Widow.

**Relief,** *n.* I. Succor, help, assistance, aid, support, alleviation, mitigation, ease, comfort.
2. Release.
3. Redress, indemnification, remedy.
4. Projection, prominence, *rilievo.*

**Relieve,** *v. a.* I. Succor, aid, help, assist, comfort, free.
2. Allay, mitigate, assuage, soothe, lessen, palliate, ease, remedy, cure, remove, alleviate, abate, lighten, diminish.
3. Redress, indemnify, right.
4. Release, remedy.
5. Put in relief, set off by contrast.
6. Assist, help, support, sustain.

**Relight,** *v. a.* Rekindle, reillumine, relumine, relume, light again, light anew.

**Religion,** *n.* I. Science of duty (*to God and our fellows*), science of obligation (*as creatures of God*), that which binds us to the practice of righteousness.
2. Sentiment of faith, reverence, and love towards God; godliness, devoutness, devotion, holiness, sanctity, piety, virtue, goodness, practical piety.
3. System of faith, system of worship.

**Religious,** *a.* I. Devout, holy, godly, pious, devotional.
2. Conscientious, scrupulous, exact, strict, rigid.

**Religiously,** *ad.* I. Piously, devoutly.
2. Reverently.
3. Strictly, conscientiously, scrupulously, punctiliously, exactly.

**Relinquish,** *v. a.* I. Leave, quit, forsake, desert, renounce, forswear, abandon, cast off, give over, withdraw from.
2. Surrender, cede, yield, resign, renounce, forbear, abdicate, forego, deliver up, give up, part with; lay down, lay aside, waive.
3. Resign, renounce a claim to.

**Relinquishment,** *n.* I. Abandonment, derelictiion, desertion, abjuration.
2. Renunciation, surrender, cession, resignation, abandonment.

**Reliquiæ,** *n. pl.* Fossil remains.

**Relish,** *n.* I. Taste, flavor, savor.
2. Liking, fondness, taste, appreciation, zest, gusto, palate, appetite, predilection, partiality, inclination.
3. Quality, tinge, cast, touch, twang, manner, flavor, savor, sort.
4. Appetizer.
5. Delight, power of pleasing.
6. Tincture.

**Relish,** *v. a.* I. Like the taste *or* flavor of, taste with pleasure.
2. Like, enjoy, appreciate, be pleased with, take delight in, delight in, have a liking for.

**Relish,** *v. n.* I. Have a pleasing taste, be enjoyable.
2. Smack, taste, have a flavor.

**Relishable,** *a.* Gustable.

**Relishing,** *a.* Palatable, savory, flavorous.

**Relucent,** *a.* I. Shining, luminous, lucent, bright, glittering, resplendent.
2. Bright, shining, eminent.

**Reluctance,** *n.* Repugnance, unwillingness, aversion, dislike, disinclination.

**Reluctant,** *a.* Unwilling, loath, averse, backward, disinclined, indisposed.

**Relume,** *v. a.* Rekindle, reillumine, relumine, relight, light again, light anew.

**Rely on.** } Trust in, depend on, confide in, re-
**Rely upon.** } pose upon.

**Remain,** *v. n.* I. Continue, endure, abide, stay, last.
2. Be left, be left behind.
3. Stay, tarry, sojourn, dwell, abide, continue, wait, rest.
4. Continue, stay, keep.

**Remainder,** *n.* Remnant, residue, rest, remains, leavings, relics, surplus.

**Remains,** *n. pl.* I. Relics, remnants, scraps, fragments, leavings, remainder, refuse, odds and ends.
2. Dead body, corpse.
3. Productions, literary works, posthumous works.

**Remand,** *v. a.* Send back, order back, call back.

**Remark,** *n.* I. Notice, observation, heed, regard, consideration.
2. Comment, note, annotation, stricture, gloss.
3. Assertion, declaration, averment, statement, comment, utterance, saying.

**Remark,** *v. a.* I. Note, notice, observe, heed, regard, take notice of, attend to, pay attention to.
2. Express, observe (*in words*), utter, say.

**Remark,** *v. n.* Say, observe, state.

**Remarkable,** *a.* Noticeable, observable, notable, extraordinary, uncommon, unusual, singular, strange, rare, wonderful, distinguished, famous, eminent, conspicuous, prominent, striking, noteworthy, peculiar.

**Remarkably,** *ad.* Extraordinarily, uncommonly, singularly, surprisingly.

**Remediable,** *a.* Curable, retrievable, reparable, rectifiable, to be cured, to be remedied.

**Remedial,** *a.* Curing, healing, sanatory, sanative, corrective.

**Remediless,** *a.* I. Incurable, irremediable, cureless, desperate, hopeless, past cure.
2. Irreparable, irretrievable, irreclaimable, irrecoverable, irreversible, hopeless, past mending, past hope.
3. Ineffectual, powerless, incapable.

**Remedy,** *n.* I. Cure, antidote, specific, restorative, help, medicine, corrective, counteractive.
2. Reparation, redress, restoration, restitution, counteraction.
3. Relief, aid, help, assistance.
**Remedy,** *v. a.* I. Cure, heal, help.
2. Repair, redress, restore.
**Remember,** *v. a.* I. Recall, recollect, call to mind, call up, call to remembrance, have at one's fingers' ends, know by heart.
2. Retain, bear in mind, keep in mind, bear in memory, preserve the memory of, treasure in the memory, tax the memory with.
**Remembrance,** *n.* I. Reminiscence, recollection, calling to mind, revival in the mind.
2. Memory.
3. Memento, memorial, remembrancer, token, keepsake, souvenir.
4. Monument, memorial.
5. Thought, regard, consideration.
**Remembrancer,** *n.* Token, memorial, memento, remembrance, testimonial, monument, record, souvenir.
**Remiform,** *a.* Oar-shaped.
**Remind,** *v. a.* Suggest to, put in mind, jog the memory of, put in remembrance.
**Reminiscence,** *n.* Remembrance, recollection, calling to mind, memory.
**Remise,** *n.* (*Law.*) Surrender, release.
**Remise,** *v. a.* (*Law.*) Surrender, release, grant back.
**Remiss,** *a.* I. Slack, dilatory, slow, backward, behindhand, tardy, lax, languid.
2. Inattentive, negligent, careless, thoughtless, heedless, neglectful, lax, slothful, slack, slow, dilatory.
**Remissful,** *a.* Lenient, clement, gracious, forgiving.
**Remissible,** *a.* Excusable, venial, pardonable.
**Remission,** *n.* I. Relaxation, moderation, mitigation, lessening, abatement, diminution.
2. Release, relinquishment, discharge.
3. Intermission, suspension, interruption, suspense, stop, stoppage, respite, pause, rest, abatement.
4. Forgiveness, absolution, pardon, indulgence, acquittal, discharge, exoneration, excuse.
5. Release, relinquishment, surrender, renunciation.
**Remit,** *v. a.* I. Return, restore, replace, send back.
2. Relax, diminish, abate, bate.
3. Release.
4. Forgive, pardon, absolve, excuse, overlook, pass over.
5. Resign, surrender, give up, deliver up, relinquish.
6. Refer.
7. Transmit, forward, send.
**Remit,** *v. n.* Slacken, abate, lessen, diminish, decrease, grow less, intermit.
**Remittal,** *n.* I. Surrender, giving up.
2. Remission, remittance.
**Remnant,** *n.* I. Residue, remainder, remains, rest.
2. Scrap, fragment, piece, little bit.
**Remonstrance,** *n.* Expostulation, protestation.
**Remonstrant,** *a.* Expostulatory.
**Remonstrate,** *v. n.* Protest, expostulate, make objections to, take exception.
**Remorse,** *n.* Penitence, compunction, contrition, repentance, sorrow, regret, self-reproach, reproach of conscience, stings of conscience, self-condemnation.
**Remorseful,** *a.* Compunctious, contrite, repentant, penitent, sorrowful.
**Remorseless,** *a.* Unpitying, pitiless, relentless, unrelenting, uncompassionate, cruel, ruthless, merciless, unmerciful, savage, implacable, inexorable.
**Remote,** *a.* I. Far, distant, far off.
2. Alien, foreign, unallied, unconnected, unrelated.
3. Abstracted, separated.
4. Slight, inconsiderable.
5. Secluded, sequestered, removed.
**Remotely,** *ad.* I. Distantly, slightly.
2. Slightly.
**Remoteness,** *n.* I. Distance.
2. Slightness, distance.
**Remount,** *v. a.* Reascend.
**Removal,** *n.* I. Displacement, remove, dislodgement, transference, relegation, change of place.
2. Withdrawal, elimination, extraction, taking away.
3. Destruction, suppression, abatement.
4. Dismission, ejection, deprivation of office.
**Remove,** *v. a.* I. Displace, dislodge, transfer, transport, transplant, carry.
2. Withdraw, extract, abstract, take out.
3. Banish, destroy, abate, suppress, take away, put an end to, do away with, make a clean sweep of.
4. Separate, withdraw, take away, carry off.
5. Dismiss, eject, oust, put out, turn out.
**Remove,** *v. n.* Move, change place.
**Remove,** *n.* I. Change of place. See REMOVAL.
2. Interval, distance, separation, stage, step.
3. Step (*in a scale of gradation*).
**Removed,** *a.* Secluded, sequestered, remote, separate.
**Remunerate,** *v. a.* I. Reward, requite, compensate, pay, recompense, satisfy, repay.
2. Reimburse, repay, pay, indemnify.
**Remuneration,** *n.* I. Reward, requital, recompense, compensation, repayment, satisfaction.
2. Reparation, amends, recompense, restitution, compensation.
3. Reimbursement, indemnification, repayment, indemnity.
**Remunerative,** *a.* I. Profitable, paying, gainful, paying a good interest, bringing a good return.
2. Remuneratory, rewarding, requiting, recompensing.
**Renaissance,** } *n.* Revival, revival of letters and
**Renascence,** } arts.
**Renard,** *n.* Reynard, fox.
**Renascent,** *a.* I. Reappearing, reproduced.
2. Rejuvenated.
**Rencounter,** *n.* I. Clash, shock, collision.
2. Encounter, conflict, combat, fight, battle, engagement, action, skirmish, brush, affair.
3. Meeting.
**Rencounter,** *v. n.* Encounter, clash, skirmish, fight, come into collision.
**Rend,** *v. a.* I. Break, sever, dissever, sunder, rive, rupture, shiver, cleave, split, crack, snap, burst, fracture, lacerate, dilacerate, tear, tear asunder, break asunder.
2. Tear away, part with violence.
**Render,** *v. a.* I. Return, restore, pay back.
2. Give, assign, present.
3. Furnish, contribute, supply, afford.
4. Make, cause to be.
5. Translate, construe, interpret, set forth.
**Rendering,** *n.* I. Translation, version, construction, interpretation, rendition.
2. Interpretation, delineation, reproduction, representation, exhibition.
**Rendezvous,** *n.* I. Place of meeting.
2. Meeting.
**Rendition,** *n.* I. Return, restitution, surrender.
2. Translation, rendering, version.

3. Rendering, interpretation, delineation, reproduction, representation, exhibition.

**Renegade,** *n.* 1. Apostate, backslider, renegado, recreant, turncoat.
2. Deserter, revolter, rebel, traitor.
3. Vagabond, worthless fellow.

**Renew,** *v. a.* 1. Renovate, restore, re-establish, repair, refit, rebuild, revive, recreate, make new, rejuvenate, refresh.
2. Repeat, recommence, begin again.
3. Repeat, iterate, reiterate.
4. Regenerate, transform.

**Renewal,** *n.* 1. Renovation, restoration, re-establishment, repair.
2. Repetition, recommencement.

**Reniform,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Kidney-shaped, kidney-form.

**Renitency,** *n.* 1. Resistance (*of solid bodies to pressure*), opposition, antagonism.
2. Reluctance, moral resistance, disinclination.

**Renitent,** *a.* Resisting (*pressure*), opposing, counteracting, antagonistic, resistant.

**Renounce,** *v. a.* 1. Reject, repudiate, disclaim, disown, disavow, recant, deny, decline, slight, abnegate, neglect, cast off, trample on.
2. Relinquish, abandon, forego, resign, abjure, desert, forsake, forswear, leave, quit, abdicate, drop, lay down, lay aside, give up, cast off, give over, drop all idea of.

**Renouncement,** *n.* Renunciation.

**Renovate,** *v. a.* 1. Renew, restore, reconstitute, re-establish.
2. Reproduce, regenerate, revivify, recreate, reanimate, revive, resuscitate.

**Renovation,** *n.* 1. Renewal, restoration, reconstitution.
2. Revival, revivification, regeneration, reproduction, restoration, reconstitution, redintegration, rehabilitation.

**Renown,** *n.* Distinction, repute, name, reputation, note, notoriety, notability, figure, fame, celebrity, glory, honor, eminence, lustre.

**Renowned,** *a.* Distinguished, famous, famed, celebrated, eminent, illustrious, noted, honored, far-famed, remarkable, wonderful.

**Rent,** *n.* 1. Break, breach, separation, fissure, crack, crevice, rift, cleft, gap, opening, flaw, rupture, disrupture, disruption, fracture, laceration, dilaceration, divulsion, tear, solution of continuity.
2. Schism, separation.
3. Income, revenue (*from land* or *tenements*).

**Rent,** *v. a.* 1. Lease, let, hire.
2. Hold by paying rent, lease, hire.

**Rent,** *v. n.* Be leased, be let.

**Rental,** *n.* Rent-roll, account of rents.

**Renter,** *n.* Lessee, tenant.

**Renter,** *v. a.* Fine-draw.

**Rent-roll,** *n.* Rental, account of rents.

**Renumerate,** *v. a.* Recount, count again.

**Renunciation,** *n.* 1. Rejection, repudiation, abnegation, abjuration, disowning, disownment, disavowal, disavowment, disclaimer, recantation, denial, renouncement.
2. Surrender, cession, abandonment, resignation, relinquishment.

**Reometer,** *n.* [Also spelled *Rheometer*.] Galvanometer, galvanoscope.

**Repair,** *v. a.* 1. Mend, refit, retouch, vamp, tinker, piece, patch, touch up, vamp up, patch up, renew, amend.
2. Retrieve, restore, make good, recruit.
3. Redress, atone for, make amends for.

**Repair,** *v. n.* Go, resort, betake one's self.

**Repair,** *n.* Restoration, reparation, renewal, refitting, mending.

**Reparable,** *a.* Retrievable, restorable, recoverable, curable.

**Reparation,** *n.* 1. Restoration, renewal, repair.
2. Redress, indemnification, amends, atonement, restitution, compensation, satisfaction.

**Reparative,** *a.* Restoring, restorative, reviving, amending.

**Reparative,** *n.* Cure, remedy, medicine, restorative, corrective.

**Repartee,** *n.* Retort, smart *or* witty reply.

**Repast,** *n.* 1. Food, victuals.
2. Meal, entertainment.

**Repay,** *v. a.* 1. Refund, reimburse, pay back, restore, return.
2. Remunerate, compensate, reward, recompense, requite, satisfy.
3. Retaliate, revenge, avenge.

**Repeal,** *v. a.* Abrogate (*a law*), rescind, revoke, recall, reverse, annul, cancel, abolish, set aside, do away, make void.

**Repeal,** *n.* Abrogation, revocation, rescission, rescinding, annulment, abolition.

**Repeat,** *v. a.* 1. Iterate, reiterate, do again, make again.
2. Recite, rehearse, recapitulate, tell over, cite, quote, say over, relate.
3. Renew, reproduce, echo, re-echo.

**Repeatedly,** *ad.* Again and again.

**Repeater,** *n.* Revolver.

**Repel,** *v. a.* 1. Repulse, drive, beat, *or* force back.
2. Resist, oppose, check, withstand, confront, parry, rebuff, strive against, make a stand against
3. Reject, refuse, decline.

**Repellent,** *a.* Repulsive, repelling.

**Repent,** *v. a.* Rue, be sorry for, regret, remember with sorrow.

**Repent,** *v. n.* Regret, be sorry, be penitent, feel remorse.

**Repentance,** *n.* Penitence, contrition, contriteness, compunction, remorse, regret, sorrow for wrong-doing, self-reproach, self-reproof, self-accusation, self-condemnation, stings of conscience.

**Repentant,** *a.* 1. Penitent, sorry, sorrowful.
2. Penitential.

**Repercussion,** *n.* Reverberation, rebound, recoil.

**Repercussive,** *a.* 1. Rebounding, reverberating.
2. Driven back, reverberated.

**Repertory,** *n.* 1. Repository, depository.
2. Treasury, magazine, depot, museum, repository, storehouse, thesaurus.

**Repetition,** *n.* 1. Iteration, reiteration.
2. Tautology, pleonasm, redundancy, diffuseness, verbosity.
3. Recital, rehearsal, relation.

**Repine,** *v. n.* Complain, murmur, croak, fret, grumble, be discontented, be dissatisfied.

**Replace,** *v. a.* 1. Reinstate, re-establish, put back.
2. Refund, repay, restore, pay back.
3. Take the place of, supply the want of, succeed, be a substitute for.

**Replacement,** *n.* Re-establishment, reinstatement.

**Replenish,** *v. a.* 1. Fill, stock, fill up, refill, re supply.
2. Supply, furnish, provide, store, enrich.

**Replete,** *a.* Full, abounding, charged, exuberant, fraught, well-stocked, well provided, completely full, .lled again.

**Repletion,** *n.* 1. Satiety, glut, surfeit, exuberant fulness.
2. (*Med.*) Plethora.

**Replica,** *n.* Autograph copy, duplicate.

**Replication,** *n.* 1. Answer, reply, response.
2. Rejoinder.
3. Repetition.
4. Copy, portrait.

**Reply,** *v. n.* Answer, respond, rejoin.

**Reply,** *n.* Answer, response, replication, rejoinder.

**Report,** *v. a.* 1. Announce, annunciate, declare, communicate, set forth, make known, give an account of.
2. Relate, mention, bruit, advertise, publish, tell, promulgate, give out, state, rumor, circulate publicly.
3. Take down (*in writing*), make minutes of, record.
4. Relate, tell, narrate, recite, describe, detail, make known.

**Report,** *n.* 1. Account, announcement, statement, declaration, communication.
2. Rumor, relation, account, narration, detail, description, recital, narrative, story, tale.
3. Rumor, common fame, hearsay.
4. Explosion, noise, sound, detonation, discharge, repercussion.
5. Repute, reputation, fame, public character.
6. Record, note, minute, account, statement (*in writing*).

**Repose,** *v. a.* 1. Compose, rest, put to rest, lay down to rest, give repose to, settle, recline.
2. Place (*in confidence*), put, stake.
3. Lodge, reposit, deposit, lay up, store.

**Repose,** *v. n.* 1. Lie, rest.
2. Rest, sleep, slumber, recline, couch.
3. Lean (*in confidence*), confide, put confidence, rely.

**Repose,** *n.* 1. Rest, sleep, slumber, quiet, recumbency.
2. Relaxation, respite, breathing-time.
3. Ease, quiet, quietness, quietude, tranquillity, peace.

**Reposit,** *v. a.* Lodge, deposit, place, store, lay up, hoard.

**Repository,** *n.* Depository, repertory, reservatory, magazine, conservatory, storehouse, museum, treasury, thesaurus, depot.

**Reprehend,** *v. a.* Reprove, chide, rebuke, reproach, upbraid, reprimand, accuse, censure, blame.

**Reprehensible,** *a.* Blamable, culpable, censurable, reprovable, rebukable, deserving censure, worthy of blame.

**Reprehension,** *n.* Reproof, blame, censure, reproach, reprimand, rebuke, admonition.

**Represent,** *v. a.* 1. Exhibit, show.
2. Delineate, depict, portray, set forth, describe, exhibit, give an account of, show.
3. Personate, take the part of, portray by action.
4. Stand for, stand in the place of.
5. Delineate, portray, reproduce, depict, image.

**Representation,** *n.* 1. Exhibition, delineation, show.
2. Personation, simulation.
3. Description, account, narration, relation, narrative, statement.
4. Likeness, semblance, image, portraiture, model, resemblance.
5. Acting for others, supplying another's place.
6. Body of delegates *or* deputies.
7. Spectacle, sight, public exhibition.
8. Remonstrance, expostulation.

**Representative,** *a.* 1. Figurative, typical, symbolical.
2. Delegated, acting for others.

**Representative,** *n.* Delegate, deputy, substitute, agent, proxy, *locum tenens*, lieutenant, vicegerent.

**Repress,** *v. a.* 1. Suppress, subdue, crush, quell, overpower, overcome, put down, smother.
2. Restrain, check, curb, bridle, control, chasten, rein in, sober down.
3. Calm, quiet, appease.

**Repression,** *n.* 1. Suppression.
2. Check, restraint.

**Reprieve,** *v. a.* 1. Respite, delay the punishment of, give a respite to.
2. Relieve.

**Reprieve,** *n.* 1. Respite, suspension of punishment.
2. Respite, interval of ease.

**Reprimand,** *v. a.* Reprove, censure, rebuke, reprehend, reproach, chide, upbraid, blame, admonish, find fault with.

**Reprimand,** *n.* Reproof, reprehension, censure, rebuke, reproach, blame, admonition, reprobation, reproval.

**Reprint,** *n.* Reimpression, republication.

**Reproach,** *v. a.* 1. Censure, blame, reprove, rebuke, reprimand, reprehend, upbraid.
2. Revile, vilify, defame, asperse, condemn, abuse, speak ill of, accuse, discredit, disparage, traduce.

**Reproach,** *n.* 1. Censure, reproof, disapprobation, disapproval, blame, invective, upbraiding, condemnation, reprobation, remonstrance, reprehension, expostulation, rebuke, reprimand, railing, contumely, reviling, abuse, vilification, scurrility, insolence, scorn, contempt.
2. Dishonor, disgrace, shame, disrepute, obloquy, opprobrium, odium, scandal, ignominy, infamy, abasement, indignity, insult.
3. Dishonor, disgrace, shame, discredit, scorn, scandal, offence.

**Reproachable,** *a.* Censurable, reprehensible, blamable.

**Reproachful,** *a.* 1. Opprobrious, scurrilous, abusive, railing, scolding, upbraiding, vituperative, condemnatory, censorious, damnatory, invective, contumelious, offensive, sarcastic, insulting, contemptuous, scornful, insolent.
2. Shameful, infamous, base, vile, disreputable, discreditable, dishonorable, disgraceful, scandalous.

**Reproachfully,** *ad.* 1. Upbraidingly, opprobriously.
2. Shamefully, disgracefully, contemptuously.

**Reprobate,** *a.* Depraved, abandoned, profligate, corrupt, hardened, lost, graceless, base, shameless, wicked, vile, vitiated, irredeemable, castaway.

**Reprobate,** *n.* Villain, castaway, outcast, miscreant, caitiff, vile wretch.

**Reprobate,** *v. a.* 1. Disapprove, reject, discard, condemn, censure, reprehend.
2. Disallow.
3. Disown, abandon.

**Reprobateness,** *n.* Wickedness, depravity.

**Reprobation,** *n.* Condemnation, censure, rejection.

**Reproduce,** *v. a.* 1. Generate, propagate.
2. Copy, imitate, represent.

**Reproduction,** *n.* 1. Generation, propagation.
2. Copy, imitation, representation.

**Reproof,** *n.* Censure, condemnation, rebuke, admonition, chiding, reprimand, reprehension, reproach, animadversion, blame, reproval.

**Reprovable,** *a.* Censurable, blamable, blameworthy, reproachable, culpable, reprehensible, deserving censure, worthy of blame, rebukable.

**Reproval,** *n.* Reproof, admonition, chiding, reprehension.

**Reprove,** *v. a.* Censure, lecture, blame, reprehend, condemn, reprimand, chide, rebuke, upbraid, admonish, find fault with, remonstrate with, expostulate with.

**Reptile,** *a.* 1. Creeping, crawling.
2. Grovelling, mean, vile, low, vulgar.

**Republic,** *n.* Commonwealth, democracy, popular government, representative government.

**Republication,** *n.* Reprint, reimpression.
**Repudiate,** *v. a.* 1. Discard, reject, renounce, cast off, disclaim, abjure, disavow.
2. Divorce, put away.
3. [*Modern.*] Disown (*debts*), disclaim, refuse to pay, refuse to acknowledge.
**Repudiation,** *n.* 1. Rejection.
2. Divorce, putting away.
3. Disavowal, disowning, disclaiming.
**Repugnance,** *n.* 1. Contrariety, inconsistency, incompatibility, irreconcilableness, unsuitableness.
2. Opposition, resistance, struggle, contest.
3. Unwillingness, aversion, hatred, reluctance, dislike, antipathy, hostility.
**Repugnant,** *a.* 1. Inconsistent, irreconcilable, incompatible.
2. Opposed, opposite, contrary, hostile, adverse, averse, unfavorable, antagonistic immical, at variance.
3. Offensive, distasteful.
**Repulse,** *n.* 1. Repelling, driving back, repulsion.
2. Refusal, denial.
3. Failure, disappointment.
**Repulse,** *v. a.* 1. Repel, beat back, drive back.
2. Refuse, reject.
**Repulsion,** *n.* Repulse.
**Repulsive,** *a.* 1. Repelling, repellent.
2. Cold, reserved, repellent, forbidding, unpleasant, disagreeable, offensive, odious, hateful, disgusting, loathsome, nauseating, nauseous, sickening, revolting.
**Reputable,** *a.* Respectable, creditable, honorable, estimable.
**Reputation,** *n.* 1. Repute, name, character, fame.
2. Credit, repute, regard, estimation, esteem, renown, honor, fame, celebrity.
**Repute,** *v. a.* Regard, consider, esteem, estimate, account, reckon, hold, deem.
**Repute,** *n.* 1. Estimate, opinion, consideration.
2. Reputation, character, name.
**Request,** *n.* 1. Petition, prayer, entreaty, suit, solicitation, supplication, asking.
2. Demand.
**Request,** *v. a.* Solicit, ask, entreat, beg, desire, beseech, beg for, petition for, ask for.
**Require,** *v. a.* 1. Demand, ask, claim, exact, insist upon.
2. Ask, request, beg, beseech.
3. Ask, order, call on, request, enjoin, direct.
4. Need, want, call for, demand, make necessary.
5. Enjoin, prescribe, direct, order.
**Requirement,** *n.* 1. Demand, claim, requisition.
2. Command, mandate, order, precept, injunction, charge, claim.
**Requisite,** *a.* Needful, needed, necessary, essential, indispensable.
**Requisition,** *n.* 1. Demand, claim, exaction, requirement, call.
2. Request, demand.
**Requital,** *n.* 1. Reward, recompense, compensation, remuneration, satisfaction, payment.
2. Retribution, retaliation, punishment.
**Requite,** *v. a* 1. Reward, recompense, compensate, remunerate, reciprocate, satisfy, pay, repay.
2. Retaliate, avenge, punish, revenge.
**Rescind,** *v. a.* 1. Cut off, cut short, remove.
2. Annul, abrogate, abolish, revoke, recall, repeal, cancel, reverse, countermand, quash, set aside, do away, vacate, void.
**Rescindment,** *n.* See RESCISSION.
**Rescission,** *n.* Rescindment, abrogation, repeal, revocation, annulling, cancelling, abolition.
**Rescript,** *n.* Edict, decree, mandate.
**Rescue,** *v. a.* Liberate, free, deliver, save, redeem, extricate, release, ransom, set free, bring off, retake, recapture, preserve, recover.
**Rescue,** *n.* Liberation, release, redemption, ransom, salvation, deliverance, extrication.
**Research,** *n.* Investigation, inquiry, scrutiny, examination, exploration, study, careful search.
**Resemblance,** *n.* 1. Similarity, likeness, similitude, semblance, analogy.
2. Representation, image, counterpart, facsimile, likeness, similitude.
**Resemble,** *v. a.* 1. Be like, bear likeness *or* resemblance to.
2. Liken, compare.
3. Imitate, counterfeit.
**Resent,** *v. a.* Take ill, take amiss, take offence at, take umbrage at, be offended at, be indignant at, be provoked at.
**Resent,** *v. n.* Be angry, take offence, take umbrage, harbor resentment, be indignant.
**Resentful,** *a.* Angry, irritable, irascible, choleric, revengeful, malignant.
**Resentment,** *n.* Indignation, anger, irritation, vexation, gall, rage, fury, choler, ire, wrath, displeasure, grudge, heart-burning.
**Reservation,** *n.* 1. Concealment, suppression, reserve.
2. Reserve, something reserved, restriction, exception, saving.
3. Salvo, proviso.
4. Custody.
**Reserve,** *v. a.* 1. Keep, hold, retain, husband, set by, lay by, lay up, store up, withhold.
2. Except, make an exception of.
**Reserve,** *n.* 1. Reservation, something reserved.
2. Constraint, restraint, backwardness, cautious behavior, coldness, closeness, reservedness, retention, uncommunicativeness, reticence.
3. Exception, something excepted.
4. Reservation, restriction.
5. Shyness, coyness, taciturnity, modesty, demureness.
**Reserved,** *a.* 1. Retained, kept, withheld, excepted.
2. Restrained, backward, cautious, cold, incommunicative, unsociable, unsocial, distant.
3. Shy, coy, taciturn, modest, demure.
**Reservedness,** *n.* Shyness, reserve, closeness.
**Reservoir,** *n.* 1. Basin, cistern, tank, pond.
2. Receiver, receptacle.
**Reside,** *v. n.* 1. Dwell, inhabit, live, abide, remain, domiciliate, domicile, sojourn.
2. Inhere.
**Residence,** *n.* 1. Habitancy, inhabitancy, legal settlement, domiciliation, stay, sojourn, abode.
2. Habitation, dwelling, domicile, abode, mansion, house, place of abode, place of residence, home.
**Resident,** *a.* 1. Abiding, dwelling, residing, inhabiting.
2. Fixed, firm.
**Resident,** *n.* 1. Inhabitant, dweller, resider, inhabiter, sojourner.
2. Tenant, occupant, dweller.
**Resider,** *n.* See RESIDENT.
**Residual,** *a.* Remaining.
**Residue,** *n.* 1. Remainder, rest, remnant, residuum.
2. (*Law.*) Surplus (*of a testator's estate*), excess, overplus.
**Residuum,** *n.* 1. Residue, remainder.
2. Surplus.
3. Rabble, dregs of society, scum of society.
**Resign,** *v. a.* 1. Yield, surrender, relinquish, forego, abandon, quit, forsake, abdicate, leave, give up, assign back, give back.
2. Withdraw, give up, renounce.
3. Yield, submit, give up, confide.

4. Yield, commit, submit.

**Resign,** *v. n.* Abdicate, relinquish office.

**Resignation,** *n.* 1. Surrender, relinquishment, abandonment, renunciation, abdication.
2. Endurance (*with a submissive, religious spirit*), submission, acquiescence, compliance, patience, sufferance, forbearance, fortitude, long-sufferance, long-suffering.

**Resigned,** *a.* 1. Surrendered, given up.
2. Submissive, unresisting, complying, yielding, uncomplaining, patient, humble, meek, lowly.

**Resiliency,** *n.* Rebounding.

**Resilient,** *a.* Rebounding, recoiling, elastic, springy.

**Resin,** *n.* See ROSIN.

**Resist,** *v. a.* 1. Oppose, withstand, impugn, confront, assail, attack, strive against, counteract, rebuff, stand against.
2. Withstand, hinder, check, thwart, baffle, disappoint.

**Resistance,** *n.* 1. Opposition.
2. Rebuff, check, hindrance.

**Resistless,** *a.* Irresistible.

**Resolute,** *a.* 1. Determined.
2. Firm, determined, steady, decided, resolved, stanch, steadfast, fixed, constant, persevering, pertinacious, unflinching, unwavering, inflexible, undaunted, hardy, unshaken, bold, stout, stout-hearted.

**Resolution,** *n.* 1. Analysis, decomposition, separation.
2. Dissolution, solution.
3. Disentanglement, explication, unravelling.
4. Firmness, determination, steadiness, constancy, inflexibility, courage, energy, pluck, hardihood, decision, manliness, tenacity of purpose, resolvedness, resoluteness, perseverance, steadfastness, fortitude, boldness, purpose, resolve.
5. Resolve, determination, intention, fixed purpose.
6. (*Math.*) Solution, explanation.
7. (*Med.*) Disappearance, dispersion, termination, breaking up, removal.
8. (*Legislation.*) Resolve, declaration.

**Resolvable,** *a.* 1. Decomposable.
2. Solvable.

**Resolve,** *v. a.* 1. Analyze, separate, reduce.
2. Dissolve, melt, liquefy.
3. Disentangle, interpret, decipher, unravel, explain, unfold, solve.
4. Determine, decide, fix in purpose.
5. Confirm, fix in resolution.
6. Prepare, make ready in mind.
7. Reduce, change.
8. (*Math.*) Solve.
9. (*Med.*) Disperse, scatter.
10. (*Legislation.*) Declare, determine on, express.

**Resolve,** *v. n.* 1. Dissolve, melt, liquefy, become fluid.
2. Intend, purpose, decide, determine, conclude, form a resolution, make up one's mind, come to a determination.
3. Determine by vote.
4. Be convinced, be settled in opinion.

**Resolve,** *n.* 1. Intention, resolution, determination, fixed purpose.
2. Declaration (*by a legislature* or *an organized body*), resolution, determination.

**Resolvedly,** *ad.* Decidedly, firmly, resolutely.

**Resonance,** *n.* Reverberation.

**Resonant,** *a.* Resounding, sonorous, ringing.

**Resort,** *v. n.* 1. Go, repair.
2. Have recourse, betake one's self, apply.

**Resort,** *n.* 1. Recourse, application.
2. Haunt, retreat, place frequented.
3. Concourse, meeting, confluence, assembling.
4. Company, intercourse.

**Resound,** *v. a.* 1. Echo, re-echo, reverberate.
2. Sound, extol, celebrate, praise.

**Resound,** *v. n.* Echo, reverberate, ring.

**Resource,** *n.* 1. Resort, dependence.
2. Means, expedient, device, contrivance, resort, appliance, instrumentality.

**Resources,** *n. pl.* Money, wealth, funds, pecuniary means, supplies, available means.

**Respect,** *v. a.* 1. Esteem, reverence, regard, honor, revere, venerate, value, prize, think highly of, have a high opinion of, look up to, defer to.
2. Regard, relate to, refer to.
3. Regard, heed, consider, notice.

**Respect,** *n.* 1. Esteem, reverence, veneration, homage, estimation, consideration, regard, honor, deference.
2. Favor, good-will, kind consideration.
3. Relation, reference, regard.
4. Regard, attention.
5. Matter, feature, point, particular, point of view.

**Respectability,** *n.* Estimableness, reputableness, respectableness.

**Respectable,** *a.* 1. Estimable, honorable, worthy, considerable.
2. Mediocre, moderate.
3. Reputable, honest, worthy.

**Respectableness,** *n.* See RESPECTABILITY.

**Respectful,** *a.* 1. Deferential, courteous, dutiful, civil, decorous, polite, complaisant.
2. Ceremonious, formal.

**Respective,** *a.* 1. Relative.
2. Particular, own, several.

**Respectively,** *ad.* Particularly.

**Respects,** *n. pl.* Compliments, regards, commendations.

**Respiration,** *n.* Breathing.

**Respire,** *v. n.* Breathe.

**Respite,** *n.* 1. Delay, pause, rest, interval, stop, cessation, stay, breathing-time.
2. Reprieve, suspension of punishment.
3. Postponement, delay, forbearance.

**Respite,** *v. a.* 1. Delay, postpone.
2. Reprieve, suspend the punishment of.
3. Relieve (*by pause*).

**Resplendence,** } *n.* Brightness, splendor, bril-
**Resplendency,** } liancy, effulgence, glory, lustre.

**Resplendent,** *a.* Brilliant, splendid, shining, luminous, beaming, effulgent, bright, lucid, glorious, gorgeous, glittering.

**Respond,** *v. n.* 1. Answer, reply, rejoin.
2. Correspond, suit, be agreeable to, accord.

**Response,** *n.* Answer, reply, replication, rejoinder.

**Responsibility,** *n.* 1. Accountableness, accountability, responsibleness, liability, obligation, bounden duty.
2. Trust, duty.

**Responsible,** *a.* Answerable, liable, accountable, amenable.

**Responsibleness,** *n.* See RESPONSIBILITY.

**Responsive,** *a.* 1. Answering.
2. Suited, correspondent.

**Responsory,** *n.* (*Mus.*) Antiphonary.

**Rest,** *n.* 1. Repose, quiet, quiescence, ease.
2. Peace, tranquillity, peacefulness, security, stillness, quietness, quiet.
3. Pause, cæsura, intermission, stop, stay, cessation, interval.
4. Sleep, slumber.
5. Death, the grave.
6. Support, stay, brace.
7. Remainder, residue, remnant, residuum, balance.
8. Others.

9. Overplus, surplus.

**Rest,** *v. n.* 1. Stop, pause, halt, hold, repose, desist, cease, come to a stand, stand still, come to a stand-still, keep quiet.
2. Repose, relax, unbend, take rest, be tranquil, take one's ease, be at ease, be quiet.
3. Sleep, slumber, repose.
4. Lie, recline, lean.
5. Die, sleep finally, be dead.
6. Acquiesce, confide, trust, be satisfied.
7. Stand on, be supported, be based on.
8. Lean, trust, rely, confide.
9. Stand.

**Rest,** *v. a.* 1. Quiet, lay at rest, give rest to.
2. Lay, place.

**Restaurant,** *n.* [Fr.] Eating-house, chop-house, *café.*

**Restiff,** *a.* See RESTIVE.

**Restitution,** *n.* 1. Restoration, return.
2. Indemnification, reparation, recompense, amends, compensation, requital, remuneration, satisfaction, repayment.

**Restive,** *a.* 1. Stubborn, mulish, restiff, obstinate, stopping, unwilling.
2. Uneasy, impatient, restless, ill at ease, unquiet, recalcitrant.

**Restless,** *a.* 1. Unquiet, uneasy, unresting, disquieted, disturbed, restive.
2. Unsteady, inconstant, changeable, unstable, unsettled, vacillating, irresolute.
3. Roving, wandering, in motion, on the move, unsettled.
4. Sleepless.
5. Turbulent, agitated.

**Restoration,** *n.* 1. Replacement, reinstatement, re-establishment, return.
2. Renewal, revival, re-establishment.
3. Renovation, redintegration, renewal, reconstruction.
4. Recovery, renewal.
5. Universal salvation, universalism.
6. Restitution, reparation.

**Restorative,** *a.* Restoring, curative, remedial, invigorating.

**Restorative,** *n.* Cure, remedy, medicine, reparative, corrective.

**Restore,** *v. a.* 1. Return, give back, bring back, render up.
2. Replace, re-establish, redintegrate, reinstate, renew.
3. Cure, heal, revive, recover.
4. Revive, resuscitate.
5. Renew, repair.
6. Refund, repay.
7. Compensate, make amends for.
8. Recover, renew, emend.

**Restrain,** *v. a.* 1. Check, curb, bridle, repress, suppress, withhold, constrain, coerce, keep, hold.
2. Hold back, hold in, keep under, check.
3. Hinder, prevent, debar, bar, stop, prohibit, interdict.
4. Restrict, confine, abridge, hinder, circumscribe, narrow.
5. Withhold, forbear.

**Restraint,** *n.* 1. Check, curb, repression, bridle, suppression, constraint, coercion, compulsion.
2. Hindrance, prevention, limitation, restriction, prohibition.
3. Imprisonment, confinement, detention.

**Restrict,** *v. a.* Limit, bound, restrain, confine, circumscribe, hedge in.

**Restriction,** *n.* 1. Limitation, confinement.
2. Restraint, constraint.
3. Reservation, reserve.

**Result,** *v. n.* 1. Proceed, come, follow, flow, issue, arise, spring, rise, originate, ensue, accrue, be the effect, be derived.
2. End, terminate, eventuate.

**Result,** *n.* 1. Consequence (*from a certain combination of causes* or *from premises*), inference, conclusion, deduction, outcome.
2. Issue, event, effect, termination, end, fruit, product, consequence, outcome.
3. Decision, resolve, determination, resolution, conclusion.

**Resume,** *v. a.* 1. Take back, take again.
2. Recommence, renew, begin again, take up again.

**Résumé,** *n.* [Fr.] Summary, abstract, recapitulation, summing up, epitome, synopsis, condensed statement.

**Resurrection,** *n.* Rising, revival, revivification, resuscitation.

**Resuscitate,** *v. a.* Revivify, reanimate, renew, revive, quicken, restore to life, recall to life, bring back to life.

**Resuscitation,** *n.* Revivification, reanimation, quickening, revival.

**Retail,** *v. a.* 1. Sell in small quantities.
2. Deal out in small portions.

**Retain,** *v. a.* 1. Hold, keep, reserve, withhold, preserve, detain, keep in possession.
2. Engage (*by fee paid*), hire, employ, keep in pay.

**Retainer,** *n.* 1. Attendant, adherent, dependant, follower, hanger-on, servant.
2. Retaining fee, preliminary fee.

**Retainment,** *n.* Retention.

**Retaliate,** *v. a.* Return (*by giving like for like, as an injury*), repay, requite, revenge, avenge.

**Retaliate,** *v. n.* Take revenge, return like for like, give *quid pro quo*, give a Roland for an Oliver.

**Retaliation,** *n.* Requital (*of evil*), reprisal, retribution, repayment, revenge, punishment.

**Retaliatory,** *a.* Retaliative, revenging, vindictive.

**Retard,** *v. a.* 1. Check, obstruct, clog, impede, hinder.
2. Delay, defer, postpone, adjourn, procrastinate, put off.

**Retch,** *v. n.* Heave, strain, keck, gag, try to vomit.

**Retention,** *n.* 1. Reservation, holding, keeping, retaining, detention.
2. Reserve, restraint.
3. Memory, remembrance.

**Retentive,** *a.* Tenacious.

**Reticence,** *n.* Reserve, taciturnity, uncommunicativeness.

**Reticent,** *a.* Reserved, taciturn, silent (*by habit*), uncommunicative.

**Reticular,** / **Reticulated,** *a.* Meshy, retiform.

**Reticulation,** *n.* Net-work.

**Reticule,** *n.* Hand-bag.

**Retiform,** *a.* See RETICULAR.

**Retinoid,** *a.* Resin-like, resiniform.

**Retinue,** *n.* Train, suite, followers, body of attendants, *cortège.*

**Retire,** *v. a.* Withdraw from circulation (*as currency*).

**Retire,** *v. n.* 1. Withdraw, depart, retreat, remove, leave.
2. Recede, retrocede, fall back, beat a retreat.

**Retired,** *a.* 1. Withdrawn, removed, abstracted.
2. Secret, private.
3. Secluded, apart, sequestered, solitary.

**Retirement,** *n.* 1. Withdrawal, departure.
2. Privacy, seclusion, retreat.
3. Solitude, loneliness.

**Retiring,** *a.* 1. Withdrawing, retreating.

2. Reserved, shy, demure, diffident, modest, coy.
**Retort,** *n.* Repartee, smart *or* witty reply.
**Retouch,** *v. a.* 1. Repair, touch up, improve.
2. Revise, improve.
**Retract,** *v. a.* 1. Withdraw, draw back, draw in.
2. Recall, revoke, recant, abjure, disavow, cancel, take back, withdraw, unsay, disown.
3. Rescind, resume, take back.
**Retract,** *v. n.* Take back, unsay.
**Retraction,** *n.* Recantation, abjuration, revocation, disavowal.
**Retreat,** *n.* 1. Departure, withdrawal, retirement.
2. Retirement, seclusion, privacy, solitude.
3. Asylum, refuge, shelter.
**Retreat,** *v. n.* 1. Withdraw, retire, give way.
2. Recede, fall back, move back, retire.
**Retrench,** *v. a.* 1. Curtail, cut, lop, dock, prune, pare, clip, cut short, cut off, lop off.
2. Diminish, lessen, decrease, abridge, curtail.
3. Confine, limit.
4. Deprive of, mutilate.
**Retrench,** *v. n.* 1. Economize.
2. Encroach, make inroad.
**Retrenchment,** *n.* Curtailment, reduction, diminution, abridgment, lessening.
**Retribution,** *n.* 1. Repayment, requital, recompense, reward, compensation, return, retaliation.
2. Distribution of rewards and punishments.
**Retrieve,** *v. a.* 1. Regain, recover, restore, recruit, repair, re-establish, get again.
2. Repair, make amends for.
3. Recall, bring back.
**Retriment,** *n.* Refuse, dregs.
**Retroaction,** *n.* Recoil, reaction, rebound.
**Retroactive,** *a.* 1. Reflex.
2. Retrospective, that affects the past.
**Retrocede,** *v. n.* Retire, recede, retrograde, go back, give place.
**Retrocession,** *n.* Retrogression, retrogradation, going back.
**Retrogradation,** *n.* Retrogression.
**Retrograde,** *a.* Backward.
**Retrograde,** *v. n.* Retrocede, recede, retire, go *or* move backward, retrace one's steps.
**Retrogression,** *n.* Retrogradation, decline.
**Retrospect,** *n.* Review, survey, re-examination, re-survey.
**Retrospection,** *n.* Looking back.
**Retrospective,** *a.* 1. Looking back.
2. Retroactive, that affects the past.
**Return,** *v. n.* 1. Go *or* come back, get back, turn back.
2. Recur, revert.
3. Answer, reply, respond.
4. Retort, recriminate.
5. Revisit, come again.
**Return,** *v. a.* 1. Restore, give back, send back.
2. Repay, refund.
3. Requite, recompense, repay.
4. Report, communicate, tell.
5. Render, report, remit.
6. Send, transmit, remit, convey.
**Return,** *n.* 1. Repayment, reimbursement, remittance, payment.
2. Recompense, reward, requital, repayment, restitution.
3. Advantage, benefit, profit, interest.
4. Official account.
**Reunion,** *n.* Assembly, meeting, festive gathering.
**Revamp,** *v. a.* Rehabilitate, reconstruct, vamp, mend, patch up again.
**Reveal,** *v. a.* 1. Disclose, discover, unveil, uncover, publish, divulge, tell, declare, impart, communicate, display, make known, lay open, show, betray.
2. Disclose, discover, make known.
**Revel,** *n.* Festivity, merry-making, feast, carousal.
**Revel,** *v. n.* 1. Carouse, tipple, make merry.
2. Indulge, luxuriate, wanton.
**Revelation,** *n.* 1. Discovery, disclosure.
2. Divine communication of truth.
3. The Apocalypse.
**Reveller,** *n.* Carouser, bacchanal, bacchanalian.
**Revelry,** *n.* Carousal, carouse, revel, riot, jollity, festivity, orgy, bacchanal, saturnalia, wassail, debauch, jollification, drinking-bout, noisy festivity.
**Revenge,** *v. a.* 1. Retaliate, requite, take vengeance for.
2. Avenge, vindicate by punishment.
**Revenge,** *n.* Retaliation, requital (*of an injury*).
**Revengeful,** *a.* Vindictive, malicious, malignant, spiteful, resentful, implacable, vengeful, rancorous, malevolent.
**Revengefulness,** *n.* Vindictiveness, rancor, malevolence, spitefulness, maliciousness, malignancy.
**Revenue,** *n.* 1. Income, receipts.
2. Return, reward.
**Reverberate,** *v. a.* 1. Echo, re-echo, send back, return.
2. Reflect, send back, cast back.
**Reverberate,** *v. n.* Resound, echo, re-echo.
**Reverberation,** *n.* Echoing, re-echoing, echo, reflected sound.
**Reverberatory,** *a.* Reverberating.
**Revere,** *v. a.* Venerate, reverence, adore, honor.
**Reverence,** *n.* 1. Veneration, honor, adoration, awe.
2. Homage, courtesy.
**Reverence,** *v. a.* See REVERE.
**Reverend,** *a.* Venerable.
**Reverent,** *a.* See REVERENTIAL.
**Reverential,** *a.* Respectful, deferential, reverent, submissive, humble.
**Reverie,** *n.* See REVERY.
**Reversal,** *n.* Repeal, revocation, annulment, change, overthrowing.
**Reverse,** *v. a.* 1. Invert, turn upside down, turn end for end, turn topsy-turvy.
2. Overturn, overthrow, overset, subvert.
3. Change to the opposite.
4. Annul, repeal, revoke, rescind, countermand, overthrow, make void.
**Reverse,** *a.* Opposite, converse, turned backward.
**Reverse,** *n.* 1. Contrary, opposite, counterpart.
2. Change, vicissitude.
3. Misfortune, mischance, mishap, misadventure, trial, hardship, affliction, reverse of fortune.
4. Check, defeat.
**Reversion,** *n.* 1. Succession, inheritance.
2. Atavism.
**Revert,** *v. a.* 1. Reverse, turn back.
2. Repel, drive back, turn back.
**Revert,** *v. n.* Return, recur, come back, turn back.
**Revery,** *n.* Musing, a waking dream, abstraction, inattention, preoccupation, absence of mind, brown study, reverie.
**Review,** *v. a.* 1. Revise, reconsider, re-examine, pass in review.
2. Criticise, notice critically, write a critical notice of.
3. Survey, inspect, overlook.
4. Retrace, go over again.
**Review,** *n.* 1. Retrospect, re-survey, re-examination, survey, reconsideration.
2. Criticism, critique, reviewal, critical notice.
3. Military *or* naval inspection.
**Revile,** *v. a.* Vilify, defame, reproach, slander,

calumniate, asperse, traduce, upbraid, malign, abuse, backbite, speak ill of.

**Revindicate,** *v. a.* Reassert, support again, maintain once more, vindicate again, reclaim.

**Revisal,** *n.* Revision.

**Revise,** *v. a.* 1. Review, re-examine, reconsider.
2. Alter, amend, review.

**Revise,** *n.* Revision, re-examination, correction.

**Revision,** *n.* Review, revisal, revise, re-examination.

**Revival,** *n.* 1. Resuscitation, revivification, reanimation, quickening.
2. Reproduction, restoration.

**Revive,** *v. a.* 1. Resuscitate, reanimate, revivify, revitalize, reinvigorate, reinspirit, bring to life again.
2. Rouse, quicken, animate, refresh, renovate, reinspire, invigorate, cheer, recomfort, renew, recover.
3. Reawake, recall, bring to mind.
4. Recover, bring back, bring into use.

**Revive,** *v. n.* 1. Be resuscitated *or* reanimated, return to life, recover life, live again.
2. Be invigorated, refreshed, *or* roused, recover strength.

**Revivification,** *n.* Resuscitation, reanimation, revival, quickening.

**Revivify,** *v. a.* Reanimate, resuscitate, revive, bring to life again.

**Revocation,** *n.* Retraction, recall, recantation, reversal, repeal, abjuration.

**Revoke,** *v. a.* Recall (*what has been said*), recant, retract, repeal, reverse, annul, cancel, rescind, countermand, abrogate, abolish, make void.

**Revolt,** *v. n.* 1. Desert, fall off.
2. Rebel, mutiny, rise, renounce allegiance.

**Revolt,** *v. a.* Repel, shock, do violence to, disgust, nauseate, sicken.

**Revolt,** *n.* 1. Desertion, inconstancy, faithlessness, change of sides, defection.
2. Rebellion, insurrection, mutiny, sedition, uprising.

**Revolter,** *n.* Deserter, rebel, traitor, insurgent.

**Revolting,** *a.* Shocking, disgusting, sickening, nauseating, nauseous, repulsive, offensive, obnoxious, hateful, horrible, abominable, monstrous, abhorrent.

**Revolution,** *n.* 1. Rotation, whirling, circular motion.
2. Change (*in the political constitution of a country*), organic change, successful revolt *or* rebellion.

**Revolutionize,** *v. a.* Remodel, reform, new model, change completely.

**Revolve,** *v. n.* 1. Rotate, wheel, turn, roll round an axis, turn round.
2. Circle, move round a centre.
3. Pass away in cycles.
4. Fall back, return, devolve.

**Revolve,** *v. a.* 1. Cause to turn round, circulate.
2. Consider, meditate, ponder, study, reflect upon, ruminate upon, brood over.

**Revolving,** *a.* Turning, rolling, moving round.

**Revulsion,** *n.* 1. Withdrawal, drawing back, violent separation, abstraction.
2. Reaction, change, transition.

**Reward,** *v. a.* Recompense, compensate, requite, remunerate, pay, punish.

**Reward,** *n.* 1. Recompense, compensation, guerdon, requital, remuneration, pay.
2. Premium, bonus, bounty.
3. Retribution, punishment, requital.

**Rhapsodical,** *a.* Unconnected, broken, confused, rambling, like a rhapsody.

**Rhapsodize,** *v. n.* Utter rhapsodies.

**Rhapsody,** *n.* Rambling composition, medley of thoughts, sentences, *or* passages.

**Rhea,** *n.* (*Ornith.*) South American ostrich (*Rhea Americana*).

**Rhein-berry,** *n.* Buck-thorn (*Rhamnus*).

**Rhetoric,** *n.* 1. Art of composition, art of discourse.
2. Oratory, elocution, eloquence, science of oratory.
3. Declamation, artificial eloquence.
4. Persuasion, attraction, allurement, charm.

**Rhetorical,** *a.* 1. Oratorical.
2. Declamatory, highly wrought.

**Rhetorician,** *n.* 1. Adept in rhetoric, proficient in rhetoric.
2. Public speaker, declaimer.

**Rheum,** *n.* Rhubarb.

**Rhizoma,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Root-stock, root-like stem.

**Rhododendron,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Rose-bay (*Ericaceæ*).

**Rhodonite,** *n.* Manganese spar, silicate of manganese.

**Rhomb,** *n.* Rhombus, lozenge, oblique-angled parallelogram (*with equal sides*).

**Rhombus,** *n.* See RHOMB.

**Rhymer,** *n.* See RHYMESTER.

**Rhymester,** *n.* Versifier, poetaster, rhymer, poor poet, rhymist.

**Rhythm,** *n.* 1. Periodical emphasis, regular *or* melodious movement, harmonious flow.
2. Rhyme, metre, verse, number.

**Rhythmical,** *a.* Measured, regular, *or* melodious in movement.

**Riant,** *a.* [Fr.] Laughing, gay, smiling.

**Ribald,** *a.* Base, low, mean, obscene, vile, filthy, gross, coarse, loose, indecent.

**Ribaldry,** *n.* Obscenity, indecency; low, vile, *or* vulgar language.

**Rice-bird,** *n.* (*Ornith.*) Reed-bird, rice-bunting, rice-troopial, bobolink, bob-lincoln.

**Rich,** *a.* 1. Wealthy, opulent, affluent, moneyed.
2. Splendid, precious, costly, sumptuous, valuable, estimable, highly valued.
3. Savory, delicious, luscious.
4. Plentiful, plenteous, abundant, copious, abounding, ample, full, well-supplied
5. Fruitful, fertile, luxuriant, productive, prolific.
6. Vivid, bright, gay.
7. Sweet, mellow, soft, harmonious.
8. Funny, laughable, humorous, comical.

**Riches,** *n. pl.* Wealth, opulence, affluence, fortune, plenty, abundance, richness, wealthiness, ample means, ample store.

**Richly,** *ad.* 1. Gayly, splendidly, magnificently.
2. Plenteously, abundantly, amply, fully.
3. Truly, really, abundantly, fully, highly, strongly.

**Richness,** *n.* 1. Abundance, plenty, fulness, copiousness, luxuriance, exuberance, profusion.
2. Fertility, fruitfulness, productiveness.
3. Excellence, value, costliness.
4. Brightness, vividness, brilliancy.
5. Sweetness, melodiousness, harmoniousness.

**Rick,** *n.* Stack, pile, heap (*of corn* or *hay*).

**Rickets,** *n. pl.* (*Med.*) Rachitis, inflammation of the spine.

**Rickety,** *a.* 1. Affected with the rickets.
2. Shattered, broken, weak, imperfect.
3. Shaky, tottering, approaching ruin.

**Rickle,** *n.* Little rick, stook.

**Rid,** *v. a.* 1. Free, deliver, set free, release.
2. Free, clear, disencumber.
3. Finish, despatch, dispose of.
4. Destroy, make away with, remove by violence.

**Rid,** *a.* Free, clear.

**Riddance,** *n.* Freedom, escape, relief, deliverance.

**Riddle,** *v. a.* Solve, explain, unriddle.

**Riddle,** *n.* Enigma, puzzle, dark problem, puzzling question.
**Rider,** *n.* 1. Equestrian, horseman.
2. Jockey, postilion.
3. Additional clause (*to a legislative act*).
**Ridge,** *n.* Extended elevation, long crest *or* summit.
**Ridged,** *a.* Porcate, furrowed.
**Ridicule,** *n.* Derision, mockery, raillery, satire, sarcasm, gibe, jeer, sneer, banter, wit, burlesque, irony.
**Ridicule,** *v. a.* Deride, mock, scout, satirize, lampoon, jeer, taunt, rally, banter, burlesque, laugh at, scoff at, make game of, make fun of, make a butt of.
**Ridiculous,** *a.* Ludicrous, laughable, droll, funny, preposterous, farcical, comical, absurd, risible.
**Rife,** *a.* 1. Prevailing, prevalent, abundant, common.
2. Replete, abounding in, well supplied.
**Rifely,** *ad.* Prevalently, frequently.
**Riff-raff,** *n.* 1. Refuse, sweepings.
2. Rabble, populace, the masses, dregs of the people, swinish multitude, scum of society, lowest class of people, ignoble vulgar, lower classes, rough-scuff, *canaille*.
**Rifle,** *v. a.* 1. Seize, snatch away, carry off.
2. Rob, pillage, plunder, strip, despoil, fleece.
**Rifler,** *n.* Robber, pillager, plunderer, despoiler.
**Rift,** *n.* Cleft, fissure, crack, rent, breach, fracture, break, gap, opening, chink, crevice, cranny, reft.
**Rift,** *v. a.* Burst open, cleave, rive, split.
**Rift,** *v. n.* Split, burst open.
**Rig,** *v a.* 1. Dress (*particularly in a fanciful manner*), clothe, accoutre, put on.
2. Furnish with gear, fit with tackling.
**Rig,** *n.* 1. Dress (*odd* or *fanciful*).
2. Sportive trick, frolic.
**Rigging,** *n.* Tackle, gear, ropes of a ship.
**Right,** *a.* 1. Straight, direct, rectilinear, not crooked.
2. Upright, erect, not oblique, perpendicular.
3. Just, lawful, equitable, fair, rightful, honest, in accordance with duty, unswerving, upright.
4. Fit, suitable, seemly, proper, becoming, appropriate, as it should be, *comme il faut*.
5. Real, true, actual, unquestionable.
6. Correct, true, not erroneous, not mistaken.
7. Right-hand.
8. Outward.
9. Fortunate, most favorable.
10. Orderly, well-regulated, well-performed, correct.
**Right,** *ad.* 1. Directly, in a direct line.
2. Uprightly, equitably, fairly, lawfully, rightfully, rightly, justly
3. Fitly, suitably, properly.
4. Correctly, truly.
5. Very, extremely, in a great degree.
6. Actually, truly, really, exactly, just.
**Right,** *n.* 1. Rectitude, uprightness, integrity, justice, equity, fairness, goodness, lawfulness, propriety, what ought to be, what should be.
2. Truth, correctness.
3. Prerogative, privilege.
4. Just claim, legal title, ownership.
5. Title, claim
6. Property, interest.
7. Authority, legal power.
**Right,** *v. a.* 1. Set upright.
2. Do justice to, relieve from wrong, see one righted, see justice done to one.
**Righteous,** *a.* 1. Pious, holy, virtuous, godly, saintly, religious, honest, good, incorrupt, upright, just, devout.
2. Equitable, fair, right, rightful.
**Righteously,** *ad.* Equitably, justly, honestly, uprightly.
**Righteousness,** *n.* 1. Piety, godliness, holiness, sanctity, purity, virtue, goodness, integrity, honesty, justice, uprightness, equity, rightfulness, faithfulness.
2. Rectitude of conduct, practice of right, doing right, acting from principle, uprightness, equity, rightfulness, faithfulness.
**Rightful,** *a.* 1. Legitimate, true, lawful.
2. Just, equitable, fair, lawful, suitable, proper, right, reasonable, true, honest.
**Right-hand,** *a.* Right.
**Right line.** Straight line, most direct line.
**Right-lined,** *a.* Rectilineal, rectilinear.
**Rightly,** *ad.* 1. Uprightly, equitably, fairly, lawfully, rightfully, honestly.
2. Fitly, suitably, properly, appropriately.
3. Correctly, truly, exactly.
**Right-minded,** *a.* Well-disposed.
**Right-whale,** *n.* Greenland whale (*Balæna mysticetus*).
**Rigid,** *a.* 1. Stiff, stiffened, inflexible, unpliant, unbending, unyielding.
2. Stiff, bristling, erect, precipitous, steep.
3. Sharp, severe, strict, stern, rigorous, harsh, austere, inflexible, exact, unmitigated.
4. Sharp, cruel.
**Rigidity,** *n.* 1. Stiffness, inflexibility, rigidness, want of pliability.
2. Severity, rigor, harshness, strictness, austerity, rigidness
3. Ungracefulness, want of ease, stiffness.
**Rigidness,** *n.* See RIGIDITY.
**Rigmarole,** *n.* Nonsense, jargon, gibberish, verbiage, trash, balderdash, twaddle, palaver, flummery, foolish talk.
**Rigor,** *n.* 1. Stiffness, rigidity, rigidness, inflexibility, hardness.
2. Severity, austerity, harshness, sternness, asperity.
3. Strictness, exactness.
4. Inclemency, severity.
5. (*Med.*) Sudden coldness with shivering.
**Rigorous,** *a.* 1. Severe, austere, harsh, stern, rigid, hard, strict, stringent, inflexible, unyielding, stiff.
2. Exact, accurate, precise, scrupulously nice, strict.
3. Inclement, severe.
**Rile,** *v. a.* 1. Stir up, roil, render turbid.
2. Vex, anger, irritate (*colloq.*).
**Rilieve,** *n.* Projection, prominence, relief.
**Rill,** *n.* Streamlet, rivulet, runnel, small brook.
**Rim,** *n.* Border, edge, margin, brim, brink, verge, border, skirt, confine.
**Rime,** *n.* 1. Hoar-frost, congealed dew.
2. Rhyme.
**Rimple,** *n.* 1. Wrinkle, fold, rumple, crease, gather, corrugation, pucker, plait.
2. Ripple, undulation, little wave.
**Rind,** *n.* Skin, peel, bark, husk, hull, shell, glume, outer covering.
**Ring,** *n.* 1. Circle, hoop.
2. Race-course, racing-ground, arena.
3. Circular group of persons.
4. (*Colloq.*) Resonance, reverberation.
5. Clique, junto, cabal, coterie, set, combination, league, confederacy.
**Ring,** *v. n.* 1. Sound, resound.
2. Tingle, keep sounding.
**Ring-dove,** *n.* Cushat, wood-pigeon (*Columba palumbus*).
**Ring-leader,** *n.* Leader, chief rioter.
**Ringlet,** *n.* 1. Small ring.
2. Curl, tress, lock.
3. Circle, fairy ring.

**Ringworm,** *n.* Circular herpes *or* tetter.
**Rinse,** *v. a.* Wash (*lightly*), lave.
**Riot,** *n.* 1. Tumult, uproar, disturbance, commotion, broil, brawl, outbreak, fray, affray, altercation, squabble, quarrel, strife, *mêlée*.
2. Luxury, excess, revelry, wild festivity, excessive feasting.
**Riot,** *v. n.* 1. Revel, carouse, luxuriate.
2. Be excited, be tumultuous.
3. Raise an uproar, riot, *or* sedition.
**Riotous,** *a.* 1. Revelling, luxurious, wanton, unrestrained.
2. Tumultuous, seditious, turbulent, insubordinate, mutinous, rebellious, disorderly, ungovernable, unruly, refractory.
**Rip,** *v. a.* 1. Tear open, tear apart, split.
2. Tear out, discover, disclose.
**Rip,** *n.* 1. Tear, rent, laceration.
2. Scamp, cheat, libertine, debauchee, worthless person.
**Ripe,** *a.* 1. Mature, mellow, perfected by growth.
2. Fit, prepared, ready, in readiness.
3. Consummate, finished, perfect, perfected, complete, accomplished.
**Ripen,** *v. n.* 1. Grow ripe, be matured.
2. Be fitted, be prepared.
**Ripen,** *v. a.* 1. Mature, bring to maturity, make ripe, bring to perfection.
2. Mature, fit, prepare.
**Ripeness,** *n.* 1. Maturity, matureness, full growth, completeness, perfection.
2. Fitness, preparation, readiness, qualification.
**Ripple,** *v. n.* Purl.
**Ripple,** *v. a.* Fret, dimple, curl.
**Ripple,** *n.* Rimple, undulation, little wave, fretting, ruffling (*of water*).
**Rise,** *v. n.* 1. Ascend, mount, arise, go *or* move upward.
2. Appear, come forth, come into view.
3. Get up, arise.
4. Revive, come to life, be raised from death.
5. Grow, spring up.
6. Tower up, be heaved up.
7. Be advanced, be promoted, gain a position, succeed, excel.
8. Increase, swell, enlarge, become greater.
9. Adjourn, close the session.
10. Spring, take rise, have source *or* origin, proceed, originate, be produced.
11. Become hostile, take up arms, go to war, rebel, revolt.
12. Slope upward.
13. Happen, occur, come by chance.
**Rise,** *n.* 1. Ascent, rising.
2. Elevation, elevated place, rising ground.
3. Source, origin, spring, beginning.
4. Increase, advance, augmentation.
**Risible,** *a.* 1. Laughable, ridiculous, droll, ludicrous, comical, funny, farcical, amusing.
2. Producing laughter (*as certain muscles*).
**Rising,** *n.* 1. Ascent, rise.
2. Reviving, resurrection.
3. Insurrection, rebellion, sedition.
4. Swelling, tumor, boil.
**Risk,** *n.* Danger, hazard, jeopardy, peril, exposure to harm.
**Risk,** *v. a.* 1. Hazard, peril, endanger, jeopard, jeopardize, put in peril, put to hazard, expose to danger.
2. Venture, dare to undertake.
**Rite,** *n.* Ceremony, form, observance, usage, ordinance, solemnity, ceremonial formulary, sacrament.
**Ritual,** *a.* Ceremonial.
**Ritual,** *n.* Liturgy, formulary of worship.
**Rival,** *n.* Competitor, antagonist, opponent, emulator.
**Rival,** *a.* Competing, emulating, emulous, opposing.
**Rival,** *v. a.* 1. Oppose, compete with, contend with.
2. Emulate, try to equal *or* excel.
3. Match, equal, be equal to.
**Rivalry,** *n.* Competition, emulation, rivalship, strife, contention.
**Rivalship,** *n.* Rivalry.
**Rive,** *v. a.* Rend, split, cleave, tear *or* rend asunder.
**River,** *n.* 1. Stream.
2. Large stream, copious flow, abundance.
**River-crab,** *n.* Cray-fish, craw-fish.
**River-dragon,** *n.* Crocodile.
**River-horse,** *n.* Hippopotamus.
**Rivet,** *v. a.* Fasten, fix, make firm.
**Rivulet,** *n.* Brook, streamlet, runnel, rill, runlet, small stream, burn.
**Road,** *n.* 1. Path, way, lane, street, route, course, pathway, track, passage, highway, thoroughfare, highroad.
2. Roadstead, anchorage.
**Roadstead,** *n.* Anchorage, road.
**Roadster,** *n.* Horse (*fitted for the road*), pad.
**Roam,** *v. n.* Ramble, stroll, wander, range, rove, stray, straggle.
**Roam,** *v. a.* Wander *or* range over, stray about.
**Roamer,** *n.* Wanderer, rover, stroller, vagrant.
**Roan-tree,** *n.* European mountain-ash, fowler's service-tree, rowan-tree (*Pyrus aucuparia*).
**Roar,** *v. n* 1. Bellow (*as a beast*).
2. Bawl, shout, vociferate, yell, howl, cry, cry aloud.
3. Boom, resound, thunder, rattle, peal.
4. Laugh (*loudly and long*).
**Roar,** *n.* 1. Bellow, bellowing, roaring.
2. Loud noise (*as of the wind* or *the sea*).
3. Shout, cry, outcry.
4. Laugh (*loud and long*), laughter, shout.
**Roaring,** *n.* See ROAR.
**Rob,** *v. a.* 1. Plunder, strip, despoil, fleece, pillage, rook.
2. Take from, deprive.
**Robber,** *n.* Plunderer, pillager, thief, despoiler, depredator, highwayman, footpad, brigand, bandit, marauder, freebooter, rifler, pirate.
**Robbery,** *n.* Depredation, peculation, theft, larceny, spoliation, despoliation, despoilment, plundering, pillage, freebooting, piracy.
**Robe,** *n.* Gown, dress.
**Robe,** *v. a.* Dress, clothe, invest, array.
**Robin,** *n.* 1. [*Eng.*] Ruddock, robinet, robin-redbreast (*Erythaca rubecula* or *Motacilla rubecula*).
2. [*U. S.*] Robin-redbreast, migratory thrush (*Turdus migratorius*).
**Roborant,** *a.* Strengthening, tonic.
**Robust,** *a.* 1. Strong, athletic, brawny, stout, sinewy, muscular, stalwart, hale, hearty, hardy, lusty, sturdy, firm, sound, vigorous, powerful, forceful, able-bodied, iron.
2. Sound, vigorous.
3. Violent, rough, rude, boisterous.
**Robustness,** *n.* Strength, soundness, vigor, stoutness, lustiness, sturdiness.
**Rochelle-powder,** *n.* Seidlitz-powder.
**Rochelle-salt,** *n.* Tartrate of potash and soda, tartarized soda, *sel de Seignette*.
**Rock,** *n.* 1. Stone (*of large size*).
2. Defence, support, refuge, protection, strength, asylum.
3. Distaff.
**Rock,** *v. a.* 1. Move backward and forward (*as something that rests on a support*).

2. Lull, quiet, calm, tranquillize, soothe, still, put to sleep.
**Rock,** *v. n.* Reel, totter, move backward and forward.
**Rock-crystal,** *n.* Limpid quartz, mountain-crystal.
**Rock-fish,** *n.* Black goby (*Gobius niger*).
**Rocking-stone,** *n.* Logan-stone.
**Rockling,** *n.* Whistle-fish, sea-loach (*Motella vulgaris*).
**Rock-maple,** *n.* Sugar-maple (*Acer saccharinum*).
**Rock-milk,** *n.* Calc-tuff, agaric mineral.
**Rock-oil,** *n.* Petroleum, rock-tar, mineral oil, naphtha, Barbadoes tar, Seneca oil, stone oil.
**Rock-rose,** *n.* Frost-wort, frost-weed (*Helianthemum Canadensis*).
**Rock-salt,** *n.* Common salt (*as found in mines*), mineral salt.
**Rock-tar,** *n.* See ROCK-OIL.
**Rock-wood,** *n.* Ligniform asbestos.
**Rocky,** *a.* 1. Hard, stony, flinty.
2. Obdurate, stubborn, hard.
**Rod,** *n.* 1. Twig, shoot, slender stem.
2. Wand, slender stick, cane.
3. Switch, scourge, birch, cudgel.
4. Pole, perch.
5. Shoot, branch (*of a family*), tribe, race.
6. Wand, sceptre.
**Rodent,** *a.* Gnawing.
**Rodent,** *n.* Gnawer.
**Rodentia,** *n. pl.* Gnawers, rodents.
**Rodomont,** *n.* Braggart, bully, bombastic fellow, vain boaster, braggadocio.
**Rodomontade,** *n.* Blustering, bluster, boasting, bragging, rant, vain-glory, gasconade.
**Rodomontade,** *v. n.* Boast, brag, bluster, rant, swagger, gasconade.
**Roe,** *n.* 1. Roebuck (*Capreolus Capræa*).
2. Spawn of fishes, sperm of fishes.
**Roebuck,** *n.* See ROE.
**Roestone,** *n.* Oölite.
**Rogation,** *n.* Litany, supplication.
**Rogue,** *n.* 1. Vagrant, sturdy beggar, vagabond.
2. Knave, villain, swindler, sharper, cheat, trickster, rascal, scamp, scoundrel, scapegrace, caitiff, picaroon.
3. Mischievous fellow, wag, sly fellow, playful knave.
**Roguery,** *n.* 1. Knavery, rascality, villany, fraud, cheating, dishonest practices, knavish tricks, trickery, swindling.
2. Waggery, mischief, arch tricks.
**Roguish,** *a.* 1. Knavish, dishonest, fraudulent, trickish, tricky.
2. Sportive, arch, mischievous, waggish, wanton.
**Roil,** *v. a.* 1. Make turbid, rile.
2. Vex, disturb, plague, anger, rile, irritate, worry, annoy, bother.
3. Perplex.
**Roily,** *a.* Turbid, rily, disturbed.
**Roisterer,** *n.* Swaggerer, bully, rioter, blustering fellow.
**Rôle,** *n.* [Fr.] Part, character (*in a play*).
**Roll,** *v. a.* 1. Turn, make revolve.
2. Whirl, wheel, revolve.
3. Revolve, turn about (*in one's mind*).
4. Wrap round (*one part on another*).
5. Bind, involve, inwrap, infold.
6. Press, level, smooth, flatten.
7. Drive, impel forward.
8. Emit, give expression to.
9. Wheel, trundle.
**Roll,** *v. n.* 1. Revolve, rotate, turn, wheel, whirl, gyrate, whirl round, go round, turn round.
2. Run on wheels.
3. Revolve, perform a revolution.
4. Turn, move circularly.
5. Rock from side to side, be tossed about.
6. Move (*as billows*).
7. Fluctuate, move tumultuously.
8. Fall over and over, tumble.
9. Wallow, welter, tumble about.
10. Run, flow, glide.
**Roll,** *n.* 1. Volume, scroll, document.
2. Chronicle, record, history, annals.
3. List, register, catalogue, inventory, schedule, official document.
4. Loaf of bread (*small, and rolled up while in the dough*).
5. Rocking (*as of a vessel in a heavy sea*).
6. Prolonged, deep sound.
7. Cylinder, roller.
8. Round mass.
**Rollicking,** *a.* Frolicsome, jolly, frolicking, playful, sportive, lively, frisky, full of frolic, swaggering, jovial.
**Romaic,** *n.* Vernacular, modern Greek.
**Roman,** *a.* 1. Of Rome, of the Romans.
2. Of the Latins, of ancient Rome.
3. Noble, distinguished, brave, hardy, patriotic.
4. Roman Catholic, of the Roman Catholic religion.
**Roman,** *n.* 1. Native of Rome.
2. Roman Catholic.
**Roman Catholic,** *a.* Roman.
**Roman Catholic,** *n.* Roman.
**Romance,** *n.* 1. Novel, tale, story, work of fiction.
2. Falsehood, lie, fiction, fable.
3. Romanza, ballad, song.
**Romance,** *a.* Romanic.
**Romanic,** *a.* Romance.
**Romanism,** *n.* Roman Catholic religion, popery.
**Romanist,** *a.* Roman Catholic.
**Romanist,** *n.* Roman Catholic, Romist.
**Romanize,** *v. a.* 1. Latinize.
2. Convert to Romanism.
**Romantic,** *a.* 1. Fanciful, imaginative, ideal, extravagant, fantastic, wild.
2. Fictitious, improbable, chimerical, imaginary, fantastic.
3. Wildly picturesque, fantastic.
**Romany,** / **Rommany,** *n.* 1. Gypsy.
2. Gypsy language.
**Rome-penny,** / **Romescot,** / **Remeshot,** *n.* Peter-pence, fee of Rome.
**Romish,** *a.* Roman Catholic.
**Romp,** *n.* 1. Rude girl.
2. Rude play, rude frolic.
**Romp,** *v. n.* Frisk, sport, frolic (*rudely*), play boisterously.
**Rood,** *n.* 1. Forty square rods, fourth part of an acre.
2. Rod, pole, perch.
3. Cross, crucifix.
**Roof,** *n.* 1. Cover (*of a house* or *of a building*).
2. Cover, canopy, arch, vault.
3. House.
4. Palate.
**Roof,** *v. a.* 1. Cover (*with a roof*).
2. Shelter, enclose in a house.
**Rook,** *n.* 1. Castle (*in chess*).
2. Cheat, trickish fellow.
**Rook,** *v. n.* 1. Cheat, defraud, rob, ruck, cower.
2. Squat, sit close.
**Rook,** *v. a.* Cheat, defraud by cheating, castle at chess.
**Room,** *n.* 1. Space, extent, expanse, scope, compass, field, range, sweep, swing, play, latitude.
2. Place, stead.

3. Apartment, chamber.
4. Chance, opportunity, occasion.
5. Unoccupied space, unoccupied place.

**Roomy,** *a.* Spacious, capacious, large, wide, extensive, ample, broad.

**Roost,** *n.* Perch.

**Roost,** *v. n.* 1. Perch.
2. Lodge, settle.

**Rooster,** *n.* [*U. S.*] Cock, chanticleer.

**Root,** *n.* 1. Bottom, base, foundation, lower part.
2. Cause, origin, source, occasion, parent.
3. Radical, radix, etymon, primitive word, stem.
4. First ancestor.

**Root,** *v. n.* Take root.

**Root,** *v. a.* 1. Implant, set, fix, fasten.
2. Establish, confirm, sink deep, plant deeply.
3. Eradicate, tear out, exterminate, extirpate, destroy utterly, remove utterly.
4. Dig, burrow with the snout.

**Rooted,** *a.* Fixed, deep, radical, confirmed, established.

**Rootlet,** *n.* Radicle, small root.

**Root-stock,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Rhizoma, root-like stem.

**Rope,** *v. a.* 1. Draw as by a rope, fasten, tie.
2. Pull, curb in, restrain.

**Rope,** *v n.* Be ropy *or* viscous.

**Rope-dancer,** *n.* Acrobate, funambulist.

**Rope of sand.** Feeble tie.

**Ropy,** *a.* Viscous, viscid, glutinous, tenacious, stringy, adhesive.

**Rosary,** *n.* 1. Chaplet, garland.
2. Rose-garden, rosery.
3. String of beads for counting prayers.

**Roseate,** *a.* 1. Rosy, blushing, blooming, rose-colored.
2. Full of roses.

**Rosebay,** *n.* Rhododendron.

**Rose-chafer,** *n.* Rose-beetle, rose-fly (*Cetonia aurata*).

**Rose-cold,** *n.* Hay-fever, rose-fever.

**Rose-color,** *n.* Pink.

**Rose-colored,** *a.* 1. Rosy, roseate, pink.
2. Uncommonly beautiful, extravagantly fine, pleasing.

**Rosed,** *a.* Crimsoned, flushed, rosy.

**Rose-elder,** *n.* Gelder-rose, snowball-tree (*Viburnum opulus*).

**Rose-fever,** *n.* Hay-fever, rose-cold.

**Rose-fish,** *n.* Norway haddock.

**Rose-fly,** *n.* Rose-beetle, rose-chafer (*Cetonia aurata*).

**Roseola,** *n.* Rose-rash, scarlet rash.

**Rose-red,** *a.* Rose-colored, roseate, ruddy.

**Rosin,** *n.* Colophony, resin (*from the pine*).

**Rossignol,** *n.* Nightingale, philomel, philomela (*Luscinia philomela*).

**Rostrum,** *n.* Platform, stage.

**Rosy,** *a.* Blooming, ruddy, blushing, rosy, roseate, rose-colored, red, flushed.

**Rot,** *n.* Putrefaction, corruption, decomposition, decay.

**Rot,** *v. n.* 1. Putrefy, corrupt, decompose, decay, spoil.
2. Moulder, rust.

**Rotary,** *a.* Whirling, rotating, rotatory, turning.

**Rotate,** *v. n.* Revolve, wheel, whirl, turn, go round, turn round.

**Rotation,** *n.* Succession, order, series, course round.

**Rotatory,** *a.* Whirling, rotating, rotary.

**Rote,** *n.* 1. Repetition.
2. Rut (*of the sea*).

**Rotten,** *a.* 1. Putrid, corrupt, carious, decomposed, putrefied, decaying, decayed, fetid, putrescent, foul.
2. Unsound, defective.
3. Treacherous, deceitful, untrustworthy, corrupt, unsound.
4. Fetid, ill-smelling, rank.

**Rotund,** *a.* Round, spherical, globular.

**Rotundity,** *n.* Roundness, sphericity, rotundness, globosity.

**Rotundness,** *n.* See ROTUNDITY.

**Roturier,** *n.* [Fr.] Plebeian, commoner.

**Roué,** *n.* [Fr.] Rake, debauchee, profligate, dissolute man.

**Rouge-et-noir,** *n.* [Fr.] *Trente-un, trente-et-quarante.*

**Rough,** *a.* 1. Uneven, rugged, craggy, cragged, jagged, scraggy, scabrous.
2. Unhewn, unwrought, unfashioned, formless, shapeless.
3. Unpolished (*as a gem*), uncut, unfinished.
4. Shaggy, hairy, coarse, hirsute, bristly, ragged, disordered.
5. Coarse, indelicate, rude, uncivil, impolite, ungracious, bearish, churlish, gruff.
6. Harsh, sharp, severe, violent.
7. Tart, sour, crabbed, hard.
8. Inharmonious, discordant, jarring, unmusical, scabrous, grating.
9. Tempestuous, boisterous, stormy, inclement.
10. Wild, boisterous, untamed.
11. Rugged, harsh, austere, uncourteous, unpolished, blunt, bluff, unrefined, burly.
12. Harsh, severe, uncivil, unfeeling, hard, cruel.
13. Rude, unpolished.
14. Vague, crude.

**Rough,** *n.* Rowdy, ruffian, bully, coarse fellow.

**Rough breathing.** Aspirate.

**Rough draught.** Sketch, outline, rude sketch.

**Roughness,** *n.* 1. Unevenness, ruggedness.
2. Harshness, rudeness, coarseness, incivility, gruffness, bluntness, impoliteness.
3. Acerbity, unsavoriness, astringency, harshness.
4. Storminess, boisterousness, tempestuousness, inclemency, violence.
5. Violence, severity.
6. Inelegance, coarseness.
7. Discord.

**Round,** *a.* 1. Circular.
2. Spherical, globular, orbicular, rotund, orbed.
3. Cylindrical.
4. Full, complete, entire, unbroken, whole.
5. Large, great, considerable.
6. Plump, chubby, corpulent, stout, full, swelling.
7. Smooth, continuous, flowing, full, harmonious.
8. Quick, brisk, full.
9. Plain, fair, candid, open, upright, honest, frank.

**Round,** *n.* 1. Cycle, revolution.
2. Circular dance.
3. Circle, sphere, cylinder, globe.
4. Rotation, established succession.
5. Rundle, step.
6. Circuit, compass, perambulation, tour.
7. Rung (*of a ladder*).

**Round,** *ad.* 1. Around, on all sides.
2. Circularly, in a circle, in a circuit.
3. Not directly, circuitously.
4. In circumference.
5. Through a circle.
6. From first to last.

**Round,** *prep.* 1. Around, circularly, about.
2. All over, in all parts of.

**Round,** *v. a.* 1. Make circular, make spherical, make cylindrical.
2. Surround, encircle, encompass.
3. Make full, finish off, make complete.

4. Move about, go round.
5. Make full, make smooth.

**Roundabout,** *a.* 1. Indirect, tortuous, circuitous.
2. Ample, extensive, broad.
3. Encompassing, encircling.

**Roundabout,** *n.* 1. Merry-go-round.
2. Round jacket, surtout.
3. Circuitous way, way round.
4. Circular dance.
5. Orb, sphere, globe.

**Round-backed,** *a.* Round-shouldered.

**Roundhead,** *n.* Puritan.

**Roundly,** *ad.* 1. Openly, plainly, boldly, without reserve, peremptorily.
2. Briskly, swiftly, speedily.
3. Completely, vigorously, in earnest, to the purpose.

**Roundness,** *n.* 1. Sphericity, circularity, rotundness, rotundity, globosity, globularity, globularness, orbicularness, cylindricity, fulness, plumpness.
2. Fulness, smoothness of flow.
3. Openness, plainness, boldness, positiveness.

**Rouse,** *v. a.* 1. Awaken, wake, waken, arouse.
2. Animate, kindle, enkindle, stimulate, excite, provoke, stir up.
3. Put in commotion, agitate.
4. Startle, surprise, drive from cover.

**Rouse,** *v. n.* 1. Rise, stand up, stand erect.
2. Awake, wake, get up, start up.

**Rout,** *n.* 1. Defeat, discomfiture, ruin, complete overthrow.
2. Concourse, rabble, multitude, tumultuous crowd, clamorous multitude.
3. Fashionable assembly, evening party.
4. Uproar, brawl, disturbance, noise.

**Rout,** *v. a.* 1. Defeat, discomfort, overthrow, overpower, beat, conquer.
2. Dispel, chase away, drive away, rout out, turn out, search thoroughly.

**Route,** *n.* Way, path, passage, course, road.

**Routine,** *n.* Practice, custom, round, ordinary way, wont, course, order.

**Rove,** *v. n.* Roam, ramble, stroll, range, wander, stray, straggle.

**Rover,** *n.* 1. Rambler, wanderer, straggler, bird of passage.
2. Robber, pirate, freebooter.
3. Fickle person, inconstant person.

**Row,** *n.* Rank, line, file.

**Row,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Broil, tumult, uproar, riot, commotion, squabble, outbreak, quarrel, affray, disturbance, altercation, brawl.

**Rowan-tree,** *n.* European mountain-ash, fowler's service-tree, roan-tree, roun-tree, royne-tree.

**Rowdy,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Rough, bully, ruffian, coarse fellow.

**Rowdy,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) 1. Disreputable, blackguard, rough.
2. Flashy, coarsely showy.

**Rowel,** *n.* Goad, spur.

**Rowen,** *n.* Aftermath, eddish, lattermath, rowett.

**Royal,** *a.* 1. Kingly, regal, imperial.
2. Magnificent, kingly, princely, august, majestic, kinglike, grand, splendid, superb.
3. Noble, generous, dignified, magnanimous.
4. Imperial, monarchical, regal.

**Royalty,** *n.* 1. Kingship, sovereignty.
2. Kingliness.
3. Majesty.
4. Percentage (*as on copyright*).
5. Kingdom, domain, sphere, province.

**Rub,** *v. a.* 1. Abrade, scrape, chafe, grate.
2. Wipe, clean, scour.
3. Smooth.
4. Chafe, fret, gall, touch hard.
5. Spread, put, apply, smear.

**Rub,** *v. n.* 1. Grate, chafe.
2. Fret, chafe, make friction.

**Rub,** *n.* 1. Rubbing, friction.
2. Collision, obstruction, hindrance.
3. Obstacle, difficulty, embarrassment, perplexity, dilemma, pinch, hardship.
4. Taunt, gibe, sarcasm, jeer, severe rebuke.

**Rub-a-dub,** *n.* Clatter, din, incessant noise.

**Rubber,** *n.* Caoutchouc, india-rubber, gum-elastic.

**Rubbing,** *n.* Attrition, abrasion, friction.

**Rubbish,** *n.* 1. Ruins, fragments, refuse, *débris.*
2. Litter, lumber, trash, orts, dross, dregs, scum, scoria, sweepings, refuse.
3. Confusion, mingled mass.

**Rubeola,** *n.* (*Med*) Measles.

**Rubicund,** *a.* Ruddy, reddish, red, florid.

**Rubicundity,** *n.* Ruddiness, reddishness, redness.

**Rub off.** Abrade, wear away.

**Rub out.** Efface, erase, obliterate, expunge, cancel, wipe out.

**Ruby-blend,** *n.* Red blende, red sulphuret of zinc.

**Ruck,** *v. n.* Squat, cower, crouch, lie close, take shelter, rook.

**Ruck,** *v. a.* Wrinkle, crease.

**Rudder-fish,** *n.* Pilot-fish.

**Ruddiness,** *n.* Redness, reddishness, floridness.

**Ruddock,** / **Ruddoc,** *n.* Robin-redbreast.

**Ruddy,** *a.* Reddish, florid, of a red color.

**Rude,** *a.* 1. Rough, rugged, coarse, uneven, shapeless, unfashioned, unformed, unwrought, crude, ill-formed.
2. Artless, unpolished, raw, inelegant, crude, rustic.
3. Coarse, uncouth, vulgar, clownish, loutish, boorish, ungraceful, uncivilized, untrained, unskilful, unskilled, untutored, untaught, undisciplined, ignorant, barbarous, illiterate, savage.
4. Uncivil, uncourteous, brusk, rough, coarse, blunt, bluff, impolite, impudent, impertinent, saucy, insolent, insulting, ill-bred, surly, currish, gruff, churlish, brutal, uncivilized, barbarous, savage.
5. Violent, fierce, impetuous, inclement, boisterous, tumultuous, harsh, severe, turbulent.
6. Fierce, impetuous, violent.

**Rudeness,** *n.* 1. Roughness, ruggedness, unevenness.
2. Artlessness, inelegance.
3. Ignorance, uncouthness, barbarousness, clownishness.
4. Coarseness, incivility, impoliteness, insolence, impertinence, pertness, sauciness, surliness, gruffness, churlishness, currishness, presumption, effrontery, face, assurance, brass, ill-breeding.
5. Violence, boisterousness, severity, inclemency, tempestuousness, storminess.
6. Violence, impetuosity, fierceness.

**Rudiment,** *n.* 1. Embryo, rude state, starting-point.
2. Element, first principle, essential point.

**Rudimental,** *a.* 1. Embryonic, rudimentary.
2. Elementary, primary, initial.

**Rudimentary,** *a.* See RUDIMENTAL.

**Rue,** *v. a.* Regret, deplore, lament, repent of, be sorry for, grieve for.

**Rueful,** *a.* 1. Doleful, mournful, woful, sorrowful, lamentable.
2. Melancholy, sad, sorrowful, piteous, pitiful, grievous, lugubrious, dismal.

**Ruff,** *n.* Ruffle.

**Ruffian,** *n.* Villain, miscreant, caitiff, rascal, scoundrel, wretch, monster, robber, cut-throat, murderer.

**Ruffian,** *a.* Savage, brutal, savagely boisterous, tumultuous, raging, violent.

**Ruffianism,** *n.* Brutality, rascality, blackguardism, scoundrelism.
**Ruffle,** *v. a.* I. Disarrange, damage, disorder, rumple, derange.
2. Discompose, disquiet, trouble, vex, torment, molest, plague, worry, harass, disturb, agitate, confuse, excite.
3. Gather into folds, wrinkle, cockle, pucker.
4. Surprise.
5. Amass, pile, heap.
**Ruffle,** *v. n.* I. Flutter, play loosely.
2. Swagger, put on airs.
**Ruffle,** *n.* I. Ruff, frill, edging.
2. Bustle, disturbance, commotion, contention, tumult, confusion, perturbation, flutter, flurry, agitation, fluster, hurry-skurry.
**Rugged,** *a.* I. Rough, craggy, cragged, uneven, irregular, scraggy.
2. Uneven, ragged, coarse.
3. Rough, bristly, shaggy.
4. Rough, harsh, crabbed, austere, hard, rude, severe.
5. Tempestuous, turbulent, stormy, rude, boisterous, inclement.
6. Harsh, inharmonious, grating, unmusical, scabrous.
7. Wrinkled, frowning, surly, sour, discomposed, ruffled.
8. Rude, boisterous, violent, tumultuous.
**Ruggedness,** *n.* I. Roughness, unevenness, asperity.
2. Harshness, severity, rigor, roughness, coarseness, rudeness, surliness.
3. Boisterousness, storminess, inclemency, turbulence, tempestuousness.
**Rugose,** *a.* Wrinkled, rugous.
**Rugous,** *a.* See RUGOSE.
**Ruin,** *n.* I. Destruction, discomfiture, overthrow, defeat, wreck, perdition, fall, downfall, prostration, subversion, undoing, shipwreck.
2. Bane, pest, mischief, destruction, perdition.
3. Wreck.
**Ruin,** *v. a.* I. Destroy, demolish, overthrow, subvert, overturn, overwhelm, defeat, ruinate.
2. Impoverish, bring to want, reduce to poverty.
**Ruinate,** *v. a.* I. Ruin, destroy, demolish, subvert, reduce to ruin.
2. Reduce to poverty.
**Ruination,** *n.* Demolition, destruction, subversion, overthrow, ruin.
**Ruinous,** *a.* I. Decayed, dilapidated, demolished.
2. Destructive, pernicious, baneful, noxious, noisome, calamitous, wasteful, mischievous.
**Ruins,** *n. pl.* Remains.
**Rule,** *n.* I. Command, control, domination, dominion, lordship, mastership, mastery, government, empire, sway, direction, authority.
2. Behavior, conduct.
3. Method, regularity, order.
4. Precept, law, canon, maxim, aphorism, formula, test, criterion, standard, touchstone.
5. Order, ruling, prescription, regulation, guide, precept.
6. Ruler.
**Rule,** *v. a.* I. Govern, command, control, conduct, manage, bridle, restrain, direct, lead.
2. Guide, advise, persuade, prevail on.
3. Settle, establish.
4. (*Law.*) Determine, decide
**Rule,** *v. n.* I. Command, govern, have command, have control, exercise supreme authority.
2. Prevail, decide.
3. Settle, decide, establish.
**Ruler,** *n.* I. Governor, sovereign, monarch, king, lord, master.
2. Director, manager.
3. Rule.
**Ruling,** *a.* I. Governing, controlling, reigning, chief.
2. Predominant, prevailing, prevalent.
**Rumex,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Dock.
**Ruminate,** *v. n.* I. Chew the cud.
2. Muse, meditate, ponder, cogitate, think, reflect.
**Ruminate,** *v. a.* Meditate, chew, muse on, reflect upon, ponder upon, think about, brood over, chew the cud upon.
**Rumination,** *n.* Musing, meditation, reflection, cogitation, pondering.
**Rummage,** *v. a.* Search, examine, explore, ransack.
**Rummage,** *v. n.* Make a search.
**Rummage,** *n.* Search, examination, exploration.
**Rumor,** *n.* I. Report, talk, bruit, gossip, hearsay.
2. Flying report, common voice, town talk.
3. Report, story, news, tidings, bruit.
4. Fame, reputation, celebrity, repute.
**Rumor,** *v. a.* Report, tell, bruit, circulate, spread abroad, noise abroad.
**Rump,** *n.* Buttocks.
**Rumple,** *v. a.* Wrinkle, crumple, crease, crush, pucker, corrugate.
**Rumple,** *n.* Wrinkle, crumple, pucker, rimple, crease, corrugation, fold.
**Rumpus,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Riot, brawl, confusion, tumult, uproar, squabble, outbreak, quarrel, feud, affray, disturbance, altercation, row.
**Run,** *v. n.* I. Race, step quickly, move swiftly.
2. Haste, hasten, hie, hurry, scud, scamper, scour, speed, post, trip.
3. Flow, glide, move, go, proceed, stream, roll on, move on.
4. Fuse, melt, become fluid, be fusible.
5. Pass, proceed, advance, elapse, vanish.
6. Spread, extend.
7. Continue, proceed, go, pass, press.
8. Tend, incline, make transition.
9. Extend, stretch, lie.
10. Steal away, depart privately.
**Run,** *v. a.* I. Pierce, stab.
2. Push, thrust, put with force.
3. Force, drive.
4. Fuse, melt.
5. Make, force, bring.
6. Shape, form, mould, cast.
7. Incur, be liable to, fall into, be exposed to, encounter.
8. Venture, hazard, risk.
9. Break through, evade, smuggle.
10. Pursue in thought, carry in contemplation, trace by reflection.
11. Determine, mark out.
12. Pursue, follow, perform, take.
13. Pour forth, emit, let flow, discharge.
14. Cause to ply, maintain.
**Run,** *n.* I. Running.
2. Current, progress, course, flow, passage, motion.
3. Continued course, continued success, currency, popularity.
4. Trip, excursion, journey.
5. Clamor, outcry, protest, popular censure.
6. Pressure, demand, urgent application.
7. Generality, people *or* things as they are, people *or* things of average quality.
8. Brook, streamlet, runlet, runnel, rivulet, rill, small stream, burn.
**Run after.** I. Follow, pursue, chase, course.
2. Search for, try to find, hunt.
**Run a rig.** Play a sportive trick, engage in a frolic.
**Run away.** Flee, fly, escape, elope.
**Runaway,** *n.* Fugitive, deserter.

**Run down.** I. Catch by chasing, chase to weariness.
2. Run against and sink.
3. Crush, overthrow, overbear, overwhelm.
4. Decry, disparage, depreciate, condemn, traduce, cry down.
**Rung,** *n.* Round (*of a ladder*).
**Run in debt.** Get into debt, get credit, contract debts, become involved.
**Runlet,** *n.* Brook, run, small stream.
**Runnel,** *n.* (*Rare.*) Run, rivulet.
**Runner,** *n.* I. Racer.
2. Messenger, courier.
**Run on.** Continue, hold on, be continued.
**Run out.** (*Active.*) I. Extend, thrust out, push out.
2. Waste, exhaust, expend.
**Run out.** (*Neuter.*) I. Expire, be at end.
2. Be wasted, be exhausted.
3. Spread, expatiate.
4. Stop.
**Run over.** (*Active.*) I. Pass over.
2. Recount (*cursorily*).
**Run over.** (*Neuter.*) Overflow.
**Run riot.** I. Go to excess.
2. Grow luxuriantly.
**Run the hazard.** See RUN THE RISK.
**Run the risk.** Take the chance, risk it, run the hazard.
**Run through.** I. Pierce, penetrate, stab.
2. Waste, expend, exhaust, dissipate.
**Run together.** Unite, mingle.
**Run to seed.** Be worn out, go to waste, be impoverished.
**Run up.** Grow, swell, increase, rise.
**Rupture,** *n.* I. Breach, fracture, disruption, break, burst, dissolution.
2. Quarrel, feud, contention, hostility.
3. See HERNIA.
**Rupture,** *v. a.* Break, burst.
**Rural,** *a* Rustic, pastoral, country.
**Ruralize,** *v. n.* Rusticate.
**Ruse,** *n.* [Fr.] Stratagem, trick, artifice, wile, manœuvre, fraud, deceit, deception, imposture, chouse, sham, fetch, clap-trap, crafty device.
**Rush,** *n.* I. Straw, farthing, copper, trifle.
2. Driving on, violent course.
3. Eager demand, run.
**Rush,** *v. n.* Career, push on, press on.
**Rush out.** I. Issue, flow, flow out.
2. Press out, hurry out, go out with a rush.
**Russet,** *a.* I. Reddish-brown.
2. Coarse, rustic, homespun.
**Rust,** *n.* I. Hydrated peroxide of iron.
2. Mildew, blight, must, mustiness, mould.
**Rust,** *v. n.* I. Gather rust, become rusty, be oxidized.
2. Decay, degenerate, grow dull, become sluggish.
**Rustic,** *a.* I. Rural, country.
2. Countrified, unpolished, uncouth, clownish, inelegant, hoiden, hoidenish, rough, awkward, untaught, rude, outlandish, boorish.
3. Simple, plain, coarse, unadorned, homely, countrified.
4. Simple, artless, honest, unsophisticated.
**Rustic,** *n.* Swain, peasant, clown, boor, hind, countryman.
**Rusticate,** *v. n.* Dwell *or* reside in the country.
**Rusticity,** *n.* Rudeness, coarseness, artlessness, simplicity, boorishness, clownishness.
**Rustle,** *n.* Rustling.
**Rustling,** *a.* Whispering, susurrous.
**Rusty,** *a.* I. Covered with rust, affected with rust.
2. Musty, fusty, mildewed, rubiginous.
3. Dull, sluggish.
4. Rough, hoarse, grating, unmusical.
**Rut,** *n.* I. Track of a wheel, furrow.
2. Rote (*of the sea*).
**Ruta-baga,** *n.* Swedish turnip (*Brassica campestris*).
**Ruth,** *n.* Mercy, pity, compassion, tenderness.
**Ruthful,** *a.* Merciful, compassionate, pitiful, tender.
**Ruthfully,** *ad.* Wofully, sadly, mournfully, piteously.
**Ruthless,** *a.* Merciless, pitiless, cruel, uncompassionate, unpitying, unmerciful, relentless, unrelenting, unsparing, inexorable, barbarous, fell, savage, ferocious, inhuman, hard-hearted, truculent.
**Rye-grass,** *n.* Ray-grass, common darnel (*Lolium perenne*).

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**Sabaoth,** *n. pl.* [Heb.] Hosts, armies
**Sabbath,** *n.* I. [With *The* prefixed.] Lord's day, the day of rest, the Christian sabbath, first day of the week (*among Christians*), seventh day of the week (*among Jews*).
2. Rest, repose, time of rest.
**Sabbatism,** *n.* Rest, intermission of labor.
**Sabine,** *n.* Savin (*Juniperus Sabina*).
**Sable,** *n.* I. Zibelline, marten (*Mustela zibellina*).
2. Pine marten, American sable (*Mustela abietum*).
**Sable,** *a.* Dark, dusky, sombre, ebon, black.
**Sabre,** *n.* Cavalry sword, dragoon's sword, falchion.
**Sabulous,** *a.* Sandy, gritty.
**Saccharine,** *a.* Sugary, sweet.
**Sacerdotal,** *a.* Priestly.
**Sacerdotalism,** *n.* Priest-craft.
**Sachem,** *n.* American Indian chief, sagamore.
**Sack,** *n.* I. Bag, pouch.
2. Spoliation, destruction, desolation, devastation, havoc, waste, ravage, sackage, despoilment.
3. Booty, spoil, plunder.
4. Sherry, sherry wine.
**Sack,** *v. a.* Ravage, despoil, devastate, spoil, plunder, pillage, take by storm.
**Sacrament,** *n.* I. Rite, ceremony, solemnity.
2. [With *The* prefixed.] Eucharist, communion, Lord's Supper.
**Sacred,** *a.* I. Hallowed, holy, consecrated, divine.
2. Religious.
3. Dedicated, devoted, consecrated.
4. Inviolable, inviolate.
5. Venerable, sainted.
**Sacredly,** *ad.* Inviolably, strictly, religiously.
**Sacredness,** *n.* I. Holiness, sanctity.
2. Inviolableness, inviolability.
**Sacrifice,** *v. a.* I. Immolate, offer up.
2. Surrender, give up, forego.
3. Destroy, kill.
**Sacrifice,** *n.* I. Consecratory rite.

2. Offering, oblation, immolation.
3. Surrender, destruction, loss, devotion with loss.
4. Loss.

**Sacrilege,** *n.* Profanation, desecration, violation.

**Sacrilegious,** *a.* Irreverent, impious, profane, desecrating.

**Sacring-bell,** *n.* Saints' bell, mass-bell, sanctus-bell.

**Sacrist,** *n.* Sacristan, sexton.

**Sacristan,** *n.* Sexton, sacrist, vestry-keeper.

**Sacristy,** *n.* Vestry, vestry-room.

**Sad,** *a.* I. Close, firm, cohesive.
2. Serious, sedate, grave, staid, sober, sombre, saturnine.
3. Sorrowful, melancholy, mournful, downcast, afflicted, heavy, disconsolate, despondent, depressed, dejected, cheerless.
4. Gloomy, dismal, doleful, mournful, lugubrious, woe-begone, dull.
5. Grievous, afflictive calamitous, disastrous, dire, deplorable.
6. Bad, naughty, vexatious, wicked, troublesome, mischievous.
7. Dark, sombre.

**Saddle,** *v. a.* I. Put a saddle on.
2. Load, burden, encumber, clog, charge.

**Saddle-cloth,** *n.* Housing.

**Saddle-horse,** *n.* Palfrey.

**Sad-hearted,** *a.* Sorrowful, melancholy.

**Sad-iron,** *n.* Flat-iron, smoothing-iron.

**Sadly,** *ad.* I. Sorrowfully, mournfully, miserably, grievously.
2. Badly, afflictively, calamitously.
3. Darkly.
4. Seriously, soberly, gravely.

**Sadness,** *n.* I. Sorrow, despondency, sorrowfulness, mournfulness, melancholy, depression, dejection.
2. Gloominess, mournfulness, heaviness, grief, sorrow, dolefulness.
3. Seriousness, sedateness, gravity.

**Safe,** *a.* I. Unharmed, undamaged, unscathed, unhurt.
2. Protected, guarded, secure.
3. Trusty, trustworthy, reliable, sure.
4. Sound, whole, good.

**Safe,** *n.* I. Place of safety, secure place.
2. Coffer, chest, strong box.

**Safe-conduct,** *n.* I. Escort, convoy, safeguard, protection.
2. Pass, passport, warrant of security, safeguard.

**Safeguard,** *n.* I. Defence, protection, security.
2. Convoy, escort, safe-conduct, guard.
3. Pass, passport, safe-conduct.

**Safeguard,** *v. a.* Guard, protect.

**Safe-keeping,** *n.* Preservation, guardianship.

**Safely,** *ad.* I. In safety.
2. Securely, carefully, in close custody.

**Safety,** *n.* I. Security.
2. Preservation.
3. Safeness.
4. Preservation, close custody.

**Safety-belt,** } **Safety-buoy,** } *n.* Life-belt, life-preserver.

**Saffron,** *a.* Yellow.

**Saffron,** *v. a.* Gild, make yellow.

**Sag,** *v. n.* Bend (*by force of gravity*), settle, swag, give way.

**Saga,** *n.* Scandinavian legend, tradition, tale, history.

**Sagacious,** *a.* I. Quick-scented, quick of scent.
2. Discerning, intelligent, rational, judicious, sage, shrewd, acute, apt, keen, able, perspicacious, wise, sharp-witted, keen-witted, keen-sighted, clear-sighted, long-headed.
3. Sage, wise, enlightened, gifted, sapient.
4. Intelligent (*said of animals*).

**Sagaciousness,** *n.* Sagacity.

**Sagacity,** *n.* I. Sagaciousness, quickness of scent.
2. Shrewdness, acuteness, sharpness, astuteness, penetration, ingenuity, discernment, perspicacity, sense, insight, mother-wit, quickness, readiness, wisdom.

**Sage,** *a.* I. Wise, sagacious, sapient, discerning, shrewd, acute, intelligent, sensible, prudent.
2. Prudent, judicious, well-judged.
3. Serious, grave, solemn.

**Sage,** *n.* Philosopher, wise man.

**Sagittary,** *n.* (*Mythol.*) Centaur, archer, bowman.

**Said,** *a.* I. Declared, uttered, reported, related.
2. Aforesaid, before-mentioned.

**Sail,** *v. n.* I. Make sail, put to sea, get under way, set sail, begin a voyage.
2. Pass by water.
3. Swim.
4. Fly smoothly.
5. Glide, float.

**Sail,** *v. a.* Navigate.

**Sail-cloth,** *n.* Duck, canvas.

**Sailor,** *n.* Seaman, mariner, seafarer, seafaring man.

**Sail round.** Circumnavigate.

**Saint,** *n.* Holy person.

**Sainted,** *a.* I. Consecrated, sacred, holy, hallowed.
2. Canonized.
3. Holy, pious, virtuous.

**Saint John's bread.** Carob-tree, Algaroba-tree, locust-tree (*Ceratonia siliqua*).

**Saintly,** *a.* Holy, devout, pious, religious, godly, heavenly-minded.

**Saint-Simonianism,** *n.* Fourierism, phalansterianism, humanitarianism, socialism.

**Saint Vitus's dance.** Chorea.

**Sake,** *n.* I. Reason, purpose, end, final cause.
2. Score, account, regard, respect, consideration, reason, cause, interest.

**Salable,** *a.* I. Vendible, marketable, fit for sale.
2. In demand, of ready sale.

**Salacious,** *a.* Lewd, lustful, carnal, lecherous, lascivious, wanton, libidinous, lickerish, concupiscent, lewd, loose, prurient, unchaste, incontinent.

**Salamander,** *n.* Eft.

**Sal-ammoniac,** *n.* Chloride of ammonium, hydrochlorate of ammonia, muriate of ammonia.

**Salary,** *n.* Stipend, pay, wages, hire, allowance.

**Sale,** *n.* I. Demand, market, vent, opportunity to sell.
2. Auction.

**Salient,** *a.* I. Leaping, bounding, jumping.
2. Springing, beating, throbbing, shooting up.
3. Projecting, jutting, prominent, standing out, in relief.
4. Striking, remarkable, conspicuous, prominent.

**Saline,** *a.* Briny, salt.

**Saline,** *n.* Salt-spring, salt-pit.

**Saliva,** *n.* Spittle.

**Sallow,** *a.* Yellow (*as from illness*), yellowish; pale, of a pale, sickly color.

**Sally,** *n.* I. Sortie.
2. Digression, excursion, trip, run.
3. Frolic, escapade, wild gayety.
4. Jest, joke, quip, quirk, crank, witticism, sprightly fancy, flash of wit, *jeu d'esprit*.

**Sally,** *v. n.* Rush out, issue suddenly.

**Sally forth.** See SALLY.

**Salmagundi,** *n.* Medley, olio, miscellany, mixture, farrago, jumble, hodge-podge, hotch-potch, mish-mash, gallimaufry, pot-pourri, *mélange*.

**Salmis,** *n.* Jugged hare, ragout.

**Salmon-trout,** *n.* Sea-trout, hirling (*Salmo trutta*).
**Saloon,** *n.* Spacious room, reception room.
**Salsafy,** } *n.* Oyster-plant (*Tragopogon porrifolius*).
**Salsify,** }
**Sal-soda,** *n.* Carbonate of soda.
**Salt,** *n.* 1. Chloride of sodium, muriate of soda, common salt.
2. Taste, smack, savor, flavor, seasoning, relish.
3. Wit, piquancy, pungency, sarcasm, humor, smartness, poignancy.
4. Sailor, old sailor.
5. Salt-cellar.
**Salt,** *a.* 1. Saline.
2. Sharp, bitter, pungent.
**Saltation,** *n.* 1. Leaping, jumping, hopping, springing, bounding, vaulting.
2. Palpitation.
**Saltatory,** *a.* Leaping, jumping, skipping, hopping, dancing.
**Salt-cake,** *n.* Sulphate of soda (*artificially prepared from common salt*).
**Saltish,** *a.* Brackish, somewhat salt.
**Salt of hartshorn.** Sal-volatile, carbonate of ammonia (*solid and impure*), sesqui-carbonate of ammonia, volatile salts, smelling salts.
**Salt of lemons.** 1. Binoxalate of potash, salt of sorrel, essential salt of lemons.
2. Oxalic acid.
**Salt of sorrel.** 1. Binoxalate of potash, salt of lemons.
2. Oxalic acid.
**Salt of tartar.** Pure carbonate of potash.
**Salt-pan,** *n.* Salt-pit, salt-mine, salt-work.
**Saltpetre,** *n.* Nitre, nitrate of potash.
**Salt-water,** *n.* Sea-water.
**Salt-wort,** *n.* Glass-wort, marsh-samphire (*Salicornea herbacea*).
**Salubrious,** *a.* Healthy, healthful, salutary, wholesome, salutiferous.
**Salubriousness,** } *n.* Healthiness, healthfulness,
**Salubrity,** } salutariness, wholesomeness.
**Salutariness,** *n.* See SALUBRITY.
**Salutary,** *a.* 1. Healthy, healthful, salubrious, wholesome, salutiferous, helpful, safe.
2. Advantageous, beneficial, serviceable, good, useful, profitable.
**Salutation,** *n.* Greeting, salute, address.
**Salutatory,** *a.* Greeting.
**Salutatory,** *n.* [*U. S.*] Salutatory oration at college commencement.
**Salute,** *v. a.* 1. Greet, hail, address, accost, welcome, congratulate.
2. Kiss, greet with a kiss.
**Salute,** *n.* 1. Salutation, greeting, address.
2. Kiss.
**Salutiferous,** *a.* Healthy, healthful, salutary, salubrious, wholesome.
**Salvation,** *n.* 1. Preservation, deliverance, rescue, escape from danger.
2. Redemption, deliverance.
**Salve,** *n.* 1. Healing ointment, cerate.
2. Help, remedy, corrective, antidote.
**Salve,** *v. a.* 1. Anoint, heal, cure.
2. Help, remedy, mend, gloss over.
**Salver,** *n.* Waiter, tray.
**Salvo,** *n.* 1. Exception, reservation, excuse, saving.
2. Volley, general discharge (*of fire-arms*).
**Sal-volatile,** *n.* Sesqui-carbonate of ammonia, carbonate of ammonia, smelling-salts, salt of hartshorn.
**Sambucus,** *n.* Elder-tree.
**Same,** *a.* 1. Identical.
2. Similar, like, corresponding; of like kind, sort, *or* degree.
**Sameness,** *n.* 1. Identity, identicalness, oneness.
2. Similarity, resemblance, correspondence, likeness.
3. Monotony, want of variety.
**Samiel,** *n.* [Arab.] Simoom, simoon, khamsin, harmattan.
**Samiot,** } *n.* Samian, inhabitant of Samos.
**Samiote,** }
**Sample,** *n.* 1. Specimen, illustration, exemplification, instance.
2. Example, pattern, model.
3. Scantling, pattern, specimen.
**Sampler,** *n.* Pattern (*of needle-work*).
**Sanability,** *n.* Curableness, sanableness.
**Sanable,** *a.* Curable, remediable, healable.
**Sanableness,** *n.* Curableness, sanability.
**Sanative,** } *a.* Healing, curative, curing, remedial, therapeutic.
**Sanatory,** }
**Sanctification,** *n.* 1. Justification, absolution, remission of sin.
2. Consecration.
**Sanctified,** *a.* 1. Consecrated, hallowed.
2. Sanctimonious, affectedly holy.
**Sanctifier,** *n.* [With *The* prefixed.] The Holy Spirit.
**Sanctify,** *v. a.* 1. Make holy, cleanse from sin.
2. Consecrate, hallow, purify.
3. Sanction, justify, ratify.
**Sanctimonious,** *a.* Pharisaical, affectedly holy, hypocritically devout.
**Sanctimoniousness,** *n.* Pharisaism, hypocrisy, cant, formalism, pietism, sanctimony, assumed piety.
**Sanctimony,** *n.* Affected holiness, hypocritical devoutness, pretence of holiness, sanctimoniousness.
**Sanction,** *n.* 1. Confirmation, ratification, countenance, support, authority, warranty, authorization, allowance.
2. Penalty, punishment.
**Sanction,** *v. a.* Ratify, confirm, countenance, support, authorize, warrant, allow, legalize, bind.
**Sanctity,** *n.* 1. Purity, holiness, godliness, saintliness, goodness, piety, grace, devotion, religiousness.
2. Sacredness, inviolability, solemnity.
**Sanctuary,** *n.* 1. Sacred *or* holy place, shrine, consecrated spot, holy ground, holy of holies, *adytum*.
2. Temple, church, place of worship, consecrated building, consecrated ground.
3. Asylum, refuge, shelter.
4. Refuge, shelter, protection, security.
**Sanctum sanctorum.** [L.] Sanctuary, holy of holies, most holy place.
**Sand,** *n.* Gravel, small pebbles, comminuted silica.
**Sand,** *v. a.* Cover *or* sprinkle with sand.
**Sand-blast,** *n.* Sand-jet.
**Sanders,** *n.* [Written also *Saunders*.] Red sandal-wood.
**Sand-flea,** *n.* Beach-flea, sandhopper, amphiped, sea-flea.
**Sand-fly,** *n.* Midge (*Simulium nocivum*).
**Sandhopper,** *n.* Sand-flea, beach-flea, amphipod, sea-flea.
**Sandiver,** *n.* Glass-gall.
**Sand-jet,** *n.* Sand-blast.
**Sandy,** *a.* 1. Sabulous, gritty.
2. Unstable, shifting, arenaceous.
3. Yellowish-red, sand-colored.
**Sane,** *a.* Sound (*especially in mind*), sober, lucid.
**Saneness,** *n.* Sanity.
**Sang-froid,** *n.* [Fr.] Coolness, unconcern, indifference, calmness.
**Sangreal,** *n.* Grail, holy dish.
**Sanguinary,** *a.* 1. Bloody, murderous.

2. Cruel, blood-thirsty, savage, inhuman, barbarous, ruthless, pitiless, fell, truculent.
**Sanguinary,** *n.* Blood-root, bloodwort, red-root (*Sanguinaria Canadensis*).
**Sanguine,** *a.* 1. Red, crimson.
2. Warm, ardent, lively, animated, cheerful.
3. Confident, hopeful, enthusiastic, buoyant.
4. Plethoric, full-blooded.
**Sanguine,** *n.* 1. Blood color.
2. Bloodstone.
**Sanguine,** *v. a.* 1. Ensanguine, stain with blood.
2. Stain red, varnish blood color.
**Sanguisuge,** *n.* Bloodsucker, leech.
**Sanitary,** *a.* Hygienic.
**Sanitation,** *n.* Hygiene.
**Sanitory,** *a.* Therapeutic, remedial, curative, healing, curing. See SANATORY.
**Sanity,** *n.* Saneness, soundness, rationality.
**Sanpan,** *n.* [Written also *Sampan* and *Scampan.*] Chinese boat.
**Sans-culotte,** *n.* [Fr.] 1. Ragamuffin, tatterdemalion, ragged fellow.
2. Jacobin, radical, republican.
**Sans souci.** [Fr.] Without care, with unconcern, free and easy.
**Sap,** *n.* Juice (*of a plant*).
**Sap,** *v. a.* Mine, undermine.
**Sapid,** *a.* Savory, relishing, tasteful, palatable.
**Sapidity,** *n.* See SAPIDNESS.
**Sapidness,** *n.* Savoriness, savor, taste, sapidity, tastefulness.
**Sapience,** *n.* Wisdom, sageness, knowledge, sagacity, shrewdness, intelligence, sense.
**Sapient,** *a.* Wise, sage, sagacious, sensible, discerning, shrewd, acute, intelligent, knowing.
**Sapless,** *a.* 1. Without sap, destitute of sap.
2. Decayed, dry, old, withered.
**Saponaceous,** *a.* Soapy.
**Sapor,** *n.* Taste, flavor, savor, relish, smack.
**Sapphire,** *n.* Telesia.
**Sapphire,** *a.* Blue, sapphirine.
**Sappiness,** *n.* Juiciness, succulence.
**Sappy,** *a.* 1. Juicy, succulent.
2. Young, weak, soft.
3. Weak, silly, foolish.
**Sap-rot,** *n.* Dry-rot.
**Saracen,** *n.* 1. Arabian, Arab.
2. Mussulman, Mahometan.
**Sarcasm,** *n.* Taunt, gibe, jeer, fling, satire, irony, ridicule, cutting jest, sneer, flout.
**Sarcastic,** *a.* Severe, cutting, taunting, satirical, sharp, biting, mordacious, sardonic.
**Sarcophagus,** *n.* Stone coffin.
**Sard,** *n* Carnelian, sardel, sardine, sardius, sardoin, red chalcedony.
**Sardel, Sardine, Sardius, Sardoin,** *n.* See SARD.
**Sardonic,** *a.* Sarcastic, derisive, malignant, bitterly ironical.
**Sarlac, Sarlyk,** *n.* Yak, svoragoy, bubul, grunting ox of Tartary.
**Sarment,** *n.* Runner, long twig; prostrate, filiform stem.
**Sash,** *n.* Girdle, band, belt, scarf.
**Satan,** *n.* Belial, Apollyon, Devil, the Evil One, the Arch-enemy, the Arch-fiend, the Tempter, the Author of Evil, the Wicked One, the Old Serpent, the Prince of Darkness, the Foul Fiend.
**Satanic,** *a.* Diabolical, infernal, hellish, devilish, malicious, malignant, evil, false, fiendish.
**Satchel,** *n.* Bag, little sack.
**Sate,** *v. a.* See SATIATE.
**Satellite,** *n.* 1. Moon, secondary planet.
2. Attendant, follower, dependant, retainer, vassal, hanger-on.
**Satiate,** *v. a.* 1. Sate, satisfy, suffice, fill.
2. Cloy, gorge, overfill, glut, overfeed, surfeit, pall, sate.
**Satiety,** *n.* Repletion, satiation, surfeit, fulness, glut, cloyment.
**Satire,** *n.* Ridicule, sarcasm, invective, irony, philippic, diatribe, fling, squib, lampoon, pasquinade, burlesque, wit, humor, cutting remark.
**Satirical,** *a.* Sarcastic, severe, taunting, censorious, cutting, biting, sharp, keen, poignant, invective, mordacious, bitter, reproachful, abusive, ironical.
**Satirize,** *v. a.* Censure, ridicule, abuse, lampoon, lash.
**Satisfaction,** *n.* 1. Gratification.
2. Contentment, content, enjoyment, ease, comfort, pleasure, complacency.
3. Compensation, amends, requital, remuneration, indemnification, reparation, atonement, recompense, reward.
4. Discharge, payment.
**Satisfactory,** *a.* 1. Gratifying, pleasing.
2. Sufficient, conclusive, convincing, decisive.
3. Compensating, atoning, that makes amends.
**Satisfy,** *v. a.* 1. Please, gratify, content, satiate, sate, fill, suffice.
2. Recompense, requite, indemnify, pay, liquidate, compensate, remunerate.
3. Pay, discharge, settle.
4. Convince, persuade, assure.
5. Fulfil, answer.
**Satisfy,** *v. n.* 1. Give satisfaction.
2. Atone, make payment.
3. Feed full, supply to the full.
**Satrap,** *n.* [Persian.] 1. Governor, viceroy, ruler.
2. Prince, petty despot.
**Satrapy,** *n.* Principality, princedom.
**Saturate,** *v. a.* Drench, fill full, imbue thoroughly, soak.
**Saturation,** *n.* Repletion, fulness.
**Saturnalia,** *n. pl.* [L.] Revels, orgies, feasts.
**Saturnalian,** *a.* Riotous, licentious, sportive, loose, dissolute.
**Saturnian,** *a.* 1. Of Saturn.
2. Palmy, joyous, halcyon, golden, happy, innocent, simple, pure.
**Saturnine,** *a.* 1. Dull, heavy, grave, sad, gloomy, sedate, morose, phlegmatic, sombre.
2. Leaden, dull.
**Sauce,** *n.* Seasoning, relish, condiment, appetizing compound.
**Saucebox,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Saucy fellow, impudent fellow.
**Saucily,** *ad.* Pertly, petulantly, boldly, impudently.
**Sauciness,** *n.* Impertinence, insolence, impudence, pertness, malapertness, rudeness, petulance.
**Saucy,** *a.* Impertinent, impudent, pert, insolent, cavalier, rude, forward, bold, flippant, malapert, disrespectful, petulant.
**Saul-tree,** *n.* Sal-tree (*Shorea robusta*).
**Saunders-blue,** *n.* [Written also *Sanders-blue.*] Ultramarine.
**Saunter,** *v. n.* 1. Loiter, linger, lounge, stroll, move slowly.
2. Dawdle, dilly-dally, loiter, lag, delay, linger.
**Saunterer,** *n.* 1. Loiterer, lounger, stroller.
2. Lagger, laggard, dawdler.
**Sauria,** *n. pl.* Lizards.
**Saurian,** *n.* Lizard.
**Saury-pike,** *n.* Skipper (*Scomberesox saurus*).
**Sauvegarde,** *n.* Monitor, lizard, great American safeguard (*Lacerta monitor*).
**Savage,** *a.* 1. Uncultivated (*as a forest*), wild, rough, sylvan.

2. Uncivilized (*like an inhabitant of the woods*), untaught, rude, unpolished.
3. Wild, untamed, fierce, ferocious, rapacious, ravenous, ferine, blood-thirsty.
4. Inhuman, beastly, brutal, brutish, brute.
5. Cruel, barbarous, fierce, ferocious, inhuman, brutal, fell, remorseless, pitiless, unmerciful, ruthless, merciless, heathenish, relentless, hard-hearted, sanguinary, bloody, murderous, truculent, vandalic.
6. Enraged (*colloq.*).

**Savage,** *n.* Barbarian.
**Savagely,** *ad.* Cruelly, inhumanly, barbarously, fiercely.
**Savageness,** *n.* 1. Barbarism.
2. Cruelty, barbarousness, ferocity, barbarity.
**Savagery,** *n.* 1. Savagism, barbarism.
2. Cruelty, barbarity.
**Savagism,** *n.* Barbarism, savagery.
**Savanna,** *n.* Meadow, plain, plateau, prairie, open country, champaign country
**Savant,** *n.* Scholar, learned man, erudite person, one of the literati, man of science.
**Save,** *v. a.* 1. Rescue, keep, preserve.
2. Preserve, rescue, redeem,
3. Deliver, rescue, keep clear.
4. Reserve, keep, hold, husband, lay up, lay by, gather, hoard, economize.
5. Spare, prevent, hinder, obviate, insure against.
6. Catch, be in time for.

**Save,** *prep.* Except, leaving out, not including, deducting, excepting.
**Saver,** *n.* 1. Rescuer, deliverer, saviour, preserver.
2. Economist.
**Savin,** } *n.* Juniper Sabine (*Juniperus Sabina*).
**Savine,** }
**Saving,** *a.* 1. Preserving, sparing, redemptory.
2. Economical, frugal, sparing, thrifty, careful.
3. Reserving.

**Saving,** *prep.* 1. With exception, excepting, in favor of.
2. Without disrespect to.
**Saving,** *n.* Exception, reservation.
**Savingness,** *n.* Frugality, parsimony, economy.
**Savior,** } *n.* 1. Rescuer, saver, deliverer, pre-
**Saviour,** } server, protector, defender, guardian.
2. [With *The* or *Our* prefixed.] Christ, Jesus, Immanuel, the Messiah, the Redeemer, the Mediator, the Intercessor, the Advocate, the Judge, the Anointed, the Word, the Son of God, the Son of Man, the Lamb of God, Shiloh.

**Savor,** *n.* 1. Taste, flavor, relish, gust, smack, *goût*.
2. Odor, scent, smell, fragrance.
3. Characteristic property, distinctive temper.
4. Character, reputation.

**Savor,** *v. n.* 1. Taste, smack.
2. Partake, have a touch of, betoken, smack.
**Savor,** *v. a.* Like, relish, enjoy, appreciate, affect.
**Savorless,** *a.* Tasteless, insipid, vapid, stale, flat, without savor *or* relish.
**Savory,** *a.* Relishing, piquant, luscious, palatable, delicious, flavorous, nice, well-tasted.
**Saw,** *n.* Saying, maxim, adage, proverb, aphorism, apothegm, dictum, by-word, sententious precept, axiom.
**Saw-gin,** *n.* Cotton-gin.
**Saw-set,** *n.* Saw-wrest.
**Saw-toothed,** *a.* Serrated.
**Saw-wrest,** *n.* Saw-set.
**Sax-horn,** *n.* Sax-cornet.
**Say,** *v. a.* 1. Speak, utter, tell, declare, pronounce, express.
2. Argue, allege, affirm.
3. Repeat, rehearse, recite.
4. Pronounce, recite.
5. Answer, tell, reply.
6. Suppose, presume, assume, take for granted.
7. Decide, judge.

**Say,** *v. n.* Declare, speak, assert, tell.
**Say,** *n.* 1. Affirmation, declaration, statement, speech.
2. Maxim, saying, saw.
**Saying,** *n.* 1. Expression, observation, remark, declaration, statement, speech.
2. Proverb, saw, maxim, aphorism, adage, apothegm, dictum, by-word, sententious precept.
**Scabbard,** *n.* Sheath (*of a sword* or *a dagger*), case.
**Scabbed,** *a.* Mean, paltry, vile, shabby, sorry, worthless.
**Scabies,** *n.* [L.] (*Med.*) The itch, mange, scab, *psora*.
**Scabious,** *a.* Rough, itchy, scabby, scabbed, leprous.
**Scabrous,** *a.* 1. Rough, rugged, scraggy, cragged, uneven.
2. Harsh, unmusical, rough.
**Scaffold,** *n.* Stage, frame, scaffolding, staging.
**Scaffolding,** *n.* See SCAFFOLD.
**Scald,** *v. a.* Burn (*with a hot liquid*).
**Scald,** *a.* Scurvy, paltry, poor.
**Scald,** *n.* Skald, ancient Scandinavian poet.
**Scaldhead,** *n.* Ringworm of the scalp, *porrigo*.
**Scale,** *n.* 1. Dish (*of a balance*).
2. Balance.
3. Gradation, progressive series.
4. Lamina, layer, flake, plate, lamella.
**Scale,** *v. a.* Climb, ascend, escalade, mount, clamber up.
**Scaled,** *a.* Squamose, squamous, scaly.
**Scale off.** Exfoliate, shell off, peel off, fall off in scales.
**Scale-stone,** *n.* Tabular spar, schaalstein.
**Scall,** *n.* Scab, scurf, scabbiness, leprosy.
**Scallion,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Shallot (*Allium ascalonicum*).
**Scallop,** *v. a.* Indent, notch.
**Scaly,** *a.* 1. Flaky, lamelliform, squamous.
2. Mean, scurvy, stingy, contemptible, paltry, scald.
**Scaly ant-eater.** Pangolin.
**Scamp,** *n.* Rogue, rascal, cheat, knave, swindler, sharper, trickster, scoundrel, villain, scapegrace, worthless fellow.
**Scamper,** *v. n.* Scud, run, trip, hie, haste, hasten, speed.
**Scan,** *v. a.* 1. Recite metrically, divide into feet.
2. Scrutinize, examine, investigate, sift, inquire into, look into.
**Scandal,** *n.* 1. Defamation, aspersion, calumny, backbiting, slander, detraction, traducement, reproach, obloquy.
2. Disgrace, dishonor, shame, infamy, offence, reproach, discredit, disrepute, ignominy, odium, opprobrium, ingloriousness.
**Scandal,** *v. a.* Defame, traduce, libel, asperse.
**Scandalize,** *v. a.* 1. Offend, give offence to, shock.
2. Vilify, asperse, defame, backbite, traduce, decry, calumniate, slander, reproach, libel, revile, satirize, lampoon, inveigh against.
3. Disgrace, bring disgrace on.
**Scandalous,** *a.* 1. Opprobrious, defamatory, libellous, slanderous.
2. Disgraceful, shameful, infamous, disreputable, ignominious, atrocious, odious, inglorious, opprobrious.
3. Shameful.
**Scandalously,** *ad.* Disgracefully, shamefully.
**Scandent,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Climbing.

**Scant,** *v. a.* I. Limit, straiten, stint.
2. Grudge, keep back, be niggard of, cut short.
**Scant,** *a.* I. Scanty, scarcely sufficient.
2. Scarce, short, insufficient.
**Scantiness,** *n.* Insufficiency, meagreness, narrowness, deficiency, short supply, short measure.
**Scantly,** *ad.* I. Penuriously, narrowly, illiberally, sparingly.
2. Scarcely, hardly.
**Scantness,** *n.* Narrowness, smallness, scantiness.
**Scanty,** *a.* I. Insufficient, narrow, meagre, scant, small.
2. Hardly sufficient.
3. Sparing, niggardly, parsimonious, penurious.
**Scapegrace,** *n.* Careless fellow, idle fellow.
**Scaphoid,** *a.* (*Anat.*) Boat-shaped, cymbiform, navicular.
**Scapula,** *n.* Shoulder-blade, omoplate, shoulder-bone.
**Scar,** *n.* I. Cicatrix, cicatrice, seam.
2. Hurt, wound.
3. Blemish, mark, injury, disfigurement, flaw, defect.
4. Cliff, precipitous bank, detached rock.
**Scar,** *v. a.* Wound, hurt, mark.
**Scarab,** *n.* Beetle, scarabee.
**Scaramouch,** *n.* I. Buffoon, harlequin, clown, zany.
2. Poltroon, braggadocio, braggart.
**Scarce,** *a.* I. Deficient, wanting, not plentiful, not abundant.
2. Rare, uncommon, infrequent.
**Scarce, Scarcely,** *ad.* Hardly, barely, but just, with difficulty, scantly.
**Scarcity,** *n.* I. Deficiency, dearth, want, insufficiency, lack.
2. Rareness, rarity, uncommonness, infrequency.
**Scarcity-root,** *n.* Field-beet, mangel-wurzel, (*Beta altissima*).
**Scare,** *n.* Fright, panic, sudden terror.
**Scare,** *v. a.* Frighten, affright, fright, intimidate, daunt, appall, terrify, make afraid, put in fear.
**Scarfskin,** *n.* Cuticle, epidermis.
**Scarify,** *v. a.* I. Deface, scratch, scar, disfigure, cover with scars.
2. (*Surg.*) Cut, incise, puncture.
**Scarlatina,** *n.* Scarlet-fever.
**Scarlet-fever,** *n.* Scarlatina.
**Scath, Scathe,** *v. a.* Injure, harm, blast, destroy, damage, waste.
**Scathe,** *n.* Damage, injury, waste, harm, mischief.
**Scathless,** *a.* Uninjured, unhurt, intact, undamaged, whole, sound, unharmed, untouched, unscathed.
**Scatter,** *v. a.* I. Strew, sprinkle, throw about loosely.
2. Sprinkle on, besprinkle.
3. Dissipate, disperse, separate, spread.
4. Disunite, distract, confound, harass.
5. Dispel, frustrate, disappoint, overthrow.
**Scatter,** *v. n.* Disperse, straggle, go at random.
**Scatter-brain,** *n.* Giddy, thoughtless person.
**Scatter-brained,** *a.* Giddy, thoughtless, inattentive, heedless.
**Scattered,** *a.* I. Strewn, sprinkled.
2. Diffused, dispersed, spread about, dissipated, separated.
3. Sporadic, occurring here and there.
**Scatteringly,** *ad.* Thinly, loosely, sparsely, dispersively.
**Scene,** *n.* Spectacle, exhibition, show, pageant, sight, view, display, representation.
**Scenery,** *n.* Landscape, prospect, view.
**Scenic,** *a.* Theatrical, dramatic.
**Scent,** *n.* I. Odor, smell, perfume, fragrance, redolence, balminess.
2. Smell, sense of smell.
3. Track, course of pursuit.
**Scent,** *v. a.* I. Smell, get scent of.
2. Perfume, fill with odor, give odor to, imbue with odor.
**Scentless,** *a.* Inodorous, odorless.
**Sceptic,** *n.* [Written also *Skeptic.*] I. Doubter, questioner, Pyrrhonist.
2. Deist, infidel, unbeliever, freethinker.
**Sceptic,** *a.* See SCEPTICAL.
**Sceptical,** *a.* [Written also *Skeptical.*] Doubting, unbelieving, questioning, hesitating, incredulous.
**Scepticism,** *n.* [Written also *Skepticism.*] I. Pyrrhonism, questioning temper, suspense of belief, agnosticism, positivism, doubt, incredulity.
2. Unbelief, infidelity, deism, freethinking.
**Sceptre,** *n.* I. Royal mace, royal baton.
2. Royal power, sovereign authority.
**Sceptred,** *a.* Regal, royal, imperial.
**Schedule,** *n.* I. Scroll, document.
2. Inventory, list, record, roll, table, catalogue, register.
**Schema,** *n.* Form, arrangement, plan, design, system.
**Schematist,** *n.* Projector, schemer, planner, designer, systematizer.
**Scheme,** *n.* I. Plan, system, theory.
2. Device, design, plan, project, contrivance, plot, stratagem, conspiracy, intrigue, cabal, machination.
3. Draught, outline, diagram, arrangement.
**Scheme,** *v. a.* Plan, contrive, project, plot, devise, design, imagine, frame, excogitate.
**Scheme,** *v. n.* Intrigue, plot, plan, contrive.
**Schemer,** *n.* Planner, projector, contriver, plotter.
**Scheming,** *a.* I. Planning, contriving.
2. Artful, intriguing.
**Schemist,** *n.* Schemer, projector.
**Schenk-beer,** *n.* German draught beer.
**Schiedam,** *n.* Holland gin, *schnapps.*
**Schism,** *n.* I. Division (*in a church*), separation.
2. Disunion, discord, separation, division.
**Schismatic,** *n.* Sectary, heretic, non-conformist, dissenter, separatist.
**Schismatical,** *a.* Discordant, dissentient, heterodox.
**Schistose, Schistous,** *a.* Lamellate, lamellated, laminar, laminated, foliated, foliaceous, scaly, flaky.
**Scholar,** *n.* I. Disciple, pupil, student, learner.
2. *Savant*, man of letters, philomath, learned man, erudite person.
3. Pedant.
**Scholar-like,** *a.* Scholarly.
**Scholarly,** *a.* Scholar-like.
**Scholarship,** *n.* I. Learning, erudition, knowledge, attainments, acquirements, accomplishments, acquired knowedge.
2. Education, teaching.
3. Maintenance for a student, foundation for support.
**Scholastic,** *a.* I. Academic, literary, lettered, bookish.
2. Pedantic, formal.
**Scholastic,** *n.* Schoolman.
**Scholiast,** *n.* Commentator, annotator, glossarist.
**Scholium,** *a.* Annotation, comment, remark, observation, note, elucidation, gloss.
**School,** *n.* I. Seminary, academy, institute, gymnasium, place of education.
2. Sect, denomination.

**School,** *v. a.* I. Instruct, teach, educate, train, drill, exercise, indoctrinate.
2. Tutor, discipline, control, govern, chide, admonish, reprove, bring under subjection.
**School-book,** *n.* Text-book.
**School-fellow,** *n.* School-mate.
**Schooling,** *n.* I. Tuition, instruction, education, teaching, training, nurture, discipline.
2. Reproof, reprimand, lecture.
**Schoolman,** *n.* Scholastic.
**School-master,** *n.* Instructor, preceptor, teacher, tutor, master.
**School-mate,** *n.* School-fellow.
**School-ship,** *n.* Training-ship.
**Sciatica,** *n.* Ischiagra, hip-gout.
**Sciatic,** / **Sciatical,** } *a.* Of the hip, ischiadic, ischiatic.
**Science,** *n.* I. Knowledge, information, learning.
2. System of knowledge, body of knowledge, philosophical knowledge, knowledge of principles *or* general laws.
3. Branch of knowledge.
**Scientific,** *a.* Philosophical, according to principles *or* general laws.
**Scientist,** *n.* *Savant*, scientific man.
**Scilicet,** *ad.* [L.] Namely, to wit, that is, that is to say, to particularize, *videlicet*.
**Scimetar,** / **Scimeter,** } *n.* Cimeter, oriental sword.
**Scintilla,** *n.* [L.] Spark, glimmer, jot, shadow, trace, iota, whit, tittle, bit, ace, grain, atom, particle, scrap, mite.
**Scintillant,** *a.* Sparkling, twinkling.
**Scintillate,** *v. n.* I. Sparkle, twinkle, coruscate.
2. Emit sparks.
**Scintillation,** *n.* I. Sparkling, flashing, coruscation, intellectual splendor.
2. Twinkling, sparkling.
**Sciolism,** *n.* Smattering, shallowness, superficialness, imperfect knowledge, superficial knowledge, slight knowledge.
**Sciolist,** *n.* Smatterer, ignoramus, novice, greenhorn, pretender to science.
**Sciolistic,** *a.* Superficial.
**Scion,** *n.* I. Sprout, shoot, twig, branch, cion, graft, slip.
2. Descendant, heir.
**Sciote,** / **Sciot,** } *a.* Scian.
**Scission,** *n.* Division, split.
**Scissure,** *n.* Cleft, rent, fissure.
**Sclavonic,** *a.* Slavic, Slavonian, Slavonic.
**Sclerotic,** *n.* (*Anat.*) White of the eye.
**Scoff,** *v. a.* Mock, deride, jeer, scoff at.
**Scoff,** *v. n.* Mock, jeer, gibe, sneer, flout, deride, ridicule.
**Scoff,** *n.* I. Sneer, gibe, jeer, taunt, flout, biting jest, mock.
2. Derision, ridicule, mock, reproach.
**Scoffer,** *n.* Scorner, mocker, ridiculer, railer, derider, despiser, jeerer.
**Scold,** *v. a.* Berate, rate, censure, reprimand, blame, chide, find fault with, brawl, rebuke rudely.
**Scold,** *v. n.* Rate, reprimand, vituperate, brawl, rail, chide with rudeness.
**Scold,** *n.* I. Vixen, shrew, termagant, virago.
2. Scolding, brawl.
**Scold at.** Rebuke, chide, reprimand, reprove, censure, condemn, denounce, blame, declaim against, inveigh against, exclaim against, rail at.
**Scolding,** *a.* Chiding, berating, abusive, vituperative, railing, clamorous.
**Scolding,** *n.* Railing, vituperation, abuse, rating.
**Sconce,** *n.* I. Cover, shelter, protection.
2. Candle-holder, candelabrum.
3. Bulwark, fort, defence, block-house, fortification.
4. Helmet, head-piece.
5. Skull, head.
6. Brains, sense, judgment, discretion.
7. Mulct, fine, poll-tax.
8. Top, head.
9. Seat, shelf.
**Scoop,** *v. a.* I. Empty with a scoop.
2. Lade out.
3. Excavate, hollow out, dig out.
4. Remove, leave hollow.
**Scooper,** *n.* Avocet.
**Scope,** *n.* I. Purpose, drift, tendency, aim, mark, intention, intent, design, object, view, end.
2. Room, space, vent, opportunity, margin, range, liberty, latitude, amplitude, free course, free play, full play.
3. Length, extent, sweep.
**Scorch,** *v. a.* I. Burn superficially, singe, char, roast, parch, shrivel.
2. Burn, blister.
**Score,** *n.* I. Mark, incision, notch.
2. Account, charge, bill, debt, reckoning.
3. Reason, motive, ground, consideration, sake, account.
4. Twenty.
**Score,** *v. a.* I. Mark, notch, furrow, cut, scratch.
2. Record, note, charge, set down.
3. Note, impute, charge.
4. Enter, register.
**Scoria,** *n.* Dross, slag, recrement.
**Scoriæ,** *n. pl.* Volcanic cinders, slaggy lavas.
**Scorn,** *v. a.* Contemn, despise, disdain, scout, spurn, disregard, slight, hold in contempt.
**Scorn,** *v. n.* Disdain.
**Scorn,** *n.* I. Contempt, disdain, derision, mockery, slight, sneer.
2. Mockery, derision, scoff.
**Scorner,** *n.* Scoffer, derider, despiser, contemner, ridiculer, jeerer, mocker.
**Scornful,** *a.* I. Contemptuous, disdainful, insolent.
2. Defiant, regardless, disdainful, contemptuous.
**Scot,** *n.* I. Tax, contribution, custom.
2. Payment, fine, mulct, contribution, reckoning, shot.
3. Scotchman, native of Scotland.
**Scotch,** *v. a.* I. Cut (*slightly*), wound (*superficially*), score, notch, scot, jag.
2. Stop (*as a wheel, to prevent it from rolling back*), block, prop, support.
**Scotch,** *a.* Scottish.
**Scotch,** *n.* Incision, cut, slit.
**Scotch-hopper,** *n.* Hop-scotch.
**Scotchman,** *n.* Scot, Scotsman, native of Scotland.
**Scot-free,** *a.* I. Untaxed, without payment, without expense, shot-free.
2. Unhurt, uninjured, clear, safe, shot-free.
**Scotticism,** *n.* Scottish idiom.
**Scottish,** *a.* Scotch.
**Scoundrel,** *n.* Knave, rogue, villain, rascal, scamp, cheat, trickster, swindler, sharper, caitiff, vile wretch, miscreant, reprobate.
**Scoundrel,** *a.* Base, mean, unprincipled, disgraceful, low.
**Scoundrelism,** *n.* Knavery, roguery, villany, rascality, turpitude, baseness.
**Scoundrelly,** *a.* Base, mean, villanous, disgraceful, knavish.
**Scour,** *v. a.* I. Clean (*by friction*), brighten, rub hard, scrub, cleanse.
2. Clean, cleanse, whiten.
3. Range over, brush along, pass swiftly over.
4. Purge (*violently*).

5. Rake, search closely.
6. Obliterate, efface, cleanse away, remove.
7. Overrun, sweep clear, drive away.

**Scour,** *v. n.* I. Clean (*by rubbing*).
2. Clean, cleanse.
3. Be purged.
4. Course, career, scamper, range, run swiftly.

**Scourge,** *s.* I. Whip, lash, thong, strap, cowhide, cord.
2. Punishment, affliction, curse, pest, bane, plague, annoyance, infliction, nuisance.

**Scourge,** *v. a.* I. Lash, whip.
2. Punish, chastise, chasten, correct, afflict.
3. Harass, torment, afflict.

**Scourger,** *n.* Flagellant

**Scout,** *n.* Spy.

**Scout,** *v. n.* Act the spy.

**Scout,** *v. a.* Ridicule, deride, disdain, despise, contemn, scorn, spurn, scoff at, laugh at, sneer at, hold in contempt, hoot at.

**Scowl,** *v. n.* Frown, look angry, sour, *or* sullen, lower, glower.

**Scowl,** *n.* I. Frown.
2. Gloom, threatening aspect.

**Scrabble,** *v. a.* Scribble, scrawl, scratch.

**Scrabble,** *v. n.* Scribble, scrawl.

**Scrabble,** *n.* Scramble, struggle.

**Scragged,** *a.* Rough, scraggy.

**Scraggedness,** *n.* Leanness, roughness.

**Scragginess,** *n.* Leanness, ruggedness, roughness.

**Scraggy,** *a.* I. Rough, rugged, uneven, broken, craggy, scabrous, scragged.
2. Lean, thin, bony, lank, meagre, gaunt, angular, skinny, emaciated, attenuated, scranny, scrawny.

**Scramble,** *v. n.* I. Struggle (*as in climbing*), scrabble.
2. Struggle, strive.
3. Climb (*with difficulty*), clamber.

**Scramble,** *n.* Struggle, contest, scrabble.

**Scranny,** *a.* (*Local.*) Thin, lank, meagre, scraggy, scrawny.

**Scrap,** *n.* I. Fragment, bit, little piece, small part, scantling.
2. Crumb, morsel, bite, mouthful, bit, fragment.

**Scrap-book,** *n.* Album.

**Scrape,** *v. a.* I. Rub *or* abrade (*with something edged*), grate harshly over, rasp.
2. Gather, collect, acquire, save.
3. Remove, erase.
4. Clean (*by rubbing*).

**Scrape,** *n.* Difficulty, perplexity, distress, embarrassment, predicament.

**Scrape acquaintance.** Make acquaintance, make one's self acquainted.

**Scratch,** *v. a.* I. Mark with a scratch *or* with scratches.
2. Wound slightly (*as with the nails*).
3. Scribble, write carelessly.
4. Dig (*with the claws*), excavate.
5. Obliterate, expunge, erase, rub out.

**Scratch,** *n.* I. Incision (*slight and ragged*), laceration, slight wound.
2. Slight furrow, score.
3. Scratch-wig, small wig, periwig, peruke.

**Scratch-cradle,** *n.* Cat's cradle, cratch-cradle.

**Scratch-wig,** *n.* Scratch, periwig, peruke, small wig.

**Scrawl,** *v. a.* Scribble, scrabble, scratch, write carelessly.

**Scrawl,** *v. n.* Scribble, scrabble.

**Scrawl,** *n.* Scribble, scratch, inelegant writing.

**Scrawler,** *n.* Scribbler.

**Scrawny,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Thin, lank, meagre, scraggy, scranny, wasted, raw-boned.

**Scray,** *n.* Sea-swallow, common tern (*Sterna hirundo*).

**Scream,** *v. n.* Shriek, screech, cry out (*in a shrill voice*).

**Scream,** *n.* Shriek, screech, yell, outcry, shrill cry.

**Screech,** *v. n.* Shriek, scream, scritch.

**Screech,** *n.* See SCREAM, *n.*

**Screed,** *n.* [*Scotch.*] I. Rent, tear.
2. Fragment, shred.
3. Harangue, tirade.

**Screen,** *n.* I. Protection, guard, defence, shield.
2. Veil, disguise, cloak, cover.
3. Sieve, riddle.

**Screen,** *v. a.* I. Hide, shelter, cover, conceal, shroud, mask, cloak, protect, fence, defend.
2. Riddle, sift.

**Screw,** *n.* Miser, niggard, curmudgeon, skinflint, extortioner, churl, codger, scrimp, hunks, lickpenny, muckworm, sordid wretch, mean fellow.

**Screw,** *v. a.* I. Wrench, squeeze, press, twist, force.
2. Rack, raise extortionately, oppress.
3. Distort.

**Screw-jack,** *n.* Jack.

**Screw-shaped,** *a.* Cochleary, cochleated, spiral, helical, winding.

**Screw-steamer,** *n.* Propeller.

**Scribble,** *v. n.* Scrawl, scrabble, scratch.

**Scribbler,** *n.* I. Scrawler.
2. Petty author.

**Scribe,** *n.* I. Writer, penman, chirographer, chirographist.
2. Clerk, secretary, notary, amanuensis, copyist, scrivener.

**Scrimmage,** *n.* Skirmish, scuffle, brawl, riot.

**Scrimp,** *a.* Scanty, narrow, contracted, deficient.

**Scrimp,** *v. a.* Scant, contract, curtail, pinch, limit, straiten, reduce, shorten.

**Scrip,** *n.* I. Wallet, satchel, small bag.
2. Certificate, schedule.
3. Certificate of stock.

**Scriptural,** *a.* Biblical, Scripture, of the Scriptures, of the Bible.

**Scripture,** *n.* I. Writing, document, inscription, manuscript, book.
2. The Scriptures, the Bible, the Holy Scriptures.

**Scripture,** *a.* See SCRIPTURAL.

**Scriptures,** *n. pl.* [With *The* prefixed.] The Bible, the Holy Scriptures, Scripture, Holy Writ, the word of God.

**Scrivener,** *n.* Writer (*by profession*), scribe.

**Scrofula,** *n.* Struma, king's evil.

**Scroll,** *n.* I. Schedule, list, roll of paper *or* parchment.
2. Flourish, paraph.
3. Volute, spiral ornament.

**Scrub,** *v. a.* Scour, cleanse, clean, rub hard.

**Scrub,** *v. n.* Work hard.

**Scrub,** *n.* I. Mean fellow.
2. Brushwood, underwood, underbrush.

**Scrub,** *a.* Mean, niggardly, contemptible, scrubby, shabby.

**Scrubbed,** *a.* See SCRUBBY.

**Scrubby,** *a.* I. Vile, mean, pitiful, poor, shabby, sorry, miserable, despicable, worthless, small, insignificant.
2. Small, diminutive, puny, stunted, dwarfed, dwarfish, pygmy, pygmean.

**Scrunch,** *v. a.* I. Crush, crunch, scranch.
2. Grind down, oppress.

**Scruple,** *n.* I. Hesitation, hesitancy, perplexity, qualm, nicety, delicacy.
2. Twenty grains.

**Scruple,** *v. n.* Hesitate, doubt, waver.

**Scrupulosity,** *n.* Nicety, niceness, delicacy, con-

scientiousness, punctiliousness, scrupulousness, preciseness, caution, nice regard to propriety, tenderness of conscience.

**Scrupulous,** *a.* 1. Conscientious, punctilious, strict, nice.
2. Cautious, careful, exact, vigilant, circumspect.
3. Exact, precise, rigorous, punctilious.

**Scrupulousness,** *n.* See SCRUPULOSITY.

**Scrutinize,** *v. a.* Examine, investigate, search, canvass, study, sift, explore, overhaul, probe, dissect, look into, search into, pry into, inquire into.

**Scrutiny,** *n.* Search, examination, investigation, inquisition, exploration, sifting, inspection, searching *or* careful inquiry, close search, critical examination.

**Scud,** *v. n.* 1. Flee, run, speed, trip, hie, post, scamper, haste, hasten, fly.
2. (*Naut.*) Drive before a gale.

**Scuddle,** *v. n.* Scuttle, hurry, bustle, run about (*in affecting to be busy*).

**Scuff,** *v. n.* Shuffle.

**Scuffle,** *v. n.* Struggle (*in a disorderly manner*), contend, fight, strive (*as in a close embrace*).

**Scuffle,** *n.* Contest (*of a disorderly kind*), struggle, fight, rencounter, encounter, broil, fray, brawl, quarrel, squabble, wrangle, altercation, set-to.

**Sculk,** *v. n.* [Written also *Skulk.*] Lurk.

**Scull,** *n.* 1. Boat, cock-boat.
2. Short oar.
3. Skull, brain-pan.

**Scullery,** *n.* Back-kitchen.

**Scullion,** *n.* Mean fellow, worthless fellow

**Sculpture,** *n.* 1. Statuary, plastic art.
2. Carved work.

**Sculpture,** *v. a.* 1. Carve, chisel, cut, sculp.
2. Engrave, grave.

**Scum,** *n.* Froth, dross, refuse, recrement, *scoria.*

**Scurf,** *a.* 1. (*Med.*) Miliary scab.
2. Soil, stain, foul remains.

**Scurfy,** *a.* Scabby, scabbed, scurvy, scaly, lenticinous, furfuraceous.

**Scurrile,** *a.* Low, mean, scurrilous, grossly opprobious, lewdly jocose.

**Scurrilous,** *a.* 1. Abusive, scurrile, reproachful, opprobrious, vituperative, insulting, insolent, contumelious, ribald, blackguard, indecent, offensive, infamous, foul, foul-mouthed.
2. Low, mean, vile, foul, coarse, vulgar, gross, obscene.

**Scurry,** *v. n.* Hurry, hasten, move rapidly, scutter.

**Scurry,** *n.* Haste, hurry, impetuosity.

**Scurvily,** *ad.* Meanly, basely, coarsely, vilely.

**Scurviness,** *n.* Meanness, vileness, baseness.

**Scurvy,** *a.* 1. Scurfy, scabbed, scabby.
2. Vile, mean, low, vulgar, base, bad, sorry, contemptible, despicable, worthless, pitiful, abject.
3. Offensive, mischievous, malicious.

**Scutate,** *a.* Clypeiform, shield-shaped, buckler-shaped.

**Scutcheon,** *n.* Shield, escutcheon, ensign armorial, emblazoned shield.

**Scutter,** *v. n.* Scurry, run, hurry.

**Scuttle,** *v. n.* Hurry, bustle, scuddle, run (*affecting to be busy*).

**Scymitar,** *n.* [Written also *Cimeter, Cimitar, Cymetar, Scimetar, Scimitar,* and *Similar.*] Oriental sword.

**Sea,** *n.* 1. Ocean, main, the deep, the great deep.
2. Wave, billow, surge.
3. Ocean, flood, large quantity.

**Sea-ape,** *n.* Sea-fox, fox-shark.

**Sea-bar,** *n.* Sea-swallow.

**Sea-bear,** *n.* White bear, Polar bear.

**Sea-biscuit,** *n.* Ship-biscuit.

**Sea-board,** *n.* Beach, strand, shore, sea-coast, sea-shore, coast-line.

**Sea-cabbage,** *n.* Sea-kale, sea-colewort (*Crambe maritima*).

**Sea-calf,** *n.* Seal, *phoca.*

**Sea-card,** *n.* Compass, mariner's card.

**Sea-coal,** *n.* Mineral coal, pit coal.

**Sea-coast,** *n.* Sea-board, beach, strand, shore, coast.

**Sea-colewort,** *n.* See SEA-CABBAGE.

**Sea-cow,** *n.* 1. Walrus, morse, sea-horse (*Trichechus rosmarus*).
2. Manatee, lamantine.
3. Dugong, halicore.

**Sea-crawfish,** *n.* Spiny lobster.

**Sea-cucumber,** *n.* Trepang, sea-slug, sea-pudding, *bêche-de-mer.*

**Sea-dog,** *n.* 1. Dog-fish.
2. Sea-calf, seal.
3. Old sailor, salt (*colloq.*).

**Sea-egg,** *n.* Sea-urchin, sea-hedgehog.

**Sea-elephant,** *n.* Elephant-seal (*Macrorhinus proboscideus*).

**Seafarer,** *n.* Mariner, seaman, sailor, tar, seafaring man.

**Sea-fennel,** *n.* Samphire.

**Sea-fox,** *n.* Thresher, sea-ape, fox-shark (*Alopias vulpes*).

**Sea-hog,** *n.* Porpoise.

**Sea-horse,** *n.* (*Zoöl.*) 1. Walrus, morse, sea-cow (*Trichechus rosmarus*).
2. Hippocampus.

**Sea-kale,** *n.* See SEA-CABBAGE.

**Sea-king,** *n.* Viking.

**Seal,** *n.* 1. Stamp.
2. Wax, wafer, fastening.
3. Attestation, authentication, confirmation, ratification, assurance, pledge.
4. Sea-calf, tang-fish, *phoca.*

**Seal,** *v. a.* 1. Close, fasten, secure.
2. Confirm, ratify, establish, sanction, authenticate, attest.
3. Keep close, keep secret, shut close, make fast.
4. Enclose, confine, imprison.

**Sea-lion,** *n.* Seal.

**Sea-loach,** *n.* Rockling, whistle-fish, three-bearded cod, three-bearded gade (*Motella vulgaris*).

**Seal-ring,** *n.* Signet-ring.

**Seam,** *n.* 1. Suture, commissure, joint, line of juncture.
2. Fissure, crevice.
3. (*Mining.*) Thin layer, stratum, *or* bed; narrow vein.
4. Scar, cicatrice, cicatrix.

**Seam,** *v. a.* 1. Unite, join together.
2. Scar, mark with a cicatrix, line.

**Sea-maid,** *n.* 1. Mermaid, siren.
2. Sea-nymph, water-nymph.

**Seaman,** *n.* Sailor, mariner, seafarer, seafaring man, tar.

**Sea-mew,** *n.* Mew, gull, cob, sea-cob, sea-mall, sea-mell, sea-mule.

**Seamstress,** *n.* Sempstress, needle-woman.

**Séance,** *n.* [Fr.] Session, sitting.

**Sea-needle,** *n.* Gar-fish, snook, greenbone, gar-pike, snacot, sea-pike, long-nose, gore-bill, sword-fish, mackerel-guide (*Esox belone* or *Belone vulgaris*).

**Sea-pike,** *n.* See SEA-NEEDLE.

**Sear,** *v. a.* 1. Dry, wither.
2. Cauterize, burn with a hot iron, burn with cautery, scorch.
3. Make callous, make insensible.

4. Brand.
**Sear,** *a.* Dry, withered, sere.
**Search,** *v. a.* I. Examine, explore, scrutinize, investigate, overhaul, sift, inspect, look into, search into, pry into, peer into.
2. Inquire after, seek, look for.
3. Probe.
4. Examine, try, test.
**Search,** *v. n.* I. Seek, look, make search, hunt.
2. Inquire, make inquiry.
**Search,** *n.* Examination, inquiry, scrutiny, research, exploration, investigation, quest, pursuit, inspection, seeking.
**Searcher,** *n.* Seeker, explorer, examiner, inquirer, investigator, trier.
**Searching,** *a.* I. Penetrating, trying, close, keen.
2. Exploring, examining, inquiring, seeking, investigating, probing.
**Searchless,** *a.* Unsearchable, inscrutable.
**Seared,** *a.* I. Cauterized, burnt on the surface.
2. Hardened, callous, impenitent, unrepentant, obdurate, graceless, incorrigible, shameless, irreclaimable.
**Searedness,** *n.* Hardness, insensibility.
**Sea-robber,** *n.* Pirate, corsair, buccaneer, picaroon, sea-rover, sea-thief.
**Sea-rover,** *n.* See SEA-ROBBER.
**Sea-salt,** *n* Common salt (*obtained by evaporating sea-water*), chloride of sodium, muriate of soda.
**Sea-scape,** *n.* Sea-piece, sea-picture.
**Sea-shore,** *n.* Beach, strand, shore, sea-coast.
**Sea-sickness,** *n.* Nausea (*caused by the tossing of a vessel at sea*).
**Sea-slug,** *n.* Trepang, sea-cucumber, *bêche-de-mer.*
**Season,** *n.* I. Period of the year.
2. Time, conjuncture, fit time, convenient time, suitable time.
3. While, time, spell, term, interval, period.
**Season,** *v. a.* I. Habituate, accustom, acclimatize, mature, inure, harden, form, train, fit by habit.
2. Prepare, fit.
3. Make palatable, give relish to, spice.
4. Moderate, temper, qualify.
5. Gratify, tickle.
6. Taint, tinge, imbue.
**Season,** *v. n.* Be seasoned, become seasoned.
**Seasonable,** *a.* Timely, opportune, fit, convenient, suitable, appropriate.
**Seasonably,** *ad.* In due time, sufficiently early, in season, opportunely.
**Seasoning,** *n.* Condiment, relish, sauce, salt.
**Sea-swine,** *n.* Porpoise.
**Seat,** *n.* I. Place, station, site, situation.
2. Abode, dwelling, residence, mansion, house.
3. Bottom, fundament.
**Seat,** *v. a.* I. Place, station, locate, establish, fix, set, settle, situate.
2. Cause to sit.
3. Fix, set firm.
**Sea-tortoise,** *n.* Turtle, marine tortoise.
**Sea-trout,** *n.* Hirling, salmon-trout (*Salmo trutta*).
**Sea-unicorn,** *n.* Narwhal, unicorn-fish, unicorn-whale (*Monodon monoceros*).
**Sea-urchin,** *n.* Sea-egg, sea-hedgehog, echinus.
**Sea-water,** *n.* Salt-water, water of the sea.
**Sebaceous,** *a.* Fat, fatty, unctuous, greasy, oily, oleaginous, adipose.
**Secant,** *a.* Cutting, dividing.
**Secede,** *v. n.* Withdraw, retire, draw off.
**Seceder,** *n.* Sectary, separatist.
**Secession,** *n.* I. Withdrawal, separation.
2. Departure.
**Seclude,** *v. a.* I. Separate (*from society*), keep apart.
2. Shut out, exclude, repel.
**Secluded,** *a.* Retired, withdrawn, close, sequestered, isolated, private.
**Seclusion,** *n.* Separation, retirement, privacy, secrecy, obscurity, solitude, withdrawment.
**Second,** *a.* I. Next to the first (*in place* or *in time*).
2. Other.
3. Secondary, inferior.
**Second,** *n.* I. Maintainer, supporter, helper, assistant, backer.
2. Sixtieth part of a minute.
**Second,** *v. a.* I. Support, help, forward, assist, aid, promote, back, encourage, abet, further, advance, stand by, side with, take part with.
2. Approve, favor, support.
**Secondary,** *a.* Subordinate, inferior, minor.
**Secondary,** *n.* Deputy, delegate, proxy.
**Second-sight,** *n.* Prophetic vision.
**Secrecy,** *n.* I. Concealment, privacy, stealth.
2. Seclusion, retirement, privacy, solitude, separation.
**Secret,** *a.* I. Hidden, hid, concealed, covert, privy, close, covered, shrouded, veiled, unseen, unknown, unrevealed, mysterious, cryptic.
2. Clandestine, sly, underhand, underhanded, concealed, hidden, privy, stealthy.
3. Secluded, retired, private, unseen, hid, concealed, privy.
4. Occult, mysterious, latent, obscure, recondite, abstruse, unknown, hidden.
**Secret,** *n.* I. Something concealed.
2. Mystery.
**Secretary,** *n.* I. Scribe, clerk, writer.
2. Escritoire, writing-desk.
**Secrete,** *v. a.* I. Hide, conceal, shroud, bury, disguise.
2. Separate (*as from blood* or *sap*), secern.
**Secretive,** *a.* Reserved, reticent, close, uncommunicative, cautious, wary, taciturn.
**Secretly,** *ad.* Privately, privily, underhand.
**Sect,** *n.* Denomination, school.
**Sectarian,** *a.* Party, schismatical, exclusive, narrow, intolerant.
**Sectarian,** *n.* Sectary, partisan, schismatic.
**Sectary,** *n.* I. Dissenter, non-conformist.
2. Separatist, schismatic, seceder, sectarian.
**Section,** *n* I. Division, portion, part.
2. Segment, portion, part, piece.
**Sectional,** *a.* [*Modern.*] Partial, exclusive, narrow, selfish, party.
**Secular,** *a.* Temporal, worldly, profane, lay, laic, laical.
**Secularism,** *n.* See SECULARITY.
**Secularity,** *n.* Worldliness, secularism, secularness, worldly-mindedness.
**Secularness,** *n.* See SECULARITY.
**Secundines,** *n pl.* Afterbirth, placenta.
**Secundum artem.** [L.] Skilfully, cleverly, well.
**Secure,** *a.* I. Certain, sure, assured, confident.
2. Safe, free from danger, protected, insured.
3. Fixed, fast, stable, immovable.
4. Careless, unsuspecting, undisturbed, easy.
5. Over-confident, incautious, careless, inattentive, heedless, negligent.
6. Confident, relying, depending.
**Secure,** *v. a.* I. Guard, protect, make safe.
2. Insure, assure, ensure, guarantee, make sure, make certain, make sure of.
3. Fasten, make fast.
4. Get, acquire, gain, procure, obtain, get possession of.
**Security,** *n.* I. Safety.
2. Protection, safeguard, defence, shelter, guard, bulwark, palladium.

3. Pledge, pawn, deposit, surety, stake, guarantee, warranty, bond.
4. Carelessness, heedlessness, over-confidence, negligence.
5. Certainty, assuredness, confidence, ease, assurance.

**Sedate,** *a.* Calm, composed, collected, quiet, placid, serene, tranquil, still, unruffled, undisturbed, settled, imperturbable, sober, serious, staid, demure, cool, philosophical, contemplative, grave, thoughtful.

**Sedative,** *a.* Soothing, tranquillizing, allaying, composing, anodyne, calming, assuasive, assuaging, lenient, lenitive, demulcent, balmy.

**Sedative,** *n.* Opiate, anodyne, narcotic, anæsthetic, hypnotic.

**Sedent,** *a.* Sitting, inactive, quiet.

**Sedentary,** *a.* Inactive, motionless, sluggish, torpid.

**Sedge,** *n.* Reed, flag.

**Sediment,** *n.* Dregs, lees, settlings, grounds, precipitate.

**Sedition,** *n.* Insurrection, riot, rising, rebellion, revolt, tumult, mutiny, uproar.

**Seditious,** *a.* Rebellious, mutinous, refractory, insurgent, tumultuous, factious, riotous, incendiary, turbulent.

**Seduce,** *v. a.* Allure, decoy, entice, attract, tempt, inveigle, mislead, lead astray, ensnare, corrupt, deprave, deceive, train.

**Seducement,** *n.* See SEDUCTION.

**Seduction,** *n.* 1. Enticement, allurement, seducement, solicitation, attraction, temptation, witchery.
2. Lure, decoy, bait, temptation.

**Seductive,** *a.* Enticing, alluring, tempting, attractive.

**Sedulity,** *n.* See SEDULOUSNESS.

**Sedulous,** *a.* Diligent, assiduous, industrious, laborious, active, busy, notable, persevering, painstaking, unremitting, diligently employed, busily engaged.

**Sedulousness,** *n.* Assiduity, assiduousness, industry, diligence, sedulity.

**See,** *n.* 1. Diocese.
2. Papal court.

**See,** *v. a.* 1. Behold, descry, view.
2. Perceive, notice, observe, discern, distinguish, know, remark, comprehend, understand, conceive.
3. Visit, call on.
4. Regard, look to, care for, give attention to, attend to, beware.
5. Attend, escort, wait upon, accompany.
6. Experience, feel, suffer, know, meet with.

**See,** *v. n.* 1. Look.
2. Inquire, examine, notice, mark, observe, distinguish, consider.
3. Take heed, take care, be careful, beware, be attentive, pay attention.
4. Perceive, penetrate, discern, understand, look.

**See,** *interj.* Look, lo, behold, observe.

**See about.** Consider, take into consideration, pay attention to it.

**Seed,** *n.* 1. Semen, sperm.
2. (*Bot.*) Embryo (*with its envelope* or *pericarp*), matured ovule, kernel, grain.
3. Original, first principle, germ.
4. Progeny, offspring, descendants, children.
5. Race, generation, birth.

**Seeded,** *a.* 1. Matured, full-grown.
2. Sown, sprinkled with seed.

**Seediness,** *n.* Shabbiness (*colloq.*).

**Seed-lobe,** *n.* Cotyledon, seed-leaf.

**Seed-vessel,** *n.* Pericarp, pod, case, capsule, legume.

**Seedy,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) 1. Old, worn, faded shabby.
2. Poor, needy, destitute, indigent, distressed, penniless, pinched, out of money, short of money, out of pocket, out of cash, out at the elbows, in need, in want, in distress.

**Seeing,** *n.* 1. Sight, vision.
2. Perception.

**Seeing,** *conj.* Considering, since, because, inasmuch as, for the reason that, it being so.

**See into.** } Comprehend, understand, see with
**See through.** } half an eye, see easily.

**Seek,** *v. a.* 1. Search for, seek for, look for, look after, try to find.
2. Solicit, ask, inquire for, try to get, endeavor to gain.
3. Solicit, pursue, court, prosecute, follow.
4. Go to, resort to, have recourse to.
5. Aim at, attempt, pursue, strive after.
6. Search.

**Seek,** *v. n.* 1. Search, make search, look.
2. Try, strive, endeavor, attempt.

**Seek after.** Seek, search for, seek for, look for, look after, try to find, make pursuit of, attempt to find.

**Seeker,** *n.* Inquirer.

**Seek-sorrow,** *n.* Hypochondriac, self-tormentor.

**Seel,** *v. a.* Close, blind, hoodwink.

**Seem,** *v. n.* 1. Appear, look, appear to be, present the appearance, have the appearance, strike one as being.
2. Appear, be seen.
3. Assume, pretend.

**Seeming,** *n.* Show, appearance, semblance, look, color, guise.

**Seeming,** *a.* 1. Apparent, specious, ostensible.
2. Appearing.

**Seemingly,** *ad.* Apparently, ostensibly, in show, in semblance, in appearance.

**Seemliness,** *n* 1. Fitness, propriety, decency, decorum.
2. Comeliness, beauty, grace.

**Seemly,** *a.* 1. Fit, fitting, befitting, becoming, proper, suitable, convenient, appropriate, congruous, meet, decent, decorous, right.
2. Comely, fair, beautiful, handsome, pretty, well-favored, graceful.

**Seer,** *n.* Prophet, foreteller, predictor, soothsayer, vaticinator.

**Seethe,** *v. a.* 1. Boil.
2. Steep, soften, soak.

**Seethe,** *v. n.* Boil, be hot.

**Segment,** *n.* Portion, section, part.

**Segregate,** *a.* Separate, select.

**Segregate,** *v. a.* Separate, dissociate, part, insulate, isolate, set apart.

**Segregation,** *n.* Separation, disconnection, insulation, isolation, detachment, parting, dispersion.

**Seidlitz-powder,** *n.* Rochelle-powder.

**Seignior,** *n.* Lord.

**Seigniorage,** *n.* Royalty, share of profit.

**Seigniory,** *n.* Lordship, manor.

**Seine,** *n.* Large fishing-net.

**Seize,** *v. a.* 1. Gripe, grasp, snatch, clutch, catch, capture, grapple, lay hold on, lay hold of, fasten upon, lay hands on, take hold of (*forcibly and suddenly*).
2. Come upon suddenly (*as attacks of disease*), attack, take hold of.
3. Fasten, fix.
4. Comprehend, apprehend.
5. Take, capture, arrest, apprehend.

**Seized of.** (*Law.*) Possessing, possessed of.

**Seizure,** *n.* 1. Taking, catching, griping, grasping, capture, appropriation.
2. Retention, possession, hold, grasp, gripe.

**Seldom,** *ad.* Rarely, infrequently.

**Select,** *v. a* Choose, pick, cull, prefer, pick out, single out, pitch upon, fix upon.
**Select,** *a.* 1. Selected, chosen, picked, rare, choice, good, excellent, exquisite.
2. Preferable.
**Selection,** *n.* Choice, pick, election, preference.
**Self-abasement,** *n.* Humiliation, humility, humbleness, meekness, lowliness.
**Self-abnegation,** *n.* Self-denial, self-sacrifice.
**Self-abuse,** *n.* Onanism, masturbation, self-pollution.
**Self-asserting,** *a.* Bold, forward, presuming.
**Self-command,** *n.* Self-control, self-government, self-possession, equanimity.
**Self-complacency,** *n.* See SELF-CONCEIT.
**Self-complacent,** *a.* See SELF-CONCEITED.
**Self-conceit,** *n.* Vanity, conceit, self-sufficiency, egotism, self-complacency, self-esteem, self-opinion.
**Self-conceited,** *a.* Vain, egotistical, conceited, self-complacent, opinionated, self-sufficient, self-satisfied.
**Self-confidence,** *n.* Self-reliance.
**Self-contained,** *a.* Reserved, reticent, taciturn.
**Self-control,** *n.* Self-command, self-government, self-restraint.
**Self-deception,** *n.* Illusion, delusion, hallucination, monomania.
**Self-denial,** *n.* Self-abnegation, self-sacrifice, unselfishness, devotion, disinterestedness.
**Self-denying,** *a.* Self-sacrificing, devoted, generous, unselfish, disinterested.
**Self-destruction,** *n.* Suicide, self-murder, self-slaughter, self-homicide.
**Self-dubbed,** *a.* Pretended, would-be, self-styled, *soi-disant.*
**Self-esteem,** *n.* Self-complacency, self-conceit, self-sufficiency, vanity.
**Self-explanatory,** *a.* Obvious.
**Self-government,** *n.* 1. Self-control, self-mastery, self-restraint, self-command.
2. Democracy.
**Self-importance,** *n.* Pride, vanity, conceit.
**Self-important,** *a.* Pompous, vain, proud.
**Selfish,** *a.* Illiberal, mean, ungenerous, narrow, narrow-minded, self-seeking.
**Selfishness,** *n.* Undue love of self, self-interest, private interest, illiberality, meanness, self-love.
**Self-mastery,** *n.* Self-command, self-control, self-restraint, self-government.
**Self-murder,** *n.* Suicide, self-destruction, self-slaughter, self-homicide.
**Self-murderer,** *n.* Suicide, *felo-de-se.*
**Self-pleached,** *a.* Intertwined, intertwisted.
**Self-pollution,** *n.* Onanism, masturbation, self-abuse.
**Self-possessed,** *a.* Calm, placid, composed, unruffled, unexcited, cool, undisturbed, sedate.
**Self-possession,** *n.* Calmness, composure, coolness, self-command, self-control, equanimity.
**Self-reliance,** *n.* Confidence (*in one's own powers*), self-confidence, resolution, assurance, firmness, courage, intrepidity.
**Self-respect,** *n.* Pride, dignity.
**Self-restraint,** *n.* Self-command, self-mastery, self-control, self-government.
**Self-sacrifice,** *n.* Self-denial, self-abnegation, unselfishness, devotion, generosity, disinterestedness.
**Self-same,** *a.* Same, identical, the very same, exactly the same.
**Self-seeker,** *n.* Selfish person.
**Self-seeking,** *a.* Selfish, illiberal, mean.
**Self-slaughter,** *n.* Suicide, self-murder, self-destruction.
**Self-styled,** *a.* Pretended, would-be, self-dubbed, *soi-disant.*
**Self-sufficiency,** *n.* Conceit, conceitedness, pride, haughtiness, self-complacency, self-conceit, self-esteem, self-confidence.
**Self-sufficient,** *a.* Proud, haughty, overbearing, assuming, arrogant, over-weening, consequential, lordly.
**Self-will,** *n.* Wilfulness, stubbornness, doggedness, obstinacy, pig-headedness
**Self-willed,** *a.* Wilful, dogged, obstinate, uncompliant, contumacious, headstrong, stubborn.
**Sell,** *v. a.* 1. Vend, barter, exchange, put up to sale.
2. Betray, take a bribe for.
**Seller,** *n.* Vender.
**Selvage,** } *n.* List, strip of cloth (*forming an*
**Selvedge,** } *edge*).
**Semaphore,** *n.* Telegraph.
**Semblance,** *n.* 1. Likeness, resemblance, similarity.
2. Show, appearance, seeming, figure, form, exterior, air, mien, aspect, bearing
3. Likeness, image, similitude, representation.
**Semen,** *n.* [L.] Sperm, seed.
**Semi,** *n.* [L.] [*Used as a prefix.*] Half.
**Semi-annual,** *a.* Half-yearly.
**Semi-barbarian,** *a.* See SEMI-BARBAROUS.
**Semi-barbarous,** *a.* Half-civilized, semi-barbarian, semi-savage, half-barbarous, semi-barbaric.
**Semi-diameter,** *n.* Radius.
**Seminal,** *a.* Germinal, original, rudimental, radical.
**Seminary,** *n.* School, academy, high-school, institute, gymnasium, college, university, place of education.
**Semi-savage,** *a.* Semi-barbarous, half-civilized, semi-barbarian.
**Semi-transparent,** *a.* Translucent, imperfectly transparent.
**Sempiternal,** *a.* Everlasting, endless, perpetual, ever-during, unending, eternal.
**Sempstress,** *n.* Seamstress, needle-woman.
**Send,** *v. a.* 1. Throw, hurl, cast, fling, impel, propel, emit, project, toss, launch, lance, jaculate.
2. Despatch, delegate, depute, send forth, send out.
3. Transmit, forward.
4. Give, bestow, grant, confer.
5. Commission, authorize.
6. Inflict, bestow.
**Seneca-oil,** *n.* Petroleum, rock-oil, naphtha, mineral oil, mineral tar, Barbadoes tar.
**Seneca-root,** *n.* [Written also *Senega-root* and *Seneka-root.*] Virginia snake-root, rattlesnake-root.
**Seneschal,** *n.* Steward.
**Senile,** *a.* 1. Aged.
2. Imbecile, doting.
**Senility,** *n.* 1. Old age.
2. Imbecility (*from old age*), dotage.
**Senior,** *a.* 1. Older, elder.
2. Higher, more advanced.
**Senior,** *n.* Elder.
**Seniority,** *n.* 1. Eldership.
2. Priority, superiority.
**Sensation,** *n.* 1. Feeling (*without perception or a reference to any object that causes the feeling*), sense, perception.
2. Excitement, impression
**Sense,** *n.* 1. Faculty of perception.
2. Feeling, sensation, perception.
3. Intellect, mind, understanding, reason, brains, thinking principle.
4. Discernment, perception, apprehension, understanding, appreciation, feeling, recognition, tact.
5. Opinion, judgment, notion, idea, view, sentiment.

6. Signification, meaning, import, purport, interpretation.
7. Consciousness, conviction, moral perception.
8. Reason, understanding, judgment, good mental capacity, soundness, sagacity, wisdom.

**Senseless,** *a.* 1. Inert, not sentient, without perception.
2. Insensible, unfeeling, apathetic.
3. Unreasonable, foolish, nonsensical, ill-judged, unwise, absurd, unmeaning, silly.
4. Stupid, foolish, doltish, silly, simple, witless, weak-minded.
5. Unconscious, insensible, unknowing.

**Sensibility,** *n.* 1. Feeling, sensitiveness, susceptibility, impressibility.
2. Delicacy of feeling, tender feeling, quick emotion.

**Sensible,** *a.* 1. Perceptible (*by any of the senses* or *by the mind*), apprehensible, that makes an impression.
2. Cognizant, observant, aware, conscious, convinced, persuaded, satisfied.
3. Judicious, wise, discreet, sage, sagacious, reasonable, intelligent, rational, sober, sound, understanding.
4. Sensitive.
5. Impressible.

**Sensitive,** *a.* 1. Sentient, perceptive.
2. Impressible, easily affected.

**Sensitize,** *v. a.* (*Photography.*) Make sensitive to light.

**Sensual,** *a.* 1. Carnal, fleshly, unspiritual.
2. Voluptuous, luxurious.
3. Lewd, dissolute, licentious.

**Sensualist,** *n.* Voluptuary, epicure, sybarite, free-liver, man of pleasure.

**Sensuality,** *n.* 1. Voluptuousness, carnality.
2. Lewdness, dissoluteness, licentiousness.

**Sensuous,** *a.* Affecting the senses (*mediately* or *immediately*), that concerns sensible objects *or* impressions derived from the senses, material.

**Sentence,** *n.* 1. Decision, judgment, determination, opinion.
2. Dogma, doctrine, tenet, opinion.
3. (*Common Law.*) Condemnation, doom, judgment passed on a criminal.
4. (*Civil and Admiralty Law.*) Judicial decree.
5. Period, proposition.
6. Maxim, axiom, apothegm.

**Sentence,** *v. a.* Doom, condemn, pass judgment upon.

**Sententious,** *a.* Pithy, terse, laconic, succinct, concise, compendious, didactic, pointed, compact, full of meaning, very expressive, to the point, short and energetic.

**Sententiously,** *ad.* Expressively, pithily, tersely, concisely.

**Sententiousness,** *n.* Pithiness, terseness, point, vigor, compactness.

**Sentient,** *a.* Perceiving, perceptive, sensitive, feeling.

**Sentiment,** *n.* 1. Feeling, sensibility, tenderness, emotion, tender susceptibility.
2. Thought (*prompted by feeling*), opinion, notion, judgment.
3. Saying, maxim, striking remark.
4. Thought, feeling, disposition, state of mind.

**Sentimental,** *a.* 1. Tender, impressible, romantic.
2. Sententious, didactic, thoughtful.
3. Pathetic, romantic.

**Sentimentalism,** *n.* Sentimentality, affectation of sentiment, affected sensibility.

**Sentimentality,** *n.* See SENTIMENTALISM.

**Sentinel,** *n.* Watchman, guard, sentry, guardsman.

**Sentry,** *n* 1. See SENTINEL.
2. Watch, guard, watch and ward.

**Separability,** *n.* Divisibility.

**Separable,** *a.* Divisible, discerpible.

**Separate,** *v. a.* 1. Disjoin, disunite, part, divide, sever, dissever, detach, disconnect, disengage.
2. Sever, sunder, lie between, hold apart.
3. Withdraw, remove, eliminate, set apart.

**Separate,** *v. n.* 1. Part, divide, be divided, be disunited, be separated, sunder.
2. Cleave, open, be divided.

**Separate,** *a.* 1. Disjoined, disconnected, dissociated, detached, disjointed, disunited, parted, divided, severed.
2. Unconnected, distinct.
3. Alone, withdrawn.
4. Disunited, incorporeal.

**Separately,** *ad.* Distinctly, singly, apart.

**Separation,** *n.* 1. Disjunction, dissociation.
2. Disunion, disconnection, division.
3. Analysis, decomposition, disunion.
4. Divorce, disunion.

**Separatist,** *n.* Sectary, schismatic, dissenter, seceder, non-conformist.

**Separator,** *n.* Divider.

**Sepia,** *n.* 1. Cuttle-fish.
2. India ink.

**Sept,** *n.* Tribe, clan, race, family, generation.

**Septentrion,** *n.* The north.

**Septentrional,** *a.* Northern.

**Septilateral,** *a.* Seven-sided.

**Septuple,** *a.* Sevenfold

**Sepulchral,** *a.* 1. Monumental.
2. Funereal, mournful, sombre, sad, woful, gloomy, dismal, lugubrious, melancholy, deep, grave, hollow.

**Sepulchre,** *n.* Tomb, grave, ossuary, charnel-house, burial vault, burial-place, sepulture.

**Sepulchre,** *v. a.* Bury, inter, entomb.

**Sepulture,** *n.* 1. Burial, interment, inhumation.
2. Grave, burial-place, sepulchre, tomb.

**Sequel,** *n.* 1. Continuation, succeeding part.
2. Close, conclusion, termination, *dénouement.*
3. Consequence, event, issue, upshot, result.

**Sequence,** *n.* 1. Succession, following.
2. Order of succession, arrangement.
3. Series, succession.

**Sequester,** *v. a.* 1. Separate, set aside, sequestrate.
2. Remove, put aside, separate, set apart.
3. Withdraw, seclude, retire.

**Sequestered,** *a.* 1. (*Law.*) Seized and detained.
2. Private, retired, secluded, withdrawn, hidden, unfrequented.
3. Separated, set apart.

**Sequestrate,** *v. a.* 1. Sequester, set aside.
2. (*International Law.*) Confiscate.

**Sequestration,** *n.* 1. Separation, seclusion, retirement.
2. Separation.

**Seraglio,** *n.* 1. The Sultan's palace.
2. Harem.

**Seraphic,** *a.* 1. Angelic, celestial, heavenly, sublime.
2. Pure, refined, holy.

**Sere,** *a.* Dry, withered. See SEAR.

**Serene,** *a.* 1. Calm, quiet, placid, tranquil, unruffled, peaceful, composed, undisturbed, collected, sedate.
2. Clear, fair, bright, calm, unclouded.

**Serenely,** *ad.* 1. Calmly, quietly.
2. Coolly, deliberately.

**Serenity,** *n.* 1. Calmness, peacefulness, tranquillity, collectedness, sedateness, composure, coolness, calm, peace.

2. Clearness, fairness, brightness, calmness, stillness, quietness, peace.
3. Peace, quietness, tranquillity, calm.

**Serf,** *n.* Slave (*attached to the soil*), bondman, thrall, bond-servant, villein.

**Serfdom,** *n.* Enslavement, slavery, servitude, bondage, thraldom, enthralment, subjection, serfage.

**Serial,** *a.* Successive, consecutive, continuous, continued.

**Serial,** *n.* Periodical.

**Seriatim,** *ad.* [L.] In a series, in order, one after another.

**Series,** *n.* Succession, order, sequence, course, line, concatenation.

**Serious,** *a.* 1. Grave, solemn, sedate, staid, sober, earnest, demure.
2. Important, weighty, great, momentous, grave.
3. In earnest.
4. Dangerous

**Seriously,** *ad.* Gravely, solemnly, in earnest.

**Seriousness,** *n.* Gravity, solemnity, soberness, earnestness.

**Sermon,** *n.* Homily, exhortation, religious discourse.

**Sermoning,** *n.* Advice, instruction, discourse.

**Sermonize,** *v. n.* Preach, discourse.

**Serous,** *a.* Thin (*as parts of animal fluids*), watery, serose.

**Serpent,** *n.* Snake.

**Serpentine,** *a.* Winding, meandering, crooked, anfractuous, spiral, tortuous, undulating, sinuous, twisted.

**Serpentine,** *n.* Ophite, green porphyry.

**Serrate,** } *a.* Notched, indented, toothed, den-
**Serrated,** } ticulated, jagged.

**Serried,** *a.* Close, compacted, crowded.

**Servant,** *n.* 1. Servitor, attendant, retainer, subaltern, dependant, subordinate helper.
2. Menial, domestic, drudge, slave.

**Servant-maid,** *n.* Maid-servant, servant-girl, female domestic, serving-maid.

**Serve,** *v. a.* 1. Work for, labor for, be under the orders of, be subservient to, obey, subserve.
2. Aid, assist, help, succor, attend, oblige, wait on, minister to.
3. Promote, advance, forward, benefit, contribute to, be of use to, conduce to, assist, be sufficient for.
4. Satisfy, content, be sufficient for.
5. Treat, behave toward, requite, act toward.
6. Manage, manipulate, handle, work.
7. Wait on, attend, supply (*with food*).
8. Place, arrange, bring forward, deal, distribute.
9. Be in lieu of, answer, do duty for.
10. Comply with, yield to, submit to.

**Serve,** *v. n.* 1. Be a servant, be a slave, be in bondage, be in subjection.
2. Obey, be dutiful, perform duty.
3. Answer, do, be sufficient, be of use.
4. Suit, be convenient, be suitable.
5. Attend, wait on.
6. Act, discharge the requirements of, officiate, minister.

**Serve one's time.** Be an apprentice, serve one's apprenticeship.

**Service,** *n.* 1. Labor (*for another*), work, menial duties.
2. Duty, office, business, employment.
3. Benefit, advantage, profit, gain, good.
4. Use, utility, avail, useful office, purpose.
5. Homage, mark of respect.
6. Office of devotion, religious rite.
7. Official function.
8. Spiritual obedience, reverence, love.
9. Office of devotion, religious rite.
10. Furniture.

**Serviceable,** *a.* 1. Useful, helpful, profitable, advantageous, convenient, beneficial, available, operative.
2. Active, diligent, officious.

**Service-berry,** *n.* June-berry, shad-bush (*Amelanchier Canadensis*).

**Service-book,** *n* Missal, prayer-book, mass-book.

**Servile,** *a.* 1. Dependent, menial, held in bondage, held in slavery, held in subjection.
2. Slavish, mean, base, cringing, obsequious, fawning, supple, grovelling, sycophantic, abject, low, beggarly, sneaking, base-minded, low-minded, meanly submissive.

**Servility,** *n.* 1. Slavery, bondage, dependence.
2. Slavishness, baseness, meanness, abjectness, abjection, obsequiousness, fawning, sycophancy.

**Servitor,** *n.* Servant, attendant, dependant, retainer, squire, lackey, valet, waiter, footman.

**Servitude,** *n.* Slavery, bondage, thraldom, enthralment, enslavement, serfdom, service.

**Sesame,** *n.* Benne, oil-plant.

**Sesqui-carbonate of ammonia.** Sal-volatile, smelling-salts, carbonate of ammonia.

**Session,** *n.* Sitting (*of a court, of a legislature, etc.*).

**Set,** *v. a.* 1. Put, place, plant, station, locate.
2. Fix, establish, settle, appoint.
3. Stake, wager, risk.
4. Regulate, adjust, adapt.
5. Stud, variegate, adorn.
6. Place, place upright, cause to sit, put, rest.
7. Arrange, dispose, station, post.
8. Fix, determine.
9. Prescribe, appoint, assign, predetermine.
10. Value, estimate, rate, prize.
11. Plant, transplant.
12. Stud, adorn, variegate.
13. Embarrass, perplex, pose.
14. Impart, attach, join with, add to.
15. Write, note.
16. Oppose.
17. Offer for sale, expose.
18. Contrive, produce.
19. Sharpen, bring to an edge.
20. Replace (*as a broken bone*).

**Set,** *v. n.* 1. Decline, sink, go down (*as the sun*).
2. Concrete, congeal, solidify, harden, consolidate.
3. Flow, run, tend.
4. Plant.

**Set,** *a.* 1. Regular, formal, established, prescribed, settled, appointed, ordained.
2. Determined, firm, unyielding, obstinate, fixed, stiff, positive.
3. Predetermined, fixed beforehand.
4. Immovable, fixed.
5. Placed, put, located, fixed.
6. Regular, well-arranged.

**Set,** *n.* 1. Suit, assortment, collection.
2. Group, school, class, sect, party, knot, division, cluster, company, clique, coterie.
3. Attitude, position, posture.

**Set about.** Begin, commence, take in hand, apply one's self to, take the first steps in.

**Setaceous,** *a.* Bristly, setous, setose.

**Set apart.** Reserve (*for a particular use*), appropriate, dedicate, consecrate, devote, set aside.

**Set aside.** 1. Reserve, set apart.
2. Omit, leave out of the account.
3. Reject.
4. Abrogate, annul.

**Set at defiance.** Defy.

**Set at ease.** Quiet, tranquillize.

**Set at naught.** 1. Contemn, despise, undervalue.

2. Break, infringe, transgress, violate.
**Set before.** Exhibit, display.
**Set by.** Reject, dismiss, put aside.
**Set-down,** *n.* Rebuff, rebuke, reprehension.
**Set down.** Register, record, state, put in writing, chronicle, make a note of, jot down, take down, make a memorandum of.
**Set eyes on.** Behold.
**Set fire to.** Kindle, inflame, ignite, set on fire.
**Set forth.** I. Manifest, exhibit, display, show, put forward.
2. Publish, promulgate, make appear.
3. Explain, expound, represent, show, make known.
**Set forward.** Advance, promote, further.
**Set free.** Liberate, release, emancipate, disenthrall, clear, acquit.
**Set in.** I. Flow in.
2. Be fairly begun, be established.
**Set in order.** Adjust, arrange, reduce to method.
**Set off.** (*Active.*) I. Portion off, define the boundaries of.
2. Adorn, decorate, embellish.
**Set off.** (*Neuter.*) Start, set out.
**Set-off,** *n.* I. Decoration, ornament, embellishment, adornment.
2. Off-set.
3. Counter-claim, counter-balance, equivalent.
4. (*Law.*) Counter-claim, cross-debt, cross-demand.
**Set on.** I. Incite, instigate, prompt, encourage, spur, urge, impel, influence, actuate.
2. Attack, assault, set upon.
**Set on fire.** Inflame, kindle, ignite, set fire to.
**Set on foot.** Originate, begin, set in motion, start, set going.
**Set out.** (*Active.*) I. Adorn, decorate, embellish.
2. Allot, assign.
3. Publish, proclaim, issue.
4. Raise, equip, furnish.
5. Show, display, recommend.
6. Show, prove.
7. Recite, state.
**Set out.** (*Neuter.*) Start, set off.
**Set-out,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) I. Preparations.
2. Clique, set, company.
3. Equipage, turn-out, display.
**Set over.** I. Assign, transfer, convey.
2. Appoint.
**Set right.** Correct, put in order.
**Set store by.** Esteem highly, regard much, place a high value on, think a good deal of.
**Setter-on,** *n.* Inciter, instigator.
**Settle,** *n.* Bench, seat, stool.
**Settle,** *v. a.* I. Fix, establish.
2. Decide, determine, make clear, free from doubt, confirm.
3. Adjust, regulate, arrange, compose.
4. Colonize, people.
5. Liquidate, pay, discharge, close up, balance, adjust.
6. [*U. S.*] Ordain as pastor.
7. Clarify, defecate, fine, clear.
8. Compose, quiet, tranquillize, calm, still, allay, pacify.
9. Set, fix, confirm.
10. Place, establish, make permanent.
11. Adjust, arrange, finish, close up.
**Settle,** *v. n.* I. Subside, sink, fall.
2. Rest, repose, be quiet, be tranquil, be composed.
3. Dwell, abide, inhabit, reside, plant one's self, get established.
4. Account, reckon, square accounts, satisfy all demands.
**Settled,** *a.* I. Fixed, established, stable.
2. Deep-rooted, unchanging, steady, decided, firmly seated.
3. Arranged, adjusted.
4. Quiet, orderly, methodical.
5. Established, ordinary, common, wonted, usual, customary, every-day.
**Settlement,** *n.* I. Adjustment, arrangement.
2. Reconciliation, pacification.
3. Liquidation, payment, discharge.
4. Colonization.
5. Colony.
6. Ordination, installation, establishment, fixture.
**Settle on.** I. Fix on, fix upon, determine on.
2. Establish one's habitation upon.
**Settler,** *n.* Colonist.
**Settling,** *n.* I. Planting, colonizing.
2. Subsidence.
**Settlings,** *n. pl.* Lees, dregs, sediment.
**Set the hand to.** Undertake, engage in.
**Set the heart upon.** Long for earnestly, fix one's desires upon.
**Set-to,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Fight, combat, contest, conflict.
**Set to rights.** Adjust, regulate, put in order, put to rights.
**Set up.** (*Active.*) I. Erect, raise, elevate.
2. Exalt, raise, put in power.
3. Institute, establish, found.
4. Put in type.
5. Raise.
6. Advance, propose.
7. Fix, establish.
**Set up.** (*Neuter.*) I. Begin business.
2. Profess, make pretensions to.
**Set upon.** Attack, assault, assail, have at, fly at, rush upon.
**Sever,** *v. a.* I. Part, divide, separate, sunder.
2. Disjoin, disunite, sunder, separate, divide.
3. Disjoin, disunite, detach, separate, divide, disconnect.
**Several,** *a.* I. Separate, distinct, independent, exclusive.
2. Single, individual, particular.
3. Various, manifold, different, diverse, distinct.
4. Sundry, divers.
**Severally,** *ad.* Separately, distinctly.
**Severance,** *n.* Separation, partition.
**Severe,** *a.* I. Rigid, stern, strict, sharp, harsh, bitter, austere, rigorous, stiff, strait-laced, hard, unrelenting, relentless, inexorable, peremptory, censorious, cruel, bitter, morose.
2. Strict, exact, accurate, methodical.
3. Simple, plain, unadorned, chaste.
4. Caustic, satirical, sarcastic, keen, cutting, stinging, biting, sharp, harsh, bitter, cruel, trenchant.
5. Distressing, afflictive, acute, violent, extreme, intense, sharp.
6. Serious, earnest, sedate, grave, austere, sober.
7. Exact, critical, rigorous, hard.
**Severely,** *ad.* I. Harshly, sharply, sternly, rigidly.
2. Strictly, rigorously.
3. Painfully, fiercely, extremely, distressingly, afflictively
**Severity,** *n.* I. Sternness, harshness, rigor, austerity, gravity, strictness
2. Strictness, exactness, accuracy.
3. Simplicity, plainness.
4. Sharpness, keenness, causticity, acrimony.
5. Extremity, afflictiveness, violence, keenness.
6. Harshness, cruel treatment.

7. Exactness, rigor, niceness, rigorousness.
**Sew,** *v. n.* Work with needle and thread, stitch.
**Sew,** *v. a.* Stitch.
**Sewage,** *n.* I. Contents of a sewer.
2. Drainage, sewerage.
**Sewer,** *n.* Drain, subterranean canal.
**Sewerage,** *n.* I. Drainage, sewage.
2. Sewage, contents of a sewer.
**Sexangle,** *n.* Hexagon.
**Sextuple,** *a.* Sixfold.
**Shabby,** *a.* I. Ragged, worn, faded, threadbare, worn out, poor, mean.
2. Mean, base, low, despicable, contemptible, beggarly, paltry, unhandsome, ungentlemanly.
**Shackle,** *n.* Fetter, gyve, chain, handcuff, manacle.
**Shackle,** *v. a.* I. Fetter, chain, manacle, hamper, gyve.
2. Trammel, embarrass, obstruct, impede, restrict, bind, confine, cumber.
**Shad-bush,** *n.* June-berry, shad-berry, service-berry (*Amelanchier Canadensis*).
**Shade,** *n.* I. Shadow, umbrage.
2. Darkness, obscurity, dusk, duskiness, gloom.
3. Screen, curtain, veil.
4. Protection, shelter, cover.
5. Color, hue, tint.
6. Degree, kind, variety, minute difference.
7. Ghost, spirit, apparition, spectre, phantom, manes, shadow.
**Shade,** *v. a.* I. Obscure, cloud, darken, eclipse, dim, obfuscate.
2. Screen, cover, protect, shelter.
3. Darken.
4. Shelter, hide, ensconce, protect, screen.
**Shades,** *n. pl.* Hades, spirit-world, *sheol*, invisible world of the ancients.
**Shadiness,** *n.* Umbrageousness.
**Shadow,** *n.* I. Shade, umbrage.
2. Darkness, obscurity, gloom, shade.
3. Shelter, cover, protection, security.
4. Image, adumbration, representation, prefiguration, foreshowing.
5. Spirit, ghost, shade, phantom.
6. Image, portrait, reflection.
**Shadow,** *v. a.* I. Shade.
2. Darken, obscure, cloud.
3. Typify, adumbrate, body forth.
4. Protect, shroud, screen, cover, conceal, hide.
5. Typify, symbolize.
**Shadow forth.** Typify, symbolize, represent, indicate, denote, show, shadow, foreshadow, stand for.
**Shadowy,** *a.* I. Shady, umbrageous.
2. Dark, obscure, dim, murky, gloomy.
3. Unreal, unsubstantial, impalpable, intangible, visionary, imaginary, spectral, ghostly.
4. Typical, representative.
**Shady,** *a.* Shadowy, umbrageous.
**Shaft,** *n.* I. Arrow, missile, weapon.
2. Handle.
3. Thill, pole, tongue.
4. Trunk (*of a column*).
5. Axis, spindle, arbor
6. Spire, pinnacle.
7. Stem, stalk, trunk.
**Shagbark,** *n.* Shellbark (*Carya alba*).
**Shaggy,** *a.* I. Rough (*with long hair* or *wool*).
2. Rough, rugged.
**Shah,** *n.* King of Persia, padishah.
**Shake,** *v. a.* I. Agitate, convulse, jar, jolt, make to tremble *or* quiver.
2. Intimidate, frighten, daunt.
3. Endanger, weaken, move, make less firm, threaten to overthrow.
4. Agitate, wave, vibrate.
5. Move, remove, throw off, rid one's self of, put away.
6. Trill.
**Shake,** *v. n.* Tremble, quake, quiver, totter, shudder, shiver.
**Shake,** *n.* I. Agitation, concussion, jar, jolt, shaking, tremor, shock, trembling, shivering.
2. Trill.
3. Crack (*in timber*), fissure, cleft.
**Shakes,** *n. pl.* Ague, intermittent fever.
**Shaking,** *n.* I. Agitation, concussion, jolting, jolt, shake.
2. Trembling, quaking.
**Shaky,** *a* I. Unsound (*as timber*), full of clefts, cracked, split.
2. Shaking, trembling.
**Shale,** *n.* I. Slate clay, schistous clay.
2. Shell, husk, pod.
**Shallow,** *a.* I. Shoal.
2. Superficial, empty, silly, slight, unintelligent, simple, ignorant.
3. Flimsy, trivial, frivolous, trifling, foolish, puerile, trashy.
**Shallow,** *n.* Shoal, flat shelf, sand-bank.
**Shallow-brained,** *a.* Simple, ignorant, foolish, empty-headed, shallow-pated, silly.
**Shallow-pated,** *a.* Shallow-brained, silly, foolish.
**Shalstone,** *n.* Table-spar, tabular spar, grammite, scale-stone.
**Sham,** *v. a.* I. Feign, pretend, make pretence of, imitate, ape.
2. Trick, cheat, delude, dupe.
3. Impose, obtrude by fraud.
**Sham,** *v. n.* Deceive, feign, impose, pretend.
**Sham,** *n.* Imposture, imposition, trick, fraud, feint, delusion, humbug, pretence, clap-trap.
**Sham,** *a.* Pretended, false, assumed, counterfeit, mock, spurious, clap-trap, make-believe
**Shamble,** *v. n.* Hobble, shuffle.
**Shambles,** *n pl.* I. Flesh market, meat market.
2. Slaughter-house, *abattoir*.
**Shame,** *n.* I. Abashment, mortification, confusion, humiliation.
2. Disgrace, dishonor, opprobrium, derision, reproach, ignominy, infamy, obloquy, contempt, odium, scandal, degradation, discredit.
3. Reproach, disgrace, scandal, dishonor.
4. Decency, decorum, propriety, modesty.
**Shame,** *v. a.* I. Abash, mortify, confuse, confound, disconcert, discompose, humiliate, humble, make ashamed.
2. Disgrace, dishonor, degrade, debase, discredit, sully, taint, stain, tarnish.
3. Deride, jeer, ridicule, mock at, sneer at, point at, flout.
**Shame-faced,** *a.* Bashful, diffident, over-modest.
**Shameful,** *a.* I. Disgraceful, scandalous, dishonorable, disreputable, infamous, outrageous, ignominious, opprobrious, base, vile, villanous, nefarious, heinous, atrocious, wicked, dark.
2. Indecent, unbecoming, degrading, scandalous.
**Shameless,** *a.* I. Impudent, unblushing, unabashed, immodest, frontless, assuming, brazen, brazen-faced, bold-faced, insolent, audacious, cool, indecent, indelicate.
2. Depraved, vicious, sinful, unprincipled, corrupt, profligate, dissolute, reprobate, abandoned, graceless, obdurate, hardened, incorrigible, irreclaimable, lost.
**Shamrock,** *n.* I. White trefoil, white clover, Dutch clover (*Trifolium repens*).
2. Hop-trefoil, black nonesuch (*Medicago lupulina*).
**Shanty,** *n.* Hut, hovel, shed, mean cabin, mean dwelling.

**Shape,** *v. a.* I. Form, create, make, produce.
2. Mould, fashion, model, form.
3. Regulate, adjust, direct, frame.
4. Image, conceive, conjure up, figure, imagine.

**Shape,** *n.* I. Form (*with especial reference to what is visible*), figure, make, guise, appearance, outward aspect.
2. Figure, being, appearance, form.
3. Mould, model, fashion, cut, pattern, build, cast, form.

**Shapeless,** *a.* I. Amorphous, formless.
2. Unsymmetrical, rude, irregular, uncouth, grotesque.

**Shapely,** *a.* Symmetrical, comely, well-formed.

**Shard,** *n.* Fragment, potsherd.

**Share,** *v. a.* I. Divide, distribute, apportion, parcel out, portion.
2. Partake, participate in, have a portion of.
3. Experience, receive.

**Share,** *v. n.* Participate, have part, have a portion.

**Share,** *n.* I. Part, portion, certain quantity.
2. Allotment, dividend, quota, portion, contingent, proportion, apportioned lot, part.
3. Part, portion, interest.
4. Ploughshare.

**Sharer,** *n.* Partaker, participator, communicant.

**Shark,** *n.* I. Sharper, cheat, swindler, blackleg, knave, trickster, artful fellow.
2. Fraud, trickery.

**Sharp,** *a.* I. Acute, keen, trenchant.
2. Pointed, peaked, ridged.
3. Sagacious, apt, shrewd, astute, acute, penetrating, subtle, perspicacious, discerning, discriminating, ingenious, inventive, witty, quick, clever, ready, smart, clear, sharp-sighted, quick-sighted, keen-eyed, keen-witted, sharp-witted, clear-sighted, long-headed, cunning.
4. Subtle, acute, witty, astute, shrewd, nice.
5. Biting, pungent, hot, burning, stinging, mordacious, acrid, sour, bitter, acid, poignant, piquant, high-flavored, high-seasoned.
6. Severe, harsh, acrimonious, keen, sarcastic, caustic, cutting, tart, pointed, biting, trenchant.
7. Rigid, cruel, hard, severe.
8. Keen, eager, hungry.
9. Distressing, poignant, intense, very painful, afflicting, severe, violent, sore, acute, keen, piercing, subtile, excruciating.
10. Pinching, piercing, nipping, biting.
11. Strong, eager, fierce, ardent, violent, fiery, impetuous.
12. Gritty, hard.
13. Lean, thin, emaciated, meagre.
14. Shrill, high, piercing.
15. Keen, penetrating, piercing, severe, attentive, vigilant.
16. Shrewd, exacting, close.

**Sharp,** *v. a.* Sharpen, make keen.

**Sharp-cut,** *a.* Clear, distinct, well-defined.

**Sharpen,** *v. a.* I. Edge, make keen, point.
2. Make eager.
3. Sharp, make shrill.
4. Intensify, make more intense.

**Sharper,** *n.* Cheat, rogue, swindler, trickster, shark, knave, blackleg, tricky fellow, defrauder, deceiver.

**Sharply,** *ad.* I. Severely, rigorously, roughly.
2. Vigorously, acutely, keenly.
3. Vehemently, violently.
4. Minutely, exactly, accurately.
5. Wittily, acutely, trenchantly.
6. Steeply, abruptly.

**Sharpness,** *n.* I. Acuteness, keenness.
2. Sagacity, shrewdness, ingenuity, wit, cleverness, quickness, acuteness, discernment, acumen.
3. Pungency, piquancy, acridity, acidity, tartness.
4. Severity, sarcasm, satire, pungency.
5. Poignancy, intensity, painfulness, keenness, pungency, severity, afflictiveness.
6. Fierceness, violence, ardor.
7. Shrillness, highness.
8. Eagerness, keenness.
9. Keenness, severity.

**Sharp-set,** *a.* Eager, hungry, ravenous, famishing.

**Sharp-shooter,** *n.* Good marksman, rifleman.

**Sharp-sighted,** *a.* Keen, keen-eyed, keen-sighted, clear-sighted.

**Sharp-witted,** *a.* Acute, shrewd, quick, sharp, discerning, sagacious, ingenious, intelligent, keen, clear-sighted, keen-sighted, long-headed, cunning.

**Shatter,** *v. a.* I. Shiver, break in pieces, dash into fragments, rend, crack, split.
2. Disorder, derange, overthrow, break up, render unsound.

**Shatter-brain,** *n.* Scatter-brain, giddy person.

**Shatter-brained,** *a.* Giddy, light-headed, scatter-brained, inattentive, heedless, wild.

**Shave,** *v. a.* I. Cut off (*close to the surface*).
2. Make smooth *or* bare (*as by cutting off hair closely*), to pare close.
3. Slice, cut in thin slices.
4. Strip, fleece, pillage, shear, oppress (*by extortion*).
5. Graze, skim, touch lightly (*in passing over*).

**Shaver,** *n.* I. Barber.
2. Sharper, cheat.
3. Wag, joker.
4. Youngster, child, little fellow, boy.
5. Robber, plunderer, extortioner, pillager.

**Shear,** *v. a.* I. Cut, clip.
2. Strip, fleece, plunder.

**Shear,** *v. n.* I. Cut, penetrate.
2. Deviate, swerve, turn aside. See SHEER.

**Sheath,** *n.* I. Case (*as for a sword*), scabbard.
2. (*Bot.*) Base of a leaf (*when it is wrapped around a stem*).
3. (*Ent.*) Wing-case.

**Sheathe,** *v. a.* I. Put into a sheath, enclose in a sheath.
2. Cover, case.
3. Cover up, hide.

**Sheathe the sword.** Make peace.

**Sheathing,** *n.* Casing, covering, sheath.

**Shed,** *v. a.* I. Spill, effuse, pour out, let fall.
2. Spread, diffuse, scatter, emit, give out.
3. Cast, throw off, put off, let fall.

**Shed,** *n.* Hut, hovel, cot, cabin, out-house, out-building.

**Shed-roof,** *n.* Pent-roof, lean-to.

**Sheen,** *n.* Brightness, splendor, shine, gloss.

**Sheepcot,** / **Sheepcote,** *n.* Sheepfold, sheep-pen.

**Sheepdog,** *n.* Shepherd dog, collie.

**Sheep-faced,** *a.* Sheepish, bashful, shame-faced, timid.

**Sheepfold,** *n.* Sheepcot, sheep-pen.

**Sheepish,** *a.* Timid, shame-faced, over-modest, very bashful, excessively diffident, timorous.

**Sheep's-eye,** *n.* Leer, ogle, wishful glance, smickering.

**Sheer,** *a.* I. Pure, clear.
2. Mere, simple, unmixed, unmingled, downright, pure, unqualified, unadulterated, clear, utter.
3. Perpendicular, precipitous.

**Sheer,** *v. n.* Deviate, decline, move aside. See SHEAR.

**Sheet-anchor,** *n.* I. (*Naut.*) Principal anchor, largest anchor.
2. Mainstay, chief support, main reliance.
**Sheet-tin,** *n.* Latten, tinned iron plate.
**Shelf,** *n.* I. Ledge.
2. Shoal, shallow, rock, ledge.
**Shell,** *n* I. Case, outer covering.
2. Bomb.
3. Framework.
4. Lyre, stringed instrument.
**Shell,** *v. a.* I. Take out of the shell, strip the shell from, hull.
2. Bombard.
**Shell,** *v. n.* Exfoliate, fall off, peel off, shell off.
**Shellbark,** *n.* Shagbark (*Carya alba*).
**Shelter,** *n.* I. Asylum, refuge, retreat, cover, covert, sanctuary, harbor, haven.
2. Protection, shield, screen, defence, security, safety, cover.
3. Guardian, protector.
**Shelter,** *v. a.* Shield, screen, hide, shroud, protect, defend, cover, house, harbor, ensconce.
**Sheltie,** *n.* Shetland pony.
**Shelve,** *v. a.* Put on the shelf, put aside, dismiss.
**Shelve,** *v n.* Slope, incline.
**Shepherd,** *n.* I. Herdsman (*of sheep*).
2. Swain, rural lover.
3. Pastor, minister, clergyman.
**Shepherd-spider,** *n.* Father-long-legs, daddy-long-legs, harvest-man.
**Shetland pony.** Sheltie.
**Shibboleth,** *n.* Criterion, watchword, test.
**Shield,** *n.* I. Buckler, ægis.
2. Safeguard, protection, defence, shelter, guard, cover, security, bulwark, rampart, palladium.
3. Escutcheon, ensign armorial, emblazoned field.
**Shield,** *v. a.* I. Defend, protect, guard, shelter, cover.
2. Ward off, repel, defend against.
3. Forbid, forefend, avert.
**Shield-shaped,** *a.* Scutate, clypeiform, peltate, peltated.
**Shift,** *v. a.* Change, alter, move.
**Shift,** *v. n.* I. Move, change place, change about, remove.
2. Alter, change.
3. Change, vary, veer, chop, alter.
4. Contrive, manage, plan, scheme, shuffle, devise ways and means.
**Shift,** *n.* I. Change.
2. Expedient, contrivance, resort, resource, means.
3. Evasion, artifice, fraud, trick, stratagem, subterfuge, mask, wile, craft, device, mean refuge, chicane, chicanery, artful contrivance, *ruse*.
4. Chemise, smock.
**Shifter,** *n.* Trickster, cozener.
**Shiftiness,** *n.* Changeableness, variableness.
**Shiftless,** *a.* Improvident, imprudent, inefficient, prodigal, wasteful.
**Shillalah,** / **Shillaly,** / **Shillelah,** } *n.* Club, cudgel, oak sapling.
**Shilli-shally,** / **Shilly-shally,** } *v. n.* Hesitate, waver.
**Shilli-shally,** / **Shilly-shally,** } *n.* Irresolution, hesitation, foolish trifling, wavering.
**Shimmer,** *v. n* Glimmer, gleam, glisten, shine faintly.
**Shin,** *n.* Fore part of the lower leg, tibia, shin-bone.
**Shin,** *v. n.* Swarm, climb (*with hands and knees*).
**Shindy,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Row, spree, riot, disturbance, uproar.
**Shine,** *v. n.* I. Beam, radiate, gleam, give light.
2. Glitter, glisten, sparkle, gleam, glow, glare, coruscate, be bright, be brilliant.
3. Be eminent, be distinguished, be conspicuous, excel.
4. Be prominent.
**Shine,** *n.* I. Fair weather, sunshine.
2. Brightness, splendor, lustre, brilliancy, polish, gloss.
**Shingling-mill,** *n.* Furnace, forge.
**Shining,** *a.* I. Beaming, gleaming.
2. Radiant, bright, splendid, glistening, lustrous, brilliant, glittering, resplendent, effulgent, glowing, lucid, luminous.
3. Illustrious, splendid, conspicuous, distinguished.
**Shiny,** *a.* I. Bright, clear, sunshiny, unclouded, luminous.
2. Glossy, brilliant.
**Ship-biscuit,** *n.* Pilot-bread, hard-bread.
**Ship-builder,** *n.* I. Naval architect, naval constructor.
2. Ship-carpenter, shipwright.
**Ship-carpenter,** *n.* Shipwright, ship-builder.
**Ship of the desert.** Camel.
**Ship-of-war,** *n.* Man-of-war.
**Ship-shape,** *a.* Well-arranged, neat, trim, tidy.
**Shipwreck,** *n.* Wreck, ruin, perdition, destruction, miscarriage, overthrow, subversion, demolition.
**Shipwreck,** *v. a.* Wreck, strand, cast away.
**Shipwright,** *n.* Ship-carpenter, ship-builder.
**Shirk,** *v. a.* I. Avoid unfairly, evade, get off from, slink away from.
2. Cheat, trick, shark.
**Shirk,** *v. n.* I. Shark.
2. Shift, depart, quit.
**Shiver,** *v. a.* Shatter, break in pieces, dash to fragments.
**Shiver,** *v. n.* Shudder, quake, tremble, quiver, shake.
**Shiver,** *n.* I. Fragment, bit, piece.
2. Slice, sliver.
3. Tremor, tremulous motion, shivering, shaking, shuddering.
**Shiver-spar,** *n.* Slate-spar.
**Shivery,** *a.* Friable, brittle, frangible, incompact.
**Shoal,** *n.* I. Crowd, throng, multitude, swarm, horde.
2. Shallow, sand-bank, bar.
**Shoal,** *v. n.* I. Crowd, throng.
2. Grow shallow.
**Shoal,** *a.* Shallow.
**Shoar,** *n.* Prop, support, stay. See SHORE.
**Sheat,** *n.* Young hog, pig. See SHOTE.
**Shock,** *n.* I. Concussion, collision, shog, clash, impact, percussion.
2. Brunt, onset, assault, hostile encounter, conflict.
3. Blow, stroke, agitation, offence.
4. Stook, hattock.
**Shock,** *v. a.* I. Shake, strike against, come into collision with, collide.
2. Encounter, meet.
3. Offend, disgust, disturb, disquiet, nauseate, sicken, scandalize, revolt, outrage.
4. Stun, astound, stagger.
5. Appall, terrify, affright, frighten, dismay, horrify.
**Shock,** *a.* Shaggy, matted, shagged.
**Shocking,** *a.* I. Repulsive, offensive, hateful, detestable, execrable, obnoxious, odious, disgusting, revolting, repugnant, disgraceful, loathsome, foul, abominable.
2. Dreadful, terrible, horrid, horrible, fearful, frightful, dire, horrific, awful, tremendous, hideous, monstrous, ghastly, grim, appalling.

**Shoemaker,** *n.* Crispin.
**Shoe-string,** *n.* Shoe-tie, shoe-latchet.
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**Shooks,** *n. pl.* Staves.
**Shoot,** *v. a.* 1. Let fly, propel.
2. Fire, discharge, let off.
3. Propel, expel, discharge, send forth.
4. Hit *or* kill by a missile.
5. Protrude, dart forth, thrust forward.
6. Streak, variegate, dot.
7. Extend, put forth, thrust forth, send forth.
8. Dart, emit.
**Shoot,** *v. n.* 1. Fire, discharge a missile.
2. Pass, fly, dart.
3. Bud, sprout, germinate.
4. Project, jut, stretch, push, protuberate.
5. Advance, make progress.
**Shoot,** *n.* 1. Sprout, branch, twig, scion, offshoot.
2. Shot, discharge.
3. [Written also *Shote*, *Shoat*.] Young swine.
**Shoot up.** Grow, increase, spring up, run up, grow up, start up.
**Shop,** *n.* 1. Store.
2. Workshop.
**Shopkeeper,** *n.* Tradesman, shopman, retail trader, storekeeper.
**Shoplifter,** *n.* Shop-thief.
**Shopman,** *n.* See SHOPKEEPER.
**Shop-thief,** *n.* Shoplifter.
**Shore,** *n.* 1. Coast, beach, strand, sea-board, sea-side, sea-coast.
2. [Written also *Shoar*.] Prop, support, stay, brace, buttress.
**Shores,** *n.* Saul-tree.
**Shore up.** Prop, support, prop up.
**Shorn,** *a.* 1. Cut off.
2. Deprived.
**Short,** *a.* 1. Brief.
2. Near, direct, straight.
3. Compendious, succinct, concise, condensed, terse, pithy, sententious, laconic, curt, brief.
4. Abrupt, sharp, pointed, petulant, curt, brief, severe, uncivil.
5. Deficient, defective, inadequate, scanty, insufficient, imperfect.
6. Narrow, limited, contracted.
7. Lacking, wanting, destitute.
8. Brittle, friable, crumbling.
9. (*Cookery.*) Crisp.
**Short,** *ad.* Suddenly, abruptly, at once.
**Short-coming,** *n.* 1. Deficiency.
2. Slip, fault, error, failing, defect, weakness, deficiency, imperfection, failure.
**Shorten,** *v. a.* 1. Abbreviate, abridge, cut short, curtail.
2. Lessen, diminish, reduce, abridge.
3. Curtail, cut off.
4. Contract, lessen, diminish, retrench.
5. Confine, restrain, restrict, hinder.
6. Deprive, lop.
**Shortening,** *n.* 1. Abbreviation, curtailment, abridgment, contraction, reduction, retrenchment, diminution.
2. Fat, fatty substance.
**Short-hand,** *n.* Stenography, brachygraphy, tachygraphy.
**Short-lived,** *a.* Transient, ephemeral, mushroom, transitory.
**Shortly,** *ad.* 1. Soon, quickly, in a short time, in a little time.
2. Briefly, concisely, tersely, succinctly, in a few words.
**Shortness,** *n.* 1. Brevity, conciseness, terseness.
2. Deficiency, imperfection, poverty.
**Short-sighted,** *a.* 1. Myopic, purblind, near-sighted.
2. Inconsiderate, imprudent, indiscreet.
**Short-sightedness,** *n.* 1. Myopy, myopia, near-sightedness.
2. Imprudence, indiscretion.
**Short-witted,** *a.* Unintelligent, shallow, stupid, dull, stolid, foolish, doltish, simple, weak-headed, weak-minded, feeble-minded, half-witted, shallow-brained, dull-witted, blunt-witted.
**Shot,** *n.* 1. Discharge.
2. Ball, bullet, missile, projectile.
3. Marksman, shooter.
4. Range, reach.
5. Young hog. See SHOTE.
**Shot,** *a.* 1. Chatoyant, iridescent, irisated.
2. Interwoven, interspersed, intermingled.
**Shote,** *n.* [Written also *Shoat*, *Shoot*, *Shot*.] Pig, young hog.
**Shot-free,** *a.* Unpunished, acquitted.
**Shoulder,** *n.* Projection, protuberance.
**Shoulder-belt,** *n.* Baldric.
**Shoulder-blade,** *n.* Shoulder-bone, blade-bone, omoplate, scapula.
**Shout,** *v. n.* Exclaim, vociferate, halloo, hollo, holla, cry out.
**Shout,** *n.* Halloo, holla, huzza, hoot, loud cry, loud call, outcry, clamor, vociferation, roar.
**Shove,** *v. a.* 1. Push, propel.
2. Jostle, push aside, press against.
**Shove away.** Thrust off.
**Shove by.** Push away.
**Shove down.** Overthrow.
**Shove off.** Thrust away, push away.
**Show,** *v. a.* 1. Exhibit, display, present to view.
2. Exhibit to, point out to.
3. Indicate, point out.
4. Disclose, divulge, proclaim, publish, explain, unfold, reveal, discover, make known, make clear.
5. Prove, manifest, demonstrate, evince, evidence.
6. Conduct, guide, usher.
7. Bestow, confer, grant, afford.
8. Teach, instruct, inform.
9. Explain, expound, interpret, make clear, elucidate.
**Show,** *v. n.* 1. Appear, become visible.
2. Appear, look, seem.
**Show,** *n.* 1. Spectacle, exhibition, sight, representation.
2. Parade, ostentation, flourish, dash, pomp, pageantry, splendor, display, ceremony.
3. Semblance, resemblance, likeness, external appearance.
4. Pretence, pretext, color, mask, simulation, speciousness, plausibility, illusion.
**Showery,** *a.* Rainy, wet.
**Show fight.** Take the offensive, lay about one.
**Show off.** 1. (*Active.*) Exhibit (*ostentatiously*), display, make a parade of, set off.
2. (*Neuter.*) Make a show, display one's self, put on airs.
**Show up.** Expose.
**Showy,** *a.* 1. Gaudy, flashy, gay, glaring, gairish, flaunting, gorgeous, splendid, fine, dressy, jaunty, airy, bedizened, pranked out, tinsel.
2. Grand, stately, ostentatious, pompous, magnificent, sumptuous.
**Shred,** *n.* 1. Strip.
2. Scrap, fragment, bit, piece, flitter, tatter, rag, strip.
**Shrew,** *n.* 1. Brawler, scold, termagant, vixen, virago, fury, turbulent woman.
2. Shrew-mouse.
**Shrewd,** *a.* 1. Evil, iniquitous, bad.
2. Vixenish, scolding, shrewish.
3. Vexatious, annoying, troublesome, painful, mischievous, malicious.

4. Artful, cunning, sly, wily, subtle, crafty, arch, astute, Machiavelian.
5. Sagacious, acute, sharp, quick, discriminating, astute, sensible, sharp-sighted, penetrating, keen, ingenious, discerning, intelligent, deep, profound, astute.

**Shrewdness,** *n.* I. Cunning, archness, artfulness, subtlety, craft, astuteness, slyness, art, address, skill, policy.
2. Sagacity, acumen, acuteness, perspicacity, sharpness, keenness, ingenuity, discernment, penetration, intelligence, mother-wit.

**Shrewish,** *a.* Froward, peevish, petulant, scolding, brawling, clamorous, vixenish.

**Shrew-mouse,** *n.* Shrew.

**Shriek,** *v. n.* Scream, screech, yell.

**Shriek,** *n.* Scream, screech, yell, shrill cry.

**Shrike,** *n.* Butcher-bird (*Lanius excubitor*).

**Shrill,** *a.* Acute, sharp, high, high-toned, high-pitched, piercing.

**Shrine,** *n.* I. Reliquary, sacred tomb.
2. Altar, sacred place, sacred object, hallowed place.

**Shrink,** *v. n.* I. Shrivel, contract, decrease, dwindle, wither.
2. Recoil, blench, flinch, withdraw, retire, swerve, draw back, give way.

**Shrink from.** Abhor, nauseate, abominate, loathe, detest, feel disgust at, recoil from.

**Shrivel,** *v. a.* Parch, dry, dry up.

**Shrivel,** *v. n.* Shrink, contract, dwindle, wither, decrease, wrinkle.

**Shroud,** *n.* I. Garment, covering.
2. Winding-sheet, grave-clothes.

**Shroud,** *v. a.* Cover, hide, veil, mask, cloak, screen, bury, muffle, protect, shelter, conceal.

**Shrub,** *n.* Bush, low tree, dwarf-tree.

**Shrubby,** *a.* Bushy.

**Shrunk,** *a.* Shrivelled, withered, dwindled, contracted.

**Shudder,** *v. n.* Tremble, shake, quake, quiver, shiver.

**Shudder,** *n.* Tremor, shuddering, shaking, trembling.

**Shuddering,** *n.* Trembling, tremor, horror.

**Shuffle,** *v. a.* Confuse, jumble, mix, shift, intermix, throw into disorder.

**Shuffle,** *v. n.* I. Prevaricate, quibble, equivocate, cavil, dodge, palter, evade, sophisticate.
2. Struggle, shift, make shift.

**Shuffle,** *n.* Trick, quibble, prevarication, cavil, sophism, evasion, artifice, fraud, shuffling, subterfuge, pretence, pretext, *ruse*.

**Shuffle off.** Push off, discard, get rid of.

**Shuffling,** *a.* Quibbling, prevaricating, evasive, disingenuous.

**Shuffling,** *n.* Trick, artifice, duplicity, fraud.

**Shun,** *v. a.* I. Avoid (*in a positive sense* or *denoting positive exertion*), evade, escape, elude, eschew, get clear of, get out of the way of, escape from.
2. Decline, neglect.

**Shunt,** *v. a.* [*Eng.*] Switch (*from one set of rails to another*).

**Shut,** *v. a.* I. Close, close up.
2. Enclose, confine, imprison, shut up, coop up, lock up, close the door upon.
3. Prohibit, bar, close.
4. Preclude, exclude.

**Shut in.** Enclose, confine.

**Shut off.** Exclude, intercept.

**Shut out.** Exclude.

**Shut up.** I. Shut, close up.
2. Confine, lock up, enclose, imprison, lock in, fasten in.
3. Terminate, conclude, end.
4. Unite

**Shy,** *a.* I. Timid.
2. Coy, reserved, diffident, timid, retiring, shrinking.
3. Cautious, wary, heedful, chary.
4. Suspicious, jealous.

**Shy,** *n.* I. Sudden start (*as of a horse*).
2. (*Colloq.*) Fling, throw.

**Shy,** *v. a.* Fling, throw, jerk, cast, toss, flirt, hurl, chuck, pitch, sling (*colloq.*).

**Shy,** *v. n.* Sheer, start aside.

**Sibilant,** *a.* Hissing, sibilous.

**Sibyl,** *n.* Prophetess, sorceress, fortune-teller, witch.

**Siccative,** *a.* Drying.

**Siccity,** *n.* Dryness, aridity, want of moisture.

**Sice,** *n.* Six (*at dice*).

**Sick,** *a.* I. Ill, indisposed, ailing, unwell, laid up.
2. Nauseated, affected with nausea, sick at the stomach, inclined to vomit.
3. Disgusted, tired, weary
4. Diseased, weak, morbid, unsound, distempered, disordered, feeble.
5. Pining, languishing, longing.

**Sicken,** *v. a.* I. Disease, make sick.
2. Nauseate, make sick, turn one's stomach, make qualmish.
3. Disgust, weary.

**Sicken,** *v. n.* I. Become sick, fall sick, fall ill.
2. Be disgusted, feel disgust, become qualmish.
3. Decay, languish, become weak, become distempered.

**Sickening,** *a.* I. Nauseating, nauseous, sickish, palling.
2. Disgusting, distasteful, repulsive, revolting, foul, loathsome, offensive.

**Sickish,** *a.* Nauseating, nauseous, sickening.

**Sickle,** *n.* Reaping-hook.

**Sickle-shaped,** *a.* Falcate, falcated, hooked.

**Sickliness,** *n.* Unhealthiness, insalubrity.

**Sickly,** *a.* Weak, languid, faint, feeble, ailing, languishing, unhealthy, diseased, infirm, weakly, morbid, valetudinary.

**Sickness,** *n.* I. Illness, disease, disorder, distemper, malady, complaint, ail, ailment, indisposition.
2. Nausea, qualmishness.

**Side,** *n.* I. Verge, margin, edge, border.
2. Party, sect, faction, interest.

**Side,** *a.* I. Lateral.
2. Indirect, oblique.

**Side,** *v. n.* Take sides, espouse a cause.

**Side-board,** *n.* Buffet.

**Side by side.** Abreast, alongside, by the side (*of one another*).

**Side-face,** *n.* Profile.

**Sideling,** *a.* Sloping, inclined, oblique.

**Sideling,** *ad.* See SIDEWISE.

**Sidelong,** *a.* Lateral, oblique.

**Sidelong,** *ad.* I. Laterally, obliquely.
2. On the side

**Sidereal,** *a.* Starry, stellar, astral.

**Side-saddle-flower,** *n.* Pitcher-plant, huntsman's cup.

**Sidewalk,** *n.* Footway (*at the side of a street*), footpath.

**Sideways,** *ad.* Laterally, sidewise.

**Sidewise,** *ad.* Laterally, sideways, sideling.

**Siege,** *n.* Investment.

**Siesta,** *n.* [Sp.] Nap (*after dinner*)

**Sieve,** *n.* Bolt.

**Sift,** *v. a.* I. Bolt.
2. Separate, part.
3. Scrutinize, probe, fathom, sound, try, analyze, investigate, canvass, discuss, examine critically, look into, follow up, inquire into.

**Sigh,** *n.* Long breath.

**Sigh,** *v. n.* Grieve, mourn, complain, lament.

**Sight,** *n.* I. Perception, view, ken, cognizance.
2. Vision, sense of sight.
3. Open view, visibility.
4. Knowledge, view, estimation, consideration.
5. Spectacle, show, exhibition, representation.
6. Inspection, examination.
7. Eye *or* eyes.
**Sight,** *v. a.* See, perceive, get sight of.
**Sightless,** *a.* Blind, eyeless, unseeing.
**Sightly,** *a.* I. Conspicuous, prominent, exposed to view.
2. Comely, handsome, beautiful.
**Sign,** *n.* I. Token, mark, note, indication, proof, index, symptom, manifestation, symbol, emblem.
2. Signal, beacon.
3. Prodigy, wonder, miracle, portent, augury, presage, prognostic, auspice, foreboding, omen.
4. Symbol, type.
5. Cognizance, note.
6. Signature.
**Sign,** *v. a.* I. Signify, indicate.
2. Subscribe, put one's name to, affix one's signature to.
**Signal,** *n.* Token, mark, indication, sign.
**Signal,** *a.* Eminent, memorable, extraordinary, remarkable, notable, conspicuous.
**Signal-fire,** *n.* Beacon.
**Signalize,** *v a.* Distinguish, celebrate, make memorable.
**Signature,** *n.* I. Stamp, mark, sign.
2. Sign-manual.
**Signet,** *n.* Seal (*especially of a sovereign*).
**Significance,** } *n.* I. Meaning, import, purport,
**Significancy,** } sense.
2. Importance, consequence, weight, moment.
3. Expressiveness, impressiveness, force, energy.
**Significant,** *a.* I. Betokening, indicative, expressive, signifying, significative.
2. Important, weighty, momentous.
3. Forcible, eminently expressive.
**Signification,** *n.* I. Expression.
2. Meaning, sense, import, purport, acceptation.
**Signify,** *v. a.* I. Express, communicate, intimate, indicate, betoken.
2. Denote, betoken, mean, imply, purport, import.
3. Declare, proclaim, impart, announce, give notice of, manifest, utter, make known.
4. Indicate, betoken, suggest as being intended, represent.
5. Weigh, matter, import.
**Signify,** *v. n.* Import, matter, be of importance, be of consequence.
**Sign-manual,** *n.* Signature.
**Silence,** *n.* I. Stillness, noiselessness, quiet, calm, peace.
2. Taciturnity, muteness, dumbness.
3. Oblivion, obscurity.
4. Secrecy.
**Silence,** *v. a.* I. Still, hush, put to silence.
2. Allay, quiet, calm, put to rest, put an end to.
**Silence,** *interj.* Hush, whist, soft, tush, chut, tut, be still, be silent, hold your tongue.
**Silent,** *a.* I. Still, noiseless, quiet, calm.
2. Mute, dumb, speechless.
3. Taciturn
4. Inactive, calm, undisturbed.
5. Quiescent.
6. Dormant.
**Silex,** *n.* Silica, silicic acid, quartz, flint, oxide of silicon.
**Silica,** *n.* See SILEX.
**Silicic acid.** See SILEX
**Silicite,** *n.* (*Min.*) Labradorite, Labrador spar.
**Silken,** *a.* Silky, soft.
**Silkiness,** *n.* I. Smoothness, softness.
2. Effeminacy, pusillanimity.
**Silk-weed,** *n.* Milk-weed, wild cotton.
**Silky,** *a.* Silken.
**Sill,** *n.* I. Lower piece of a frame (*as of a door* or *a window*).
2. Ground-sill, ground-plate.
**Silliness,** *n.* Simplicity, folly.
**Silly,** *a.* I. Senseless, witless, stupid, foolish, simple, weak, childish, inept, weak-minded, brainless, shallow.
2. Absurd, trifling, frivolous, extravagant, preposterous, nonsensical, unwise, indiscreet, imprudent.
**Silt,** *n.* Sediment, deposit, alluvium.
**Silvan,** *a.* Woody. See SYLVAN
**Silver,** *a.* I. Silvery, of silver, silvern.
2. White, bright, of the color of silver, silvery.
3. Soft and clear (*as sound*), mellifluous, euphonious, not harsh.
4. Gentle, quiet, peaceful, sweet.
**Silvery,** *a.* See SILVER.
**Similar,** *a.* I. Like, resembling.
2. Homogeneous, uniform.
**Similarity,** *n.* Likeness, resemblance, parallelism, analogy, correspondence, parity.
**Simile,** *n.* Similitude, comparison, metaphor.
**Similitude,** *n.* I. Likeness, resemblance, image.
2. Simile, comparison, metaphor.
**Simious,** *a.* Monkey-like, ape-like.
**Simitar,** *n.* See SCYMITAR and CIMETER.
**Simmer,** *v. n.* Boil (*gently*), seethe, stew, bubble.
**Simmering,** *a.* Boiling, piping.
**Simoom,** } *n.* Samiel, khamsin, harmattan.
**Simoon,** }
**Simous,** *a.* Snub-nosed, flat-nosed.
**Simper,** *v. n.* Smile (*affectedly*), smirk.
**Simper,** *n.* Smirk, affected smile.
**Simple,** *a.* I. Single, uncombined, unmingled, uncompounded, unmixed, elementary, bare, mere, incomplex, unblended.
2. Plain, unadorned, unstudied, unaffected, unvarnished, natural, chaste, neat, unembellished.
3. Artless, undesigning, sincere, unaffected, unconstrained, frank, open, downright, inartificial, plain, single-minded, unsophisticated, straightforward, true, simple-hearted, simple-minded, *naïve*.
4. Silly, foolish, weak, credulous, shallow, unwise, unsophisticated, homely
5. Unmistakable, clear, intelligible.
**Simple,** *n.* Medicinal plant.
**Simple-hearted,** *a.* Ingenuous, frank, open, artless, single-hearted, simple.
**Simple-minded,** *a.* See SIMPLE-HEARTED.
**Simplicity,** *n.* I. Plainness, naturalness, chasteness, neatness.
2. Artlessness, sincerity, frankness, openness, truth, harmlessness.
3. Plainness, clearness.
4. Silliness, folly, weakness.
**Simply,** *ad.* I. Plainly, artlessly, sincerely, truly.
2. Alone, absolutely.
3. Merely, barely, solely, of itself.
4. Weakly, foolishly.
**Simulate,** *v. a.* Feign, counterfeit, act, sham, affect, pretend, assume.
**Simulation,** *n.* Feigning, counterfeiting, personation, pretence.
**Sin,** *n.* I. Offence (*against the divine law*), transgression, iniquity, unrighteousness, wickedness, moral depravity, wrong, delinquency.
2. Offence, transgression.
**Sin,** *v. n.* Trespass, do wrong, transgress.

**Sinapism,** *n.* Mustard plaster, mustard poultice.
**Since,** *conj.* Because, as, considering, seeing that, because that, inasmuch as.
**Since,** *ad.* 1. Ago, before this.
2. From that time.
**Since,** *prep.* After, from the time of, subsequently to.
**Sincere,** *a.* 1. Pure, unmixed.
2. True, real, unfeigned, genuine, unaffected, unvarnished, inartificial, honest.
3. Honest, ingenuous, open, frank, candid, hearty, undissembling, artless, guileless, single, truthful, true, upright, direct, plain.
**Sincerely,** *ad.* 1. Perfectly, purely.
2. Honestly, unfeignedly.
**Sincerity,** *n.* Honesty, ingenuousness, candor, frankness, artlessness, guilelessness, probity, veracity, truth, truthfulness, genuineness, earnestness.
**Sinciput,** *n.* (*Anat.*) Bregma, top of the head.
**Sine qua non.** [L.] Necessity, necessary, requisite, essential, indispensable thing, indispensable condition.
**Sinew,** *n.* 1. Tendon.
2. Muscle, nerve, brawn.
3. Strength.
**Sinewy,** *a.* Muscular, brawny, athletic, nervous, vigorous, firm, stalwart, strapping, robust, powerful, sturdy, strong, Herculean, able-bodied, made of iron.
**Sinful,** *a.* Wicked, unrighteous, iniquitous, unholy, wrong, immoral, depraved, criminal, mischievous, bad.
**Sinfulness,** *n.* Wickedness, depravity, unrighteousness, iniquity, unholiness, criminality, ungodliness, irreligion, moral corruption.
**Sing,** *v. n.* Carol, chant, warble.
**Sing,** *v. a.* Carol, chant, warble, hum, hymn, celebrate in song.
**Singe,** *v. a.* Scorch, burn (*slightly*).
**Singer,** *n.* Chanter, songster, vocalist, minstrel.
**Single,** *a.* 1. Sole, one only.
2. Particular, individual, separate.
3. Unmarried, unwedded.
4. Pure, simple, unmixed, uncompounded.
5. Alone, solitary, isolated.
6. Sincere, uncorrupt, unbiassed, upright, ingenuous, simple, honest
**Single,** *v. a.* Choose, select, single out.
**Single-handed,** *a.* Alone, unaided, unassisted, by one's self.
**Single life.** Celibacy, unmarried state.
**Single-minded,** *a.* Ingenuous, guileless, sincere, candid, artless.
**Singleness,** *n.* 1. Unity, individuality.
2. Purity, simplicity.
3. Sincerity, integrity, uprightness, ingenuousness.
4. Celibacy, single blessedness.
**Single out.** Choose, select, single, pick.
**Single-tree,** *n.* Whiffle-tree, whipple-tree.
**Singly,** *ad.* 1. Individually, particularly, separately.
2. Only.
3. Honestly, sincerely.
**Singular,** *a.* 1. Single, individual.
2. Single, uncompounded, not complex.
3. Unusual, uncommon, rare, unwonted, strange, extraordinary, remarkable, peculiar.
4. Particular, peculiar, exceptional, unexampled, unparalleled, remarkable, unprecedented, unaccountable, strange.
5. Remarkable, eminent, unusual, rare, extraordinary, exceptional.
6. Unique.
7. Peculiar, odd, eccentric, queer, fantastic, *bizarre.*
**Singularity,** *n.* 1. Uncommonness, rareness, rarity, strangeness, oddness, abnormity, aberration, irregularity.
2. Peculiarity, particularity, idiosyncrasy, individuality.
3. Eccentricity, oddity, queerness, strangeness.
4. Celibacy.
**Sinister,** *a.* 1. Left, on the left hand.
2. Unlucky, inauspicious, unfortunate, untoward, disastrous, injurious.
3. Wrong, bad, evil, perverse, corrupt, wicked, sinful, criminal, dishonest.
**Sink,** *v. n.* 1. Fall (*gradually*), subside, descend, go down, go to the bottom.
2. Fall slowly, drop, droop.
3. Penetrate, enter.
4. Be depressed, be overwhelmed.
5. Decline, decrease, decay, dwindle, lose strength, give way.
**Sink,** *v. a.* 1. Merge, submerge, submerse, immerse, engulf.
2. Dig, excavate, scoop out.
3. Depress, degrade, lower, abase, debase, diminish, lessen, bring down, let down.
4. Ruin, destroy, waste, overthrow, overwhelm, swamp.
5. Depress, overbear, crush.
6. Reduce, bring low.
**Sink,** *n.* Drain, sewer.
**Sinking,** *a.* Falling, subsiding, depressing, declining.
**Sinless,** *a.* 1. Guileless, innocent, spotless, faultless, immaculate, impeccable, unblemished, untarnished, undefiled, unsullied.
2. Pure, perfect.
**Sinlessness,** *n.* Faultlessness, immaculateness, innocence, purity, impeccability.
**Sinner,** *n.* Offender, delinquent, criminal, wrongdoer, evil-doer, wicked person.
**Sinuate,** } *a.* See SINUOUS.
**Sinuated,** }
**Sinuosity,** *n.* Curvature, flexure, crook, winding, tortuosity, sinus.
**Sinuous,** *a.* Winding, crooked, curved, curvilinear, curvilineal, sinuate, sinuated, serpentine, flexuous, bending in and out.
**Sinus,** *n.* [L.] 1. Bay, recess.
2. Hollow, opening, bending, sinuosity.
3. (*Surg.*) Fistula.
4. (*Bot.*) Hollow.
5. (*Conch.*) Groove, cavity.
**Sip,** *v. a.* 1. Drink (*a little at a time*), sup.
2. Absorb, drink in (*in small quantities*).
3. Extract, suck up.
**Sip,** *n.* Taste, small draught.
**Sire,** *n.* 1. (*Poetical.*) Father, progenitor.
2. Male parent (*of a beast*).
**Siren,** *n.* 1. Mermaid.
2. [Written also *Syren.*] Tempter, seducer, Circe, bewitching *or* fascinating woman.
3. (*Zool.*) Mud iguana, mud-eel.
**Siren,** *a.* Alluring, seducing, tempting, bewitching, fascinating.
**Siriasis,** *n.* [L.] (*Med.*) Sun-stroke, insolation, stroke of the sun, *coup-de-soleil.*
**Sirius,** *n.* Canicula, dog-star.
**Siskin,** *n.* Aberdevine (*Fringilla spinus*).
**Sit,** *v. n.* 1. Be seated, have a seat.
2. Perch (*as a bird*).
3. Stay, be, remain.
4. Rest, remain, repose, abide.
5. Rest, lie, bear on.
6. Dwell, settle, rest, abide, be placed, have a seat.
7. Brood (*as fowls*), incubate.
8. Fit, be adjusted, suit, become, be suited.
9. Hold a session, be convened.

**Site,** *n.* Place, situation, locality, location, position, seat, station.
**Sitting,** *n.* Session.
**Situation,** *n.* I. Place, locality, station, location, site, position, seat, ground, spot.
2. Condition, state, plight, case, predicament, category, circumstances.
3. Post, station, office, employment, place.
**Six-sided,** *a.* Hexahedral, cubic.
**Size,** *n.* I. Bigness, greatness, magnitude, bulk, volume, dimensions, largeness.
2. Sizing, weak glue, glutinous substance.
**Sizing,** *n.* Size, weak glue.
**Skald,** *n.* [Written also *Scald.*] Ancient Scandinavian bard.
**Skein,** *n.* Knot.
**Skeleton,** *n.* I. Framework
2. Sketch, outline, draught, rough draught.
**Skeptic,** *n.* [Written also *Sceptic.*] I. Doubter, disbeliever.
2. Deist, infidel, unbeliever, free-thinker.
**Skeptical,** *a.* [Written also *Sceptical.*] Doubting, disbelieving, incredulous.
**Skepticism,** *n.* [Written also *Scepticism.*] I. Doubt, incredulity, Pyrrhonism.
2. Unbelief, infidelity, free-thinking.
**Sketch,** *n.* Outline, drawing, delineation, plan, skeleton, rough draught, first draught, design in outline.
**Sketch,** *v. a.* I. Draw (*in outline*), chalk out, make a rough draught of, design, draught
2. Depict, delineate, represent, portray, paint.
**Sketchy,** *a.* Incomplete, unfinished.
**Skilful,** *a.* Skilled, well-versed, versed, conversant, proficient, learned, knowing, intelligent, ingenious, competent, able, clever, qualified, practised, trained, initiated, prepared, accomplished, expert, adept, dexterous, adroit, apt, handy, ready, quick, masterly.
**Skilfully,** *ad.* Ably, cleverly, well, dexterously, expertly, *secundum artem.*
**Skilfulness,** *n.* Dexterity, dexterousness, expertness.
**Skill,** *n.* I. Skilfulness, dexterity dexterousness, aptness, adroitness, readiness, facility, expertness, cleverness, quickness, knack, address, ingenuity, ability, art, aptitude.
2. Discrimination, discernment, understanding, wit, knowledge
**Skilled,** *a.* See SKILFUL.
**Skim,** *v. n.* Pass lightly *or* superficially.
**Skin,** *n.* I. Hide, pelt, derm, *cutis.*
2. Husk, hull, peel, rind.
**Skin,** *v. a.* I. Flay, excoriate, peel.
2. Peel, pare.
3. Cover with a skin *or* crust.
**Skin-deep,** *a.* Superficial, slight.
**Skin-flint,** *n.* Miser, niggard, churl, hunks, scrimp, screw, curmudgeon, lick-penny, sordid wretch.
**Skin-like,** *a.* Dermatoid.
**Skinny,** *a.* Lean, poor, thin, lank, shrunk, emaciated, shrivelled.
**Skip,** *v. n.* Leap, jump, bound, spring, hop, caper.
**Skip,** *v. a.* Disregard, omit, neglect, miss, skip over, pass without notice.
**Skip,** *n.* Leap, jump, bound, spring, hop, caper.
**Skip over.** Disregard, skip.
**Skipper,** *n.* I. Master (*of a small vessel*), sea-captain.
2. (*Ich.*) Saury-pike (*Scomberesox saurus*).
3. (*Ent.*) Cheese maggot.
**Skirmish,** *n.* Fight (*of slight consequence*), battle, collision, conflict, combat, brush, affair, contest, contention.
**Skirt,** *n.* I. Flap, loose part (*of a garment below the waist*).
2. Petticoat.
3. Edge, border, margin, verge, rim, extreme part.
**Skirt,** *v. a.* Border, from the border *or* edge of.
**Skirting,** *n.* Skirting-board.
**Skirting-board,** *n.* Washboard, skirting, mop-board, surbase, baseboard
**Skittish,** *a.* I. Shy (*as a horse*), timid, timorous, easily frightened.
2. Hasty, volatile, wanton.
3. Changeable, inconstant, fickle.
**Skittishly,** *ad.* Shyly, wantonly, changeably.
**Skittishness,** *n.* I. Shyness, timidity.
2. Fickleness, wantonness, inconstancy.
**Skittles,** *n. pl.* Ninepins.
**Skulk,** *v. n.* Lurk, hide, sneak, slink, lie hid.
**Skulker,** *n.* Lurker, shirk, sneak, mean fellow.
**Skull,** *n.* I. Cranium, brain-pan.
2. Brain.
**Skunk-blackbird,** *n.* See SKUNK-BIRD.
**Skunk-bird,** *n.* Bobolink, rice-bird, skunk-blackbird (*Emberiza oryzivora*).
**Skunk-cabbage,** *n.* Swamp-cabbage (*Symplocarpus fœtidus*), skunk-weed.
**Skunk-weed,** *n.* See SKUNK-CABBAGE.
**Sky,** *n.* I. Firmament, heavens, canopy of heaven, celestial expanse.
2. Region of clouds.
3. Weather, climate.
**Sky-blue,** *a.* Cerulean, azure, sky-colored, sapphire.
**Sky-color,** *n.* Azure, blue, sapphire.
**Skyey,** *a.* Ethereal.
**Skylark,** *n.* Laverock (*Alauda arvensis*).
**Skylarking,** *n.* Frolicking, sporting, carousing.
**Slab,** *a.* Thick, viscous, slimy.
**Slab,** *n.* Slime, puddle, mud.
**Slabber,** *v. a.* Slaver, slobber.
**Slabber,** *v. n.* [Written also *Slobber.*] I. Slaver, drivel.
2. Shed, spill, drop, let fall.
**Slabber,** *n.* Slaver, slobber.
**Slabberer,** *n.* Idiot, driveller, slaverer.
**Slabbery,** *a.* Slippery, wet, sloppy.
**Slabby,** *a.* I. Viscous, sticky, glutinous, thick.
2. Wet, slimy, muddy, sloppy, miry.
**Slack,** *a.* I. Backward, remiss, careless, negligent.
2. Slow, tardy, dilatory, lingering, abated, diminished.
3. Loose, relaxed.
4. Weak, remiss.
5. Dull, idle, quiet, inactive.
**Slack,** *ad.* Partially, insufficiently, imperfectly.
**Slack,** *v. n.* See SLACKEN.
**Slack,** *v. a.* I. See SLACKEN.
2. Slake (*as lime*).
**Slacked-lime,** *n.* Hydrate of lime.
**Slacken,** *v. n.* I. Slack, abate, become less intense, be diminished.
2. Become loose *or* slack, be made less tight *or* tense, relax.
3. Neglect, be remiss, be backward, fail.
4. Become slow.
5. Languish, flag, fall.
**Slacken,** *v. a.* I. Retard, slack, moderate, make slower.
2. Loosen, relax, make less tight *or* tense, lessen the tension of.
3. Lessen, diminish, abate, mitigate, remit, relieve.
4. Relax, neglect, be remiss in, defer, put off.
5. Abate, lower, make less.
6. Withhold, use less liberally.
7. Repress, check, restrain, curb, bridle, control.
**Slackly,** *ad.* I. Loosely.

2. Negligently, remissly, carelessly, tardily.
**Slackness,** *n.* 1. Looseness.
2 Remissness, negligence, inattention.
3. Slowness, tardiness, want of tendency.
4. Weakness, feebleness, slowness.
**Slag,** *n.* Refuse, dross, recrement, cinders, scoria.
**Slake,** *v. a.* 1. Quench, extinguish, allay, abate, decrease, slacken.
2. Slack (*as lime*).
**Slake,** *v. n.* 1. Desist, fail, go out, be quenched, become extinct.
2. Abate, decrease, become less decided.
**Slakeless,** *a.* Quenchless, inextinguishable, insatiable
**Slam,** *v. a* Bang, shut with noise.
**Slander,** *v. a.* 1. Defame, calumniate, vilify, scandalize, decry, reproach, malign, traduce, brand, blacken, asperse, backbite, libel, belie.
2. Disparage, detract from
**Slander,** *n.* 1 Defamation, aspersion, detraction, calumny, backbiting, scandal, obloquy.
2. Libel, calumny.
**Slanderer,** *n.* Calumniator, backbiter, libeller, defamer, traducer, maligner, detractor.
**Slanderous,** *a.* 1. Calumnious, defamatory, libellous, false and malicious.
2. Backbiting, maligning, calumnious, false and malicious.
**Slang,** *n.* Cant, low language, inelegant expression, unauthorized language.
**Slant,** *a.* See SLANTING.
**Slant,** *n.* Slope.
**Slant,** *v. n.* Slope, lean, incline, lie obliquely.
**Slanting,** *a.* Inclining, sloping, oblique, slant.
**Slap,** *n.* Blow (*with something broad*), clap.
**Slap,** *ad* (*Colloq.*). With a slap, plumply, quickly, instantly
**Slap,** *v. a.* Strike (*with something broad*), dab, pat, spank.
**Slap-dash,** *ad.* (*Colloq.*) In a hurry, in a hurry, skurry, without forethought, at hap-hazard, at random.
**Slash,** *v. a.* 1. Slit.
2. Crack, snap, smack.
**Slash,** *n.* Slit, long cut.
**Slashed,** *a.* 1. Slit, cut.
2. (*Bot.*) Laciniate, multifid, jagged.
**Slattern,** *n.* Slut, drab, draggletail, slovenly woman.
**Slattern,** *a.* Slovenly, slatternly, sluttish.
**Slatternly,** *a* Slovenly, slattern, untidy, uncleanly, dirty, sluttish.
**Slatternly,** *ad.* Negligently, carelessly, sluttishly, untidily, in a slovenly manner.
**Slaty,** *a.* Laminated, laminar, schistous, schistose
**Slaughter,** *n* 1. Massacre, murder, carnage, bloodshed, butchery, havoc, killing, slaying.
2. Butchery, killing
**Slaughter,** *v. a.* 1. Massacre, slay, kill, murder, butcher.
2. Butcher, kill.
**Slaughterer,** *n.* 1. Murderer, assassin, slayer, killer, butcher, cut-throat, destroyer.
2. Butcher.
**Slaughter-house,** *n.* *A battoir.*
**Slave,** *n.* 1. Bondman, bond-servant, bond-slave, captive, vassal, henchman, dependant.
2. Drudge.
3. [Written also *Sclav*, *Sclavonian*, *Sclavonic*, *Sclavic*.] Slav, Slavonian, Slavonic, Slavic.
**Slave,** *v. n.* Drudge, toil, moil.
**Slaver,** *n.* Drivel, slabber, slobber.
**Slaver,** *v. n.* Slabber, slobber, drivel.
**Slaverer,** *n.* Idiot, driveller, slabberer.
**Slavery,** *n.* 1. Bondage, servitude, thraldom, enthralment, enslavement, captivity, bond-service, vassalage.
2. Drudgery, mean labor.
**Slavic,** *a.* [Spelled also *Sclavic*, *Sclavonian*.] Slavonic, Slavonian.
**Slavish,** *a.* 1. Servile, low, mean, base, cringing, obsequious, fawning, supple, grovelling, sycophantic, abject, sneaking, beggarly, base-minded, low-minded.
2. Drudging, laborious, menial, servile.
**Slavonian,** } *a.* [Written also *Sclavonian*, *Sclavonic*.] Slav, Slavic.
**Slavonic,** }
**Slay,** *v. a.* 1. Kill, slaughter, murder, massacre, despatch, butcher, assassinate.
2. Destroy, ruin, put an end to.
**Slayer,** *n.* Killer, murderer, destroyer, slaughterer, assassin.
**Sleazy,** *a.* Thin, flimsy, weak, poor.
**Sled,** *n.* See SLEDGE.
**Sledge,** *n.* 1. [*Eng.*] Sled.
2. Sleigh.
3. Sledge-hammer.
**Sledge-hammer,** *n.* Sledge, ironsmith's hammer, smith's hammer.
**Sleek,** *a.* Smooth, glossy, silken, silky, satin.
**Sleek,** *v. a.* 1. Smooth, make even
2. Soothe, appease, calm, tranquillize.
**Sleekly,** *ad.* Smoothly, glossily, nicely, evenly.
**Sleep,** *v. n.* 1. Slumber, rest, repose, doze, drowse, nap.
2. Rest, be still, be motionless.
3. Be dead, lie in the grave.
4. Be thoughtless, be heedless, be careless.
**Sleep,** *n* 1. Slumber, repose, rest.
2. Death.
**Sleepily,** *ad.* 1. Drowsily.
2. Lazily, dully, stupidly, heavily.
**Sleepiness,** *n.* Drowsiness, somnolence, doziness, inclination to sleep.
**Sleeping,** *a.* Dormant, inactive, quiescent.
**Sleepless,** *a* 1. Wakeful.
2. Restless, agitated.
**Sleep-walker,** *n.* Somnambulist, night-walker, noctambulist.
**Sleep-walking,** *n.* Somnambulism.
**Sleepy,** *a.* 1. Drowsy, somnolent, dozy, heavy, inclined to sleep.
2. Somniferous, soporiferous, narcotic, soporific, somnific, slumberous, opiate.
3. Sluggish, inactive, heavy, lazy, dull, torpid, slow.
**Sleight,** *n.* 1. Sly artifice, artful trick.
2. Adroitness, dexterity, manœuvring, dexterous management.
**Sleight of hand.** Legerdemain, hocus-pocus, jugglery, prestidigitation.
**Slender,** *a.* 1. Slim, thin, narrow, slight.
2. Weak, feeble, slight, fragile, flimsy, fine.
3. Small, inconsiderable, moderate, trivial.
4. Meagre, scanty, inadequate, small, insufficient, pitiful, lean
5. Spare, sparing, abstemious, light, meagre, simple.
**Sleuth-hound,** *n.* Blood-hound, slot-hound, slow-hound.
**Sley,** *n.* [Written also *Slay*.] Weaver's reed.
**Slice,** *v. a.* 1. Cut (*into thin pieces*).
2. Cut, divide, part.
3. Cut off, sever.
**Slice,** *n.* Collop, chop, thin piece.
**Slide,** *v. n.* Glide, slip, move smoothly.
**Slide,** *n.* Glide, slip.
**Sliding,** *a.* Slippery, uncertain, gliding.
**Sliding,** *n.* Lapse, falling, backsliding, transgression, fault.
**Slight,** *a.* 1. Small, little, trifling, inconsiderable, trivial, petty, paltry, insignificant, unimportant.

2. Weak, feeble, gentle.
3. Cursory, hasty, hurried, desultory, superficial, scanty, careless, negligent.
4. Perishable, flimsy.
5. Contemptible, worthless, frivolous, paltry.
6. Slim, slender.
7. Contemptuous, disdainful.
8. Faint.

**Slight,** *n.* I. Neglect, disregard, inattention, disrespect, contempt, scorn, disdain, indignity.
2. See SLEIGHT.

**Slight,** *v. a.* I. Neglect, disregard, disdain, despise, scorn.
2. Overlook.

**Slightingly,** *ad.* Disrespectfully, scornfully, contemptuously, slightly, with contempt, with scorn.

**Slightly,** *ad.* I. Little.
2. Weakly, feebly, slenderly.
3. Cursorily, negligently, hastily, superficially.
4. Scornfully, contemptuously, disrespectfully, slightingly.

**Slily,** *ad.* Cunningly. See SLYLY.

**Slim,** *a.* I. Slender, thin, narrow, lank, gaunt, meagre.
2. Weak, slight, trivial, trifling, paltry, unsubstantial, inconsiderable, poor.
3. Slight, poor, insufficient.

**Slime,** *n.* Mud, ooze, mire.

**Slimy,** *a.* I. Miry, muddy, oozy.
2. Ropy, clammy, viscous, viscid, glutinous, gummy, mucilaginous, gelatinous, mucous, slabby.

**Sling,** *v. a.* I. Throw, cast, hurl, fling.
2. Hang up, suspend.

**Slink,** *v. n.* Sneak, skulk, steal away, slip away.

**Slip,** *v. n.* I. Glide, slide.
2. Err, trip, mistake, fall into error, commit a fault.

**Slip,** *v. a.* I. Put stealthily, convey secretly.
2. Omit, allow to escape, lose by negligence.
3. Throw off, disengage one's self from.
4. Loose, loosen, let loose, let go.

**Slip,** *n.* I. Slide, glide, slipping.
2. Error, mistake, blunder, fault, trip, oversight.
3. Transgression, indiscretion, backsliding, error, fault.
4. Cutting, twig, shoot, scion.
5. Strip, long and narrow piece, streak.
6. Leash, strap, string, cord.
7. Escape, desertion.
8. Case, covering, wrapper.

**Slip away.** I. Escape, glide away, slide away.
2. Sneak, skulk, slink, steal away, slink away.

**Slip on.** Put on hastily.

**Slipperiness,** *n.* I. Lubricity, smoothness.
2. Glibness, smoothness.
3. Uncertainty, mutability, changeableness, unsteadiness.
4. Lubricity, untrustworthiness, shiftiness, instability.

**Slippery,** *a.* I. Smooth, glib.
2. Unstable, uncertain, changeable, mutable, unsteady, shaky, insecure, perilous, unsafe.
3. Treacherous, perfidious, faithless, knavish, dishonest, false, cunning, shifty, elusive.
4. Wanton, incontinent, unchaste, false, unfaithful.

**Slipshod,** *a.* Careless, slovenly, shuffling, untidy.

**Slipslop,** *a.* Washy, trashy, feeble, poor, jejune.

**Slit,** *v. a.* I. Cut (*lengthwise*).
2. Sunder, divide, rend, cut, split.

**Slit,** *n.* Long cut.

**Slobber,** *v. a.* I. Slabber, slaver, drivel.
2. Daub, stain, obscure, darken, smear, slaver.
3. [Written also *Slubber.*] Sully, soil, defile.

**Slobber,** *v. n.* Slabber, slaver, drivel.

**Slobbery,** *a.* Moist, muddy, sloppy, wet, dank, floody.

**Sloe,** *n.* Black-thorn (*Prunus spinosa*).

**Slogan,** *n.* [*Scotch.*] I. War cry *or* gathering-word (*of a Highland clan*).
2. Watch-word (*of soldiers*).

**Slop,** *v. a.* Spill.

**Slope,** *n.* I. Obliquity, oblique direction, direction downward.
2. Inclination, acclivity *or* declivity.

**Slope,** *v. a.* Incline.

**Slope,** *v. n.* Incline, slant, take an oblique direction.

**Sloping,** *a.* Inclining, slanting, declivous, oblique.

**Sloppy,** *a.* Plashy, splashy, muddy, slobbery, wet, slabby.

**Slosh,** *n.* Slush, sludge.

**Sloshy,** *a.* Slushy, sludgy.

**Sloth,** *n.* I. Slowness, tardiness, dilatoriness.
2. Inactivity, inaction, laziness, indolence, idleness, inertness, sluggishness, torpor, lumpishness, supineness, slothfulness.

**Slothful,** *a.* Lazy, idle, inert, sluggish, indolent, dronish, inactive, lumpish, supine, torpid, slack.

**Slothfulness,** *n.* See SLOTH.

**Slot-hound,** *n.* Blood-hound, sleuth-hound, slow-hound.

**Slouch,** *n.* I. Lubber, clown, awkward fellow, lout.
2. Clownish gait, stoop.

**Slouching,** *a.* Awkward, uncouth, clownish, lubberly, loutish, ungainly.

**Slough,** *n.* I. Quagmire, morass, bog, fen.
2. Crust, scab, eschar.
3. Spoil, cast skin, tegument.

**Sloughy,** *a.* I. Miry, boggy, queachy, marshy.
2. Foul, mortified, suppurated.

**Slovenly,** *a.* I. Untidy, unclean.
2. Disorderly, loose, untidy.
3. Perfunctory, heedless, reckless, careless, lazy, negligent.

**Slow,** *a.* I. Moderate, deliberate.
2. Gradual.
3. Dull, heavy, dead, inert, inactive.
4. Tardy, behindhand.
5. Late.
6. Unready.
7. Tardy, dilatory, inactive, sluggish, late, delaying, lingering, slack.
8. Dull, stupid, heavy, wearisome.

**Slows,** *n.* (*Med.*) Milk-sickness, swamp-sickness.

**Slow-worm,** *n.* Blind-worm (*Anguis fragilis*).

**Sludge,** *n.* I. Slosh, slush.
2. Mud, mire.

**Slug,** *n.* I. Snail (*without a shell*).
2. Drone, sluggard, idler, laggard, dawdler, lounger.

**Sluggard,** *n.* Drone, lounger, idler, laggard, slug.

**Sluggard,** *a.* Sluggish, lazy.

**Sluggish,** *a.* I. Indolent, idle, lazy, slothful, dull, inactive, drowsy, inert, dronish, lumpish, supine, phlegmatic.
2. Slow.
3. Inert, inactive.
4. Dull, tame, stupid, simple.

**Sluggishness,** *n.* I. Phlegm, apathy, insensibility, dulness, indifference, inertness, indolence, slothfulness, laziness, supineness, torpor, sloth.
2. Inertness.
3. Slowness.

**Sluice,** *n.* Opening, vent.

**Sluice-gate,** *n.* Flood-gate, water-gate, sluice.

**Slum,** *n.* Close (*in a city*), alley, lane, dark retreat, low neighborhood.

**Slumber,** *v. n.* I. Sleep (*lightly*), doze, nap, snooze.
2. Sleep, repose.
**Slumber,** *n* I. Sleep (*not deep or profound*), repose, rest, doze, nap, light sleep.
2. Sleep, repose, rest.
**Slumberous,** *a.* Soporific, soporiferous, somniferous, somnific, sleepy, drowsy.
**Slump,** *v. n.* Sink (*as in walking on snow*), fall through.
**Slur,** *v. a.* I. Tarnish, soil, sully, contaminate, pollute, disgrace.
2. Reproach, traduce, asperse, disparage, depreciate, calumniate, speak of slightingly *or* disrespectfully.
3. Disregard, slight, pass by, pass over, gloss over, obscure, conceal.
**Slur,** *n.* I. Mark, stain.
2. Reproach, stigma, stain, brand, disgrace.
3. Innuendo.
4. (*In printing.*) Blur, double, macule.
**Slush,** *n.* I. Slosh, sludge.
2. (*Naut.*) Grease, fat.
**Slushy,** *a.* Sloshy, sludgy
**Slut,** *n.* Slattern, drab, draggletail.
**Sluttish,** *a.* Untidy, careless, disorderly, uncleanly, dirty.
**Sly,** *a.* I. Cunning, artful, crafty, wily, subtle, insidious.
2. Wily, cautious, shrewd, nimble, skilful, knowing, fine, subtle, astute.
3. Arch, knowing.
4. Secret, underhand, clandestine, stealthy.
**Slyboots,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Rogue, artful fellow, sly dog, waggish person.
**Slyly,** *ad.* Craftily, cunningly, insidiously.
**Smack,** *v. n.* I. Taste, have a taste, have a flavor.
2. Have a tincture, have a quality, have a savor.
3. Kiss (*loudly*), buss.
**Smack,** *v. a.* I. Kiss (*loudly*), buss.
2. Crack, snap, slash.
3. Slap (*loudly*).
**Smack,** *n.* I. Taste, savor, flavor, tang, tincture.
2. Tincture, touch, tinge, dash, spice, infusion, sprinkling, little, small quantity, *soupçon.*
3. Buss, loud kiss.
4. Smattering, superficial knowledge.
5. Crack, snap, slash.
6. Slap.
**Smacking,** *a.* Brisk, fresh, smart.
**Small,** *a.* I. Little, diminutive, tiny, puny.
2. Little, minute, microscopic, molecular, atomic, corpuscular, fine.
3. Petty, trifling, trivial, inconsiderable, insignificant, unimportant.
4. Slender, scanty, paltry, moderate.
5. Feeble, weak, faint, slight.
6. Mean, sordid, selfish, illiberal, ungenerous, narrow, narrow-minded, base, unworthy.
7. Shallow, unintelligent, unintellectual, ungifted, stolid, dull, feeble-minded, petty, insignificant, inferior.
8. Weak.
**Small-clothes,** *n. pl.* Breeches, smalls.
**Small-pox,** *n.* Variola.
**Small-talk,** *n.* Gossip, chat, light conversation.
**Smart,** *n.* Pungent *or* sharp pain, lancinating pain.
**Smart,** *v n.* I. Feel sharp pain.
2. Suffer, be punished.
**Smart,** *a.* I. Sharp, stinging, keen, severe, poignant, pungent, pricking, painful
2. Vigorous, forcible, effective, energetic, efficient
3. Vigorous, sharp, severe, lively, active, quick.
4. Brisk, fresh, smacking.
5. Lively, brisk, vivacious, witty, ready, sprightly, spirited, brilliant.
6. Expert, dexterous, clever, quick, active, intelligent, stirring.
7. Witty, acute, apt, pertinent.
8. Spruce, trim, fine, showy, pretentious.
9. Agile, nimble, quick, alert, active.
**Smartness,** *n.* I. Sharpness, keenness, poignancy, pungency, acuteness, severity.
2. Vigor, force, energy, quickness.
3. Liveliness, briskness, vivacity, wittiness, readiness, sprightliness.
4. Expertness, dexterity, cleverness, quickness, activity, intelligence, alertness.
5. Wit, wittiness, acuteness, aptness, pertinency.
6. Spruceness, trimness.
7. Agility, nimbleness, quickness, activity, spryness.
**Smart-weed,** *n.* Water-pepper, arse-smart (*Polygonum hydropiper*).
**Smash,** *v. a.* Crush, mash, dash to pieces, break in pieces.
**Smash,** *n.* I. Ruin, destruction.
2. Failure, bankruptcy.
**Smatter,** *n.* See SMATTERING.
**Smatterer,** *n.* Ignoramus, novice, sciolist.
**Smattering,** *n.* Smatter, sciolism, slight knowledge, superficial knowledge, imperfect knowledge.
**Smear,** *v. a.* I. Daub, bedaub, besmear, plaster, begrime.
2. Contaminate, soil, stain, pollute, tarnish, sully.
**Smear,** *n.* Daub, stain, blot, blotch, patch, spot.
**Smeary,** *a.* Adhesive, viscous, viscid, glutinous, dauby, sticky.
**Smell,** *v. a.* Scent, get scent of.
**Smell,** *v. n.* Have an odor, have a scent.
**Smell,** *n.* Scent, odor, perfume, fragrance, aroma.
**Smell a rat.** (*Colloq.*) Get an inkling, have a strong suspicion.
**Smelling-salts,** *n. pl.* Sal-volatile, carbonate of ammonia, sesqui-carbonate of ammonia.
**Smell out.** Discover, find out.
**Smelt,** *v. a.* Fuse (*as ore*), melt.
**Smew,** *n.* (*Ornith.*) White-nun, vare-widgeon, smee (*Mergus albellus*).
**Smift,** *n.* Fuse.
**Smirk,** *n.* Affected smile, soft look, smickering.
**Smirk,** *v. n.* Smile (*affectedly*), simper
**Smite,** *v. a.* I. Strike, beat, box, cuff, buffet.
2. Kill, slay, destroy.
3. Afflict, chasten, punish.
4. Blast, destroy.
**Smite,** *v. n.* Strike, collide, knock.
**Smith,** *n.* Metal-worker.
**Smith,** *v. a.* Forge, beat into shape.
**Smithery,** *n.* I. See SMITHY.
2. Smithing, smith's work.
**Smithing,** *n.* Smithery, smith's work.
**Smithy,** *n.* Smithery, stithy, smith's shop, forge.
**Smitten,** *p.* I. Struck, smit
2. Killed, slain, destroyed.
3. Afflicted, chastened, punished.
4. Charmed, captivated, fascinated, delighted pleased, attracted, taken, enamoured.
**Smock,** *n.* I. Chemise, shift, slip.
2. Blouse, gabardine, smock-frock.
**Smock-frock,** *n.* Smock, blouse.
**Smoke,** *n* I. Sooty vapor.
2. Reek, steam, exhalation, effluvium, fume, mist, vapor.

3. Vanity, emptiness, idle talk, mere phrases, failure, vapor, nothingness.

**Smoke,** *v. a.* 1. Fumigate, expose to smoke.
2. Draw into the mouth and puff out smoke from (*as tobacco in a pipe* or *a cigar*).
3. Smell out, find out, discover.

**Smoke,** *v. n.* 1. Emit smoke.
2. Reek, steam, exhale, emit vapor.
3. Burn, be kindled, rage, fume, wax hot.
4. Smoke tobacco.
5. Suffer, be punished, smart.

**Smoke-tree,** *n.* Venetian sumach, Venus (*Rhus cotinus*).

**Smoky,** *a.* 1. Of the nature of smoke.
2. Fumy, fuliginous, fumid.
3. Filled with smoke.
4. Sooty, begrimed, blackened, tanned, reeky, black, dark.

**Smooth,** *a.* 1. Even, level, flat, plain, polished.
2. Sleek, glossy, polished, soft, plane.
3. Unruffled, undisturbed.
4. Easy, voluble, fluent, even, ready.
5. Bland, mild, soothing, insinuating, soft, suave, oily, flattering, adulatory, courtier-like, fair-spoken, smooth-spoken, smooth-tongued, deceptive.
6. Pleasant, agreeable.

**Smooth,** *v. a.* 1. Level, flatten, make smooth.
2. Ease, make easy.
3. Palliate, soften, extenuate, varnish, plaster.
4. Calm, allay, assuage, mollify, mitigate, alleviate.
5. Regulate, ease.

**Smooth-faced,** *a.* Beardless, smooth-chinned.

**Smoothing-iron,** *n.* Flat-iron, sad-iron.

**Smoothly,** *ad.* 1. Evenly.
2. Readily, easily, unobstructedly.
3. Blandly, softly, gently, mildly, soothingly, pleasantly, flatteringly.
4. Mildly, innocently.

**Smooth-spoken,** *a.* See SMOOTH-TONGUED.

**Smooth-tongued,** *a.* Plausible, flattering, cozening, adulatory, smooth, smooth-spoken, fair-spoken.

**Smother,** *v. a.* 1. Stifle, suffocate, choke.
2. Suppress, repress, conceal, stifle, extinguish, hide, keep back, keep down.

**Smother,** *v. n.* 1. Smoulder.
2. Be stifled, suffocate.
3. Be suppressed, be concealed.

**Smudge,** *v. a.* Smear, besmear, stain, blacken, spot, smutch, soil.

**Smug,** *a.* Nice, spruce, trim, neat.

**Smuggler,** *n.* Contrabandist.

**Smut,** *n.* 1. Dirt.
2. Blight, blemish, spot, smutch, smudge.
3. Obscenity, ribaldry, smuttiness, nastiness, obscene language.
4. Mildew, blight, dust-brand, burnt corn.

**Smut,** *v. a.* 1. Soil, tarnish, sully, taint, stain, blacken, smouch, smudge.
2. Mildew, mould, decay, blight.

**Smutty,** *a.* 1. Dirty, foul, soiled, stained, nasty.
2. Obscene, ribald, indecent, indelicate, immodest, gross, coarse, loose, impure, nasty.

**Snack,** *n.* 1. Share, snip.
2. Luncheon, slight meal, hasty repast.

**Snag,** *n.* 1. Knot, knarl, knob, projection, jag, protuberance, snub.
2. Tooth (*in contempt*).
3. Swaying trunk *or* branch of a tree (*fixed at one end in a river*).

**Snail,** *n.* 1. Slug.
2. Drone, idler, sluggard, laggard, slug.
3. Snail-clover, snail-trefoil (*Medicago scutellata*).

**Snail-shell,** *n.* Helix.

**Snake,** *n.* Serpent.

**Snake-bird,** *n.* Darter.

**Snake-head,** } *n.* Shell-flower, turtle-head, bal-
**Snake's-head,** } mony (*Chelone glabra*).

**Snake in the grass.** Secret enemy, treacherous person.

**Snake-stone,** *n.* Ammonite.

**Snakish,** *a.* See SNAKY.

**Snaky,** *a.* 1. Serpentine, winding, snakish.
2. Sly, cunning, artful, deceitful, insinuating, subtle.

**Snap,** *v. a.* 1. Break short, break short off.
2. Bite, seize, catch at, snatch at, snip.
3. Crack (*as a whip*).
4. Twang.

**Snap,** *v. n.* 1. Break short.
2. Crackle, decrepitate, crepitate.
3. Snarl.

**Snap,** *n.* 1. Bite, catch, seizure.
2. Clasp, fastening, catch, small lock.
3. Crack (*as of a whip*), smack.
4. Interval, spell, season.
5. Gingerbread, gingercake, gingernut.

**Snap-dragon,** *n.* Flap-dragon.

**Snappish,** *a.* Touchy, testy, crabbed, cross, crusty, irascible, waspish, petulant, perverse, froward, pettish, snarling, growling, peevish, captious, churlish, splenetic, censorious, acrimonious, ill-tempered, surly, tart.

**Snare,** *n.* Gin, noose, net, trap, springe, toil, catch, wile.

**Snare,** *v. a.* Entrap, entangle, catch, ensnare.

**Snarl,** *v. n.* Growl, gnarl, grumble, murmur.

**Snarl,** *v. a.* 1. Entangle, complicate, knot, involve in knots.
2. Entangle, embarrass, confuse, ensnare.

**Snarl,** *n.* 1. Entanglement, tangle, complication.
2. Intricacy, complication, embarrassment, difficulty.

**Snarling,** *a.* See SNAPPISH.

**Snatch,** *v. a.* Grasp, clutch, gripe, wring, wrest, twitch, pluck, seize suddenly, pull, catch, snip.

**Snatch,** *n.* 1. Bit, fragment, portion, small part.
2. Catch, short effort.

**Snath,** *n.* Snead, sneath, sneethe, sned, sneed.

**Snead,** *n.* See SNATH.

**Sneak,** *v. n.* 1. Skulk, lurk, slink, steal.
2. Crouch, truckle.

**Sneak,** *n.* Shirk, lurker, mean fellow.

**Sneaking,** *a.* 1. Servile, slavish, cringing, obsequious, fawning, grovelling, truckling, crouching, mean, low, base, abject, vile, beggarly, time-serving.
2. Secret, underhand, clandestine, concealed, hidden, covert, sly.

**Sneer,** *v. n.* Scoff, gibe, jeer, flout, mock, fleer, rail, turn up the nose.

**Sneer,** *n.* Scoff, jeer, gibe, fling.

**Sneer at.** Deride, ridicule, scorn, disdain, scout, scoff, spurn, despise, contemn, mock, look down upon, laugh at, rail at, turn up the nose at.

**Sneezing,** *n.* Sternutation.

**Snicker,** *v. n.* Laugh (*under restraint*) titter, snigger, giggle.

**Sniff,** *v. n.* Snuff.

**Sniff,** *v. a.* 1. Snuff, inhale, breathe, breathe in.
2. Snuff, smell, scent.

**Sniff,** *n.* Snuff.

**Snifting-valve,** *n.* Blow-valve, tail-valve.

**Snigger,** *v. n.* See SNICKER.

**Snip,** *v. a.* 1. Clip, cut, nip, nip off.
2. Snap, snatch.

**Snip,** *n.* 1. Clip, cut.
2. Piece, shred, fragment, bit.
3. Share, snack.
4. Tailor, snipper.

**Snipe,** *n.* Fool, blockhead, simpleton, dolt, dunce, dullard, sot.
**Snipe-fish,** *n.* Trumpet-fish, bellows-fish (*Centriscus scolopax*).
**Snivel,** *n.* Snot.
**Snivel,** *v. n.* Cry (*as a child*), blubber, whimper, weep, fret, whine.
**Snivelly,** *a.* 1. Snotty.
2. Whining, pitiful.
**Snob,** *n.* Upstart, mushroom, pretender to gentility, pretentious fellow, *parvenu*.
**Snobbish,** *a.* Vulgar, ostentatious, pretentious, assuming.
**Snook,** *n.* Greenbone, gar-fish, gar-pike, snacot, sea-pike, sea-needle, long-nose, gore-bill, sword-fish, mackerel-guide (*Esox belone* or *Belone vulgaris*).
**Snooze,** *v. n.* (*Colloq.*) Slumber, drowse, sleep, nap, doze.
**Snot,** *n.* Snivel.
**Snotty,** *a.* Snivelly.
**Snout,** *n.* 1. Nose (*of a beast*), muzzle.
2. Nozzle.
**Snow-ball,** } *n.* Guelder-rose, gelder-rose
**Snow-ball-tree,** } (*Viburnum opulus*).
**Snow-goose,** *n.* Whitebrant (*Anser hyperboreus*).
**Snowy,** *a.* 1. Snow-like.
2. Abounding with snow.
3. White, pure, spotless, unblemished, immaculate, unsullied, unstained.
**Snub,** *v. a.* 1. Nip, clip, dock, prune, cut short, cut down, check, stunt.
2. Check (*with a tart remark*), stop, reprimand, reprove, rebuke, chide.
3. Abash (*as a pretentious person*), slight, humble, humiliate, shame, mortify, confound, disconcert, discomfit, put down, take down, make ashamed, take down a peg, teach one one's distance.
**Snub,** *n.* 1. Knot, protuberance, snag, jag, nub.
2. Check, rebuke, slight.
3. Snub-nose.
**Snuff,** *n.* 1. Sniff, inhalation (*by the nose*).
2. Resentment, huff, offence.
**Snuff,** *v. a.* 1. Inhale, breathe, sniff, breathe in.
2. Smell, scent.
**Snuff,** *v. n.* 1. Snort (*as a horse*).
2. Sniff.
3. Take offence.
**Snuffle,** *v. n.* Sniffle.
**Snuff out.** Extinguish, annihilate, obliterate, efface, destroy.
**Snug,** *v. n.* Snuggle, lie close, nestle.
**Snug,** *a.* 1. Close, concealed.
2. Comfortable, convenient, compact, neat, trim.
**Snuggle,** *v. n.* Nestle, cuddle, snug, lie snug, lie close.
**Snugly,** *ad.* Closely, comfortably, safely.
**So,** *ad.* 1. Thus, in like manner, for a like reason, with equal reason, in the way that.
2. To such a degree, in such a manner.
3. Likewise, in the same manner, in such a manner, in this way.
4. Such, in the same state *or* condition, as it is, as it was.
5. Therefore, for this reason, on this account.
6. Thus it is, so it is.
7. Be it so, thus be it, it is well, so let it be, it is good, it is all right, well.
8. Extremely, very, in a high degree.
**So,** *conj.* Provided that, on condition that, in case that.
**So,** *interj.* Stand still, stop, halt, that will do.
**Soak,** *v. a.* 1. Steep, macerate, imbrue.
2. Drench, wet, saturate.
3. Penetrate, work through.
4. Imbibe, absorb.
**Soak,** *v. n.* Steep, be soaked.
**Soaker,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Tippler, toper, hard drinker.
**Soaking,** *a.* 1. Steeping, macerating.
2. Imbibing, drinking.
3. Wetting, drenching, saturating.
**Soaky,** *a.* Soggy, steeped, socky, saturated, moist, wet.
**Soapstone,** *n.* 1. Steatite, pot-stone.
2. Saponite.
**Soar,** *v. n.* Tower, mount, rise, ascend, fly aloft.
**Sob,** *v. n.* Weep, cry, sigh convulsively.
**Sober,** *a.* 1. Unintoxicated.
2. Temperate, abstemious, abstinent.
3. Sane, sound, reasonable, rational.
4. Calm, moderate, cool, composed, regular, unruffled, unimpassioned, dispassionate, steady, rational, collected, well-regulated, temperate, reasonable.
5. Grave, solemn, serious, sedate, demure, staid, quiet, sombre.
6. Quiet, dull-looking, sad, dark, sombre.
**Soberly,** *ad.* 1. Temperately, moderately.
2. Coolly, calmly, dispassionately.
3. Gravely, seriously, solemnly.
**Soberness,** *n.* See SOBRIETY.
**Sobriety,** *n.* 1. Temperance, abstemiousness, abstinence, soberness.
2. Calmness, coolness, sedateness, soberness, thoughtfulness, gravity, sober-mindedness, staidness.
3. Seriousness, gravity, solemnity, sedateness.
**Sobriquet,** *n.* [Fr.] Nickname, by-name, fanciful appellation.
**Sociability,** *n.* Sociableness, companionableness, sociality, good-fellowship.
**Sociable,** *a.* Companionable, social, friendly, familiar, neighborly, conversable, communicative, accessible, affable, genial.
**Sociableness,** *n.* See SOCIABILITY.
**Social,** *a.* 1. Civil, civic.
2. Companionable, sociable, conversable, communicative, friendly, familiar, affable, genial, neighborly.
3. Convivial, festive.
**Socialism,** *n.* Communism, Fourierism, phalansterism, Saint-Simonianism, humanitarianism.
**Socialist,** *n.* Fourierite, communist.
**Sociality,** *n.* Socialness.
**Society,** *n.* 1. Association, fellowship, company, social sympathy, companionship, converse.
2. Participation, connection, association.
3. Association, union, partnership, copartnership, club, fellowship, company, sodality, fraternity, brotherhood, corporation, body.
4. The community, the public, the world.
**Sociology,** *n.* Social science, political science.
**Socius criminis.** [L.] Accomplice, confederate, accessary, abettor, associate, *particeps criminis*.
**Sod,** *n.* Turf, sward.
**Soda,** *n.* Protoxide of sodium.
**Sodality,** *n.* Fraternity, brotherhood, society, fellowship.
**Sodden,** *a.* 1. Boiled, decocted, stewed, seethed.
2. Soaked, steeped, drenched, thoroughly wet (*so as to be soft*), saturated.
**Sodomy,** *n.* Buggery, unnatural carnal intercourse.
**Sofa,** *n.* Couch, seat to recline on.
**So forth.** } *Et cetera.*
**So on.** }
**Soft,** *a.* 1. Impressible, yielding.
2. Plastic, pliable, easily moulded, malleable.
3. Smooth, delicate, fine.
4. Compliant, submissive, irresolute, facile, flexible, impressible, weak, undecided.
5. Mild, gentle, bland, kind, lenient, tender.

6. Tender, timid, timorous, fearful, shy.
7. Civil, complaisant, courteous, polite, polished.
8. Delicate, tender.
9. Gentle, steady, even, smooth-going, easy, quiet.
10. Gentle, easy, quiet, undisturbed.
11. Effeminate, unmanly, nice, luxurious.
12. Simple, silly, foolish, weak.
13. Quiet, delicate.
14. Mellifluous, dulcet, clear, flowing, smooth, gentle, melodious, pleasing.

**Soft,** *ad.* Gently, quietly, softly.

**Soft,** *interj.* Hold, stop, not so fast.

**Soften,** *v. a.* 1. Intenerate, melt, touch, make tender, make soft.
2. Assuage, appease, mitigate, balm, moderate, alleviate, soothe, mollify, quiet, calm, still, quell, allay, relieve, ease, abate, temper, qualify, attemper, dull, lessen, blunt, make easy.
3. Palliate, lessen, qualify, modify, varnish, extenuate.
4. Enervate, weaken, make effeminate.
5. Refine, beautify.
6. Mollify, intenerate.
7. Qualify, modify.

**Soften,** *v. n.* 1. Grow soft, become soft
2. Relent.
3. Grow gentle.
4. Melt, blend.

**Soi-disant,** *a.* [Fr.] Pretended, would-be, self-styled, self-dubbed.

**Soil,** *v. a.* Foul, dirty, stain, pollute, sully, tarnish, defile, taint, contaminate, daub, bedaub, begrime, besmear, bespatter, make foul, bemire.

**Soil,** *n.* 1. Dirt, filth, foulness, foul matter.
2. Stain, blot, spot, tarnish, defilement, taint, blemish.
3. Mould, loam, earth, ground.
4. Land, country.

**Soirée,** *n.* [Fr.] Evening party.

**Sojourn,** *v. n.* Abide (*temporarily*), stay, tarry, lodge, rest, remain, live, dwell, reside, stop, take up one's quarters, put up, take lodgings, have lodgings.

**Sojourn,** *n.* Stay, temporary abode, residence.

**Solace,** *n.* Comfort, consolation, relief, alleviation.

**Solace,** *v. a.* 1. Cheer, comfort, soothe, console.
2. Allay, assuage, soften, mitigate, relieve.

**Solan-goose,** *n.* Gannet (*Sula barsanus*).

**Solar spectrum.** Prismatic spectrum.

**Soldier,** *n.* 1. Warrior, fighting man, man at arms.
2. Private, common soldier.
3. White ant, termite.

**Soldier-crab,** *n.* Hermit-crab.

**Soldier-like,** / **Soldierly,** *a.* 1. Warlike, marshal, military.
2. Valiant, brave, gallant, intrepid, courageous, heroic, honorable.

**Soldiery,** *n.* Soldiers, the military, the army, body of soldiers.

**Sole,** *a.* Single, only, individual, unique, alone, solitary, one.

**Solecism,** *n.* 1. Impropriety (*in the use of language*), error, mistake, blunder, incongruity, barbarism.
2. Impropriety, absurdity, breach of form.

**Solecistic,** / **Solecistical,** *a.* Incorrect, incongruous, improper, unfit.

**Solemn,** *a.* 1. Formal, ritual, ceremonial.
2. Sacred, religious, devout, reverential, devotional.
3. Serious, grave, sober, important.
4. Awful, august, venerable, imposing, grand, stately, majestic, awe-inspiring, impressive.
5. Earnest, serious, impressive.

**Solemnity,** *n.* 1. Rite (*religious*), ceremonial, observance, ceremony, celebration, office.
2. Awfulness, sacredness, sanctity.
3. Seriousness, gravity, impressiveness.

**Solemnization,** *n.* Celebration.

**Solemnize,** *v. a.* Celebrate (*with solemn ceremonies*), commemorate, observe, do honor to, honor, keep.

**Solemnly,** *ad.* 1. Reverently, devoutly, religiously.
2. Seriously, gravely, soberly.
3. Ceremoniously, formally, regularly.

**Solicit,** *v. a.* 1. Ask (*earnestly*), request (*urgently*), entreat, beg, pray, implore, crave, importune, beseech, supplicate, petition, conjure, press, urge, appeal to.
2. Invite, summon, awake to action, excite, awaken, arouse.
3. Disturb, disquiet, make anxious.
4. Seek, endeavor to obtain.

**Solicitant,** *n.* 1. Solicitor, petitioner, asker.
2. Aspirant, candidate.

**Solicitation,** *n.* 1. Entreaty, importunity, supplication, imploration, appeal, petition, address, insistence, urgency, suit, request, asking.
2. Invitation, summons, bidding, call, excitement.

**Solicitor,** *n.* 1. Asker, petitioner, solicitant.
2. Attorney, law agent.

**Solicitous,** *a.* Anxious, careful, concerned, apprehensive, troubled, uneasy, jealous, eager, disturbed, restless.

**Solicitude,** *n.* Anxiety, care, carefulness, concern, trouble, perplexity.

**Solid,** *a.* 1. Hard, firm, compact, impenetrable.
2. Dense, compact.
3. Cubic.
4. Strong, substantial, stable, sound, stout, firm, compact.
5. Real, true, valid, just, weighty, firm, strong, substantial.
6. Grave, profound, important, sound.
7. Wealthy, rich, well-established, reliable, trustworthy, sound, safe.

**Solidarity,** *n.* Consolidation (*of interests and responsibilities*), community (*in whatever befalls*), close fellowship, joint interest, mutual responsibility, communion of interests.

**Solidify,** *v. a.* Consolidate, compact, make solid, harden.

**Solidify,** *v. n.* Become solid, become compact, harden.

**Solidity,** *n.* 1. Hardness, firmness, solidness, density, compactness, consistency.
2. Density, compactness, fulness.
3. Strength, stability, massiveness.
4. Reality, truth, weight, validity, justice, gravity, importance, firmness, soundness, strength, certainty, certitude.
5. (*Geom.*) Volume, solid contents, cubic contents.

**Solidly,** *ad.* 1. Firmly, densely, compactly, strongly.
2. Firmly, truly, thoroughly.

**Solidness,** *n.* See SOLIDITY.

**Solidungulate,** *n.* Soliped.

**Soliloquy,** *n.* Monologue.

**Soliped,** *n.* Solidungulate.

**Solitaire,** *n.* [Fr.] Hermit. See SOLITARY.

**Solitariness,** *n.* 1. Retirement, seclusion, privacy.
2. Loneliness, solitude.

**Solitary,** *a.* 1. Lone, lonely, alone, unaccompanied, companionless.
2. Isolated, secluded, unfrequented, retired, deserted, remote, lonely, desert.

3. Dismal, gloomy, desolate, cheerless, lonesome, lonely, still, separate.
4. Single, sole, individual.

**Solitary,** *n.* Hermit, eremite, anchorite, anchoret, recluse, solitarian, *solitaire.*

**Solitude,** *n.* 1. Loneliness, isolation, seclusion, solitariness, retiredness, recluseness, retirement, privacy, lonely state, lonely life, estrangement from the world.
2. Isolation, seclusion, remoteness.
3. Desert, wilderness, waste, lonely place, deserted region.

**Solubility,** *n.* Solvability.

**Solution,** *n.* 1. Disruption, breach, disjunction, disconnection, discontinuance.
2. Explanation, explication, resolution, disentanglement, elucidation.
3. Liquefaction, dissolution, melting.
4. Dissolution, disunion.
5. Disintegration, separation, resolution.

**Solvability,** *n.* Solubility.

**Solvable,** *a.* Resolvable, solvible.

**Solve,** *v. a.* Explain, unfold, expound, disentangle, interpret, elucidate, clear, make plain, resolve, clear up.

**Solvent,** *n.* Menstrum.

**Somatic,** } **Somatical,** } *a.* Corporeal, bodily.

**Somatist,** *n.* Materialist.

**Somatotomy,** *n.* Anatomy.

**Sombre,** *a.* 1. Shady, dusky, cloudy, murky, dark, dull, darksome, rayless, sunless, unilluminated, obscure, dismal, sombrous, gloomy.
2. Melancholy, sad, mournful, doleful, lugubrious, funereal, dull, dismal, grave.

**Sombrous,** *a.* See SOMBRE.

**Some,** *a.* 1. More *or* less, a certain quantity of, a certain number of.
2. One (*indefinitely*), a, an, any, a certain.
3. About, near.
4. Several, a considerable number.
5. Some people, some persons, certain.
6. A part, a portion.
7. A little, moderate

**Somebody,** *n.* 1. One, some person, some one.
2. Something, a person of consequence.

**Somehow,** *ad.* In some way, somehow or other.

**Somersault,** *n.* Somerset.

**Somerset,** *n.* [Written also *Summersault*, *Sommerset*, and *Summerset.*] Somersault.

**Something,** *n.* 1. A thing (*indefinitely*).
2. A part, a portion.
3. Somebody, a person of consequence.
4. A thing, matter, affair, event.

**Something,** *ad.* See SOMEWHAT.

**Sometime,** *ad.* 1. Once, formerly.
2. Now and then, at one time or other, sometimes.

**Sometime,** *a.* Former, late, whilom.

**Sometimes,** *ad.* 1. At times, at intervals, now and then.
2. Once, formerly, at a past period.

**Somewhat,** *ad.* Something, in some degree, more or less, rather, a little.

**Somewhat,** *n.* 1. Something.
2. A little, more or less, a part.

**Somewhere,** *ad.* In some place, in one place or another.

**Somewhither,** *ad.* To some place, to one place or another.

**Somnambulism,** *n.* Sleep-walking, somnambulation.

**Somnambulist,** *n.* Sleep-walker, night-walker, noctambulist, somnambulator, somnambule.

**Somniferous,** *a.* Soporific, soporiferous, slumberous, somnific, narcotic, opiate.

**Somnific,** *a.* See SOMNIFEROUS.

**Somnolence,** *n.* Sleepiness, drowsiness, doziness, somnolency.

**Somnolency,** *n.* See SOMNOLENCE.

**Somnolent,** *a.* Sleepy, drowsy, dozy.

**Song,** *n.* 1. Ballad, ditty, canticle, carol, canzonet, sonnet, lay.
2. Descant, melody, lay.
3. Lay, strain, poem, hymn, psalm, anthem.
4. Poetry, poesy, verse, numbers.
5. Trifle, small sum.

**Song-thrush,** *n.* Mavis, throstle (*Turdus musicus*).

**Sonnet,** *n.* 1. Poem (*of fourteen lines*).
2. Ballad, song, ditty.

**Sonneteer,** *n.* Sonnetist, sonnet-writer, small poet.

**Son of man.** Son of God, the Saviour, Jesus Christ, Immanuel, the Holy One, the Anointed, the Mediator, Shiloh, the Lamb of God, the Messiah, the Redeemer, the Intercessor, the Advocate, the Judge, the Word, the Prince of Peace, the Good Shepherd, the Way, the Truth, the Life, the Bread of Life, the Light of the World, the Lord.

**Sonorous,** *a.* 1. Sounding, resonant, resounding, ringing.
2. High-sounding, loud.

**Sonship,** *n.* Filiation

**Soon,** *ad.* 1. Shortly, presently, before long, pretty soon, by and by, in a short time.
2. Early, at so early an hour, betimes, quick, promptly.
3. Easily, quickly, shortly.
4. Lief, willingly, readily, gladly

**Soot,** *n.* Crock, black dust.

**Sootflake,** *n.* Smut, smudge, smutch.

**Sooth,** *n.* Truth, reality.

**Soothe,** *v. a.* 1. Cajole, humor, flatter.
2. Assuage, calm, quiet, appease, tranquillize, compose, pacify, sober, still, lull, mollify, soften, balm.
3. Moderate, alleviate, palliate, lessen, allay, repress, check, temper, soften, deaden, qualify, relieve, ease, dull, blunt.
4. Delight, gratify, please, charm.

**Soothsayer,** *n.* Seer, foreteller, predictor, prophet, diviner, vaticinator, sorcerer, necromancer, augur.

**Sooty,** *a.* Dark, dusky, murky, fuliginous, black, sable.

**Sophism,** *n.* Fallacy, paralogism, paralogy, quibble, fallacious argument, specious argument.

**Sophist,** *n.* Quibbler, captious reasoner, fallacious reasoner, artful logician.

**Sophistical,** *a.* Fallacious, illogical, quibbling, unsound.

**Sophisticate,** *v. a.* 1. Pervert, corrupt, vitiate, damage.
2. Adulterate, debase, render spurious.

**Sophisticate,** *a.* Adulterated, spurious, counterfeit, debased, vitiated, perverted, corrupted, sophisticated.

**Sophistication,** *n.* 1. Adulteration, corruption, vitiation.
2. Quibbling.
3. Quibble, fallacious argument, sophism.

**Sophistry,** *n.* Paralogy, paralogism, fallacy, shift, cavil, chicane, trick, quibble, fetch, stratagem, false logic, fallacious reasoning, inconclusive reasoning, reasoning in a circle.

**Soporiferous,** *a.* See SOPORIFIC.

**Soporific,** *a.* Somniferous, somnific, slumberous, soporiferous, narcotic, hypnotic, opiate, soporous.

**Soporific,** *n.* Narcotic, hypnotic, anæsthetic, opiate.

**Soppy,** *a.* Sopped, soaked, saturated, drenched.

**Soprano,** *n.* (*Mus.*) Treble, descant, discant.

**Sorb, Sorb-tree,** *n.* Service-tree (*Sorbus domestica*).
**Sorcerer,** *n.* Magician, conjurer, juggler, enchanter, necromancer, charmer, wizard, exorcist, diviner, seer, soothsayer.
**Sorcery,** *n.* Divination (*by evil spirits*), magic, enchantment, witchcraft, necromancy, charm, spell, the black art.
**Sordes,** *n.* Excretions, dregs, refuse, dirt.
**Sordid,** *a.* I. Mean, base, vile, low, degraded.
2. Covetous, avaricious, stingy, miserly, niggardly, close, illiberal, ungenerous, penurious, close-fisted.
**Sore,** *n.* I. Ulcer, fester, abscess, imposthume, gathering, boil, pustule.
2. Pain, trouble, grief, affliction, sorrow.
**Sore,** *a.* I. Painful (*from inflammation*), tender, irritated.
2. Pained, hurt, grieved, tender, galled, aggrieved, vexed, irritable.
3. Violent, severe, sharp, afflictive, distressing.
**Sore,** *ad.* I. Intensely, severely, grievously.
2. Deeply, violently, greatly, profoundly.
3. Sorely, sadly, grievously, greatly, severely.
**Sorely,** *ad.* Grievously, severely, violently, greatly.
**Sorghum,** *n.* Chinese sugar-cane, broom-corn.
**Sororal,** *a.* Sisterly.
**Sorrily,** *ad.* Meanly, pitiably, despicably, poorly, wretchedly.
**Sorrow,** *n.* I. Grief, sadness, affliction, mourning, trouble.
2. Regret, vexation, chagrin.
**Sorrow,** *v. n.* Grieve, mourn, be sad, weep, lament, bemoan, bewail.
**Sorrowful,** *a.* I. Grieved, afflicted, in sorrow, in mourning, sad, depressed, dejected.
2. Sad, mournful, grievous, lamentable, distressing, painful, melancholy, baleful.
3. Dismal, disconsolate, drear, dreary, rueful, woful, doleful, melancholy, sorry, piteous, lugubrious.
**Sorry,** *a.* I. Grieved, afflicted, pained, sorrowful.
2. Vexed, chagrined, mortified, pained, hurt, dejected.
3. Mean, vile, base, poor, miserable, wretched, pitiful, abject, beggarly, rascally, contemptible, despicable, shabby, bad, low, paltry, worthless.
4. Mournful, dismal, sad, painful, melancholy.
**Sort,** *n.* I. Species, kind.
2. Kind, species, description, class, denomination, character, nature, order, race, rank.
3. Manner, way
4. Degree, manner.
**Sort,** *v. a.* I. Distribute (*into sorts*), assort, class, classify, arrange.
2. Order, reduce to order, arrange.
3. Conjoin, join, put together.
4. Select, choose, elect, pick out.
**Sort,** *v. n.* I. Associate, consort, fraternize.
2. Suit, fit, accord, be in harmony with, agree with, be adapted to.
3. Issue, fall out, terminate.
4. Agree.
**Sortie,** *n.* Sally.
**So-so,** *a.* Indifferent, mediocre, tolerable, middling, passable, ordinary.
**So-so,** *ad.* Indifferently, middlingly, passably, moderately, tolerably.
**Sot,** *n.* I. Blockhead, dolt, dullard, dunce, simpleton, fool, snipe, malt-horse.
2. Toper, tippler, drunkard, wine-bibber, dram-drinker.
**So that.** In order that, to the end that.
**So then.** Therefore, the consequence is.
**Sottish,** *a.* I. Dull, stupid, senseless, doltish, foolish, simple.
2. Stupid (*from intemperance*), dull, doltish, foolish, senseless, insensate, besotted, infatuate, tipsy.
**Sotto voce.** [It.] Softly, in a low voice, in an under-tone, in a low tone, with bated breath.
**Sough,** *n.* I. Sigh, murmur, murmuring sound.
2. Waft, breath, gentle breeze.
**Soul,** *n.* I. Mind, spirit, inner man.
2. Life, vital principle, animating principle, seat of life, source of action.
3. Essence, principal part, essential part, best part, chief part, vital principle, spirit.
4. Leader, inspirer.
5. Individual, person, man, human being.
6. Disembodied spirit, spirit.
7. Ardor, fire, fervor, courage, energy, force, spirit.
8. Active power, energy.
**Soulless,** *a.* I. Lifeless, dead.
2. Mean, base, vile, low, spiritless.
**Sound,** *a.* I. Whole, entire, unbroken, uninjured, unhurt, unmutilated, unimpaired
2. Healthy, hearty, hale, hardy, vigorous.
3. Perfect, undecayed, good.
4. Honest, honorable, blameless, virtuous, loyal.
5. Firm, strong, stable.
6. Sane, well-balanced, perfect.
7. Correct, true, valid, solid, weighty, reasonable, rational, sensible, judicious, strong, wholesome.
8. Legal, valid.
9. Established, fixed, well-grounded
10. Profound, unbroken, undisturbed, fast, deep.
11. Heavy, lusty, forcible, severe.
12. Orthodox, right, correct, well-founded.
**Sound,** *ad.* Soundly, profoundly, heartily.
**Sound,** *n.* I. Strait, narrows, channel.
2. Air-bladder (*of a fish*).
3. Noise, report.
4. Noise, empty noise.
5. Cuttle-fish, ink-fish (*Sepia officinalis*).
**Sound,** *v. n* I. Resound, make a noise, give out a sound.
2. Appear by the sound, seem.
3. Try the depth (*of water*).
**Sound,** *v. a.* I. Cause to sound, play on.
2. Utter, express audibly, pronounce.
3. Celebrate (*by sounds*), publish, proclaim, spread abroad.
4. Measure, fathom, try the depth of, test, gauge.
5. Examine, test, try, search, probe.
**Sounding,** *a.* I. Sonorous.
2. Imposing, significant.
**Soundless,** *a.* I. Silent, noiseless, dumb.
2. Unfathomable, bottomless, very deep, very profound, abysmal.
**Soundly,** *ad.* I. Thoroughly, satisfactorily, well.
2. Healthily, heartily.
3. Severely, lustily, smartly, stoutly.
4. Truly, correctly, rightly.
5. Firmly, strongly.
6. Fast, deeply, profoundly.
**Soundness,** *n.* I. Wholeness, entireness, integrity, entirety.
2. Healthiness, vigor.
3. Saneness, sanity.
4. Correctness, truth, rectitude, validity, orthodoxy.
5. Firmness, strength, solidity, validity, truth.
**Soup,** *n.* Broth.
**Soupçon,** *n.* Taste, tincture, smack.
**Sour,** *a.* I. Acid, tart, pricked, sharp, acetous, acetose.
2. Cross, crabbed, morose, acrimonious, curtish,

surly, testy, touchy, cantankerous, crusty, fretful, peevish, petulant, pettish, snappish, waspish, snarling, cynical, froward, uncivil, rude, rough, harsh, ill-tempered, ill-natured, austere.
3. Bitter, unpleasant, disagreeable.
4. Gloomy, sad, dismal, morose, discontented, austere.
5. Rancid, musty, spoiled, bad, coagulated, turned, curdled, loppered.

**Sour,** *v. a.* I. Make acid, turn sour.
2. Imbitter, make unpleasant

**Sour,** *v. n* Turn sour, become acid.

**Source,** *n.* I. Origin, spring, fountain, head, rise, beginning, fountain-head, well.
2. Cause, original.
3. Originator.

**Sour-gourd,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Baobab, monkey-bread, lalo-plant (*Adansonia digitata*).

**Sour-gum,** *n.* Tupelo, pepperidge (*Nyssa villosa*)

**Sourish,** *a.* Acidulous.

**Sourness,** *n.* I. Acidity, tartness, sharpness.
2. Acrimony, asperity, moroseness, harshness, crabbedness, churlishness, peevishness, discontent, crossness.

**Souse,** *v a.* I. Pickle.
2. Plunge, dip, immerse, submerge, douse, put under water (*or other liquid*).

**South,** *a.* Southern, southerly.

**South,** *ad.* Southward, toward the south.

**Southerly,** *a.* Southern, south.

**Southern,** *a* I. Meridional.
2. Southerly, south.

**Southerner,** *n* Southron, southern.

**Southron,** *n.* Southerner, southern.

**Souvenir,** *n.* [Fr.] Remembrancer, memento, keepsake.

**Sovereign,** *a.* I. Supreme, regal, royal, imperial, monarchical, princely.
2. Chief, predominant, principal, supreme, paramount, excellent, commanding, monarch, utmost, highest.
3. Efficacious, effectual.

**Sovereign,** *n.* I. Monarch, autocrat, supreme ruler.
2. King, emperor, prince, lord, potentate, ruler.

**Sovereignty,** *n.* I. Dominion, supremacy, empire, supreme power, supreme rule, absolute authority, chief sway.
2. Supremacy, supreme excellence.

**Sow,** *n.* Hog (*female*), pig, swine

**Sow,** *v. a.* I. Scatter, strew, spread.
2. Disseminate, disperse, propagate, spread abroad.
3. Plant, put seed in.
4. Besprinkle, scatter over.

**Sow,** *v. n.* Plant, scatter seed, put in seed.

**Sowens,** *n. pl.* [*Scotch.*] [Written also *Sowins*, *Sewings*, and *Sowans.*] Porridge (*made of the dust of oatmeal*), flummery.

**Spa,** *n.* Mineral spring.

**Space,** *n* I. Extension, extent.
2. Capacity, room.
3. Distance, interval.
4. Duration.
5. (*Rare.*) While, short time.

**Spacious,** *a.* I. Wide, extended, extensive, vast.
2. Roomy, broad, ample, capacious, wide, large.

**Span,** *n.* I. Nine inches, eighth of a fathom.
2. Brief period, spell.
3. Pair, team, yoke of animals.

**Span,** *v. a.* Compass, measure, cross, overlay.

**Spanish-bayonet,** *n.* Yucca, Adam's needle, bear-grass.

**Spanish-fly,** *n.* Blister-fly, blister-beetle (*Cantharis vesicatoria*).

**Spank,** *v. a.* Strike (*with the open hand*), slap.

**Span-new,** *a.* Brand-new, fire-new, quite new, spick-and-span new.

**Spanworm,** *n.* Geometer, looper, green looper, canker-worm (*Anisopteryx*).

**Spar,** *v. n* I. Box.
2. Dispute, wrangle, quarrel, bicker, squabble, spat (*colloq.*)

**Spar,** *n* I. Pole, beam
2. Boxing-match.

**Spare,** *v. a.* I. Reserve, save, lay by, lay aside, set apart, set aside.
2. Dispense with, do without, part with.
3. Withhold, omit, forbear, refrain from.
4. Withhold from, keep from.
5. Give, grant, afford, allow, give up.
6. Preserve (*from anything dreaded*), save.
7. Save, withhold, gain, reserve.

**Spare,** *v. n.* I. Be frugal, be parsimonious, economize, pinch.
2. Forbear, refrain, be scrupulous.
3. Be lenient, be merciful, be tender, forgive.

**Spare,** *a.* I. Scanty, sparing, frugal, stinted.
2. Parsimonious, chary, sparing.
3. Lean, meagre, thin, poor, lank, gaunt, skinny, scraggy, raw-boned, emaciated.
4. Superfluous, supernumerary.

**Spare hours.** } **Spare time.** } Leisure, time to spare.

**Sparing,** *a.* I. Scanty, little, scarce
2. Spare, abstemious, meagre, scanty.
3. Frugal, saving, chary, parsimonious, economical.
4. Merciful, compassionate, forgiving, lenient.

**Sparingly,** *ad.* I. Frugally, parsimoniously.
2. Abstinently, moderately, temperately.
3. Seldom, infrequently, rarely.
4. Cautiously, tenderly.

**Spark,** *n.* I. Sparkle, scintillation, particle of fire, scintilla.
2. Germ, element, active principle, seed, beginning.
3. Gallant, beau, lover.
4. Buck, beau, dashing fellow, dandy.

**Sparkish,** *a.* I. Gay, airy.
2. Showy, well-dressed, fine, smart.

**Sparkle,** *v. n.* I. Shine (*with intermissions*), glitter, glisten, glister, twinkle, scintillate, coruscate, flash, radiate, gleam.
2. Effervesce, bubble, foam, froth.

**Sparkle,** *n.* I. Spark, scintillation.
2. Luminosity, lustre.

**Sparkling,** *a.* I. Glittering, glistening, twinkling, flashing, brilliant.
2. Bubbling, foaming, effervescing, frothing, mantling.
3. Lively, glowing, brilliant, spirited, piquant, vigorous, forcible, strong, nervous, racy, impassioned.

**Sparry iron.** Spathic iron, carbonate of iron, spathose iron, siderite.

**Sparse,** *a.* Scattered, spread here and there, thin.

**Spartan,** *a.* Brave, courageous, hardy, undaunted, daring, intrepid, dauntless, fearless, bold, valiant, valorous, doughty, chivalric, heroic, lion-hearted.

**Spasm,** *n* I. Twitch, sudden contraction (*as of the muscles*)
2. Fit, paroxysm, throe.

**Spasmodic,** *a.* I. Convulsive, spasmodical.
2. Convulsive, fitful, violent and short-lived.

**Spasmodic cholera.** Asiatic cholera, cholera asphyxia.

**Spat,** *v. n.* Dispute, wrangle, quarrel, spar, bicker, jangle, squabble, have words, have an altercation.

**Spathic,** *a.* Foliated, lamellar, spathose, sparry.

**Spathic iron.** See SPARRY IRON.

**Spatter,** *v. a.* I. Sprinkle, besprinkle, bespatter, splash, plash.
2. Asperse, defame, traduce, calumniate, vilify, soil.
**Spatter,** *v. n.* Sputter, spit.
**Spatterdashes,** *n. pl.* Gaiters, leggings.
**Spaw,** *n.* See SPA.
**Spawl,** *v. n* Spit, sputter.
**Spawl,** *n.* Spit, spittle, saliva.
**Spawn,** *n.* I. Eggs (*of fish* or *of frogs*), hard roe.
2. Product, offspring, fruit.
3. (*Bot.*) Mycelium, filaments (*from which fungi originate*).
**Spawn,** *v. a.* [*In contempt.*] Generate, produce, bring forth.
**Spawn,** *v. n.* [*In contempt.*] Issue.
**Speak,** *v. n.* I. Articulate, enunciate, talk with articulate sounds.
2. Talk, dispute, argue, converse, say, discourse.
3. Plead, spout, hold forth, make a speech, discourse, harangue, declaim.
4. Treat, make mention, discourse, tell.
5. Sound, resound, give sound.
**Speak,** *v. a.* I. Utter, express, deliver, pronounce, articulate.
2. Tell, say, declare, announce.
3. Announce, make known, spread abroad, proclaim, declare, celebrate.
4. Talk, converse in.
5. Accost, address, greet.
6. Exhibit, declare, make known.
7. Indicate, express by signs, communicate.
8. (*Naut.*) Hail.
**Speaker,** *n.* I. Discourser, orator, spokesman, prolocutor.
2. Chairman, presiding officer.
**Speaking,** *n.* I. Talk, discourse.
2. Elocution, declamation, oratory.
**Spear,** *n.* I. Lance, javelin.
2. Shoot, spire.
**Spear-hand,** *n.* Right hand.
**Spear-shaped,** *a.* Hastate, hastated.
**Special,** *a.* I. Specific, specifical.
2. Particular, peculiar, especial.
3. Extraordinary, uncommon, particular.
4. Specific, especial.
5. Appropriate, peculiar, especial.
**Speciality,** *n.* I. Particularity.
2. Specialty, object of special attention, particular object of pursuit, pet subject.
**Specialty,** *n.* See SPECIALITY.
**Specie,** *n.* Coin, cash, metallic money, hard money, stamped money.
**Species,** *n.* I. Group (*subordinate to a genus*), class, collection, assemblage.
2. Kind, sort, description, variety.
3. (*Law.*) Form, figure, fashion, shape.
**Specific,** *a.* I. Peculiar, particular, especial, characteristic.
2. Definite, precise, specified, limited.
**Specification,** *n.* I. Designation (*of properties*), characterization.
2. Particularization, detailed statement.
**Specify,** *v. a.* Designate, particularize, indicate, define, individualize, detail, show clearly, name with precision.
**Specillum,** *n.* Stylet.
**Specimen,** *n.* Pattern, sample, model, copy, example
**Specious,** *a.* I. Obvious, showy, manifest, open.
2. Fair (*apparently, but not really*), plausible, colorable, ostensible, showy, feasible.
**Speck,** *n.* I. Stain, spot, flaw, blemish, blot.
2. Bit, mite, mote, atom, particle, corpuscle, scintilla, small thing.
3. Blubber.
**Speck,** *v. a.* Spot, stain (*in spots*), dot.
**Spectacle,** *n.* I. Show, exhibition, sight, scene, representation, display, pageant, parade, gazing-stock.
2. Curiosity, wonder, marvel, phenomenon, sight.
**Spectacles,** *n pl.* Glasses.
**Spectator,** *n.* Beholder, observer, bystander, looker-on, on-looker, witness.
**Spectral,** *a.* Ghostly, phantom-like, ghost-like, shadowy.
**Spectre,** *n.* Apparition, ghost, spirit, shade, phantom, shadow, goblin, hobgoblin.
**Spectrum,** *n.* Image, appearance, representation.
**Speculate,** *v. n.* I. Meditate, contemplate, cogitate, reflect, ponder, muse, ruminate, think, consider, theorize.
2. Trade (*hazardously*).
**Speculation,** *n.* I. Contemplation, intellectual examination, mental view.
2. Theory, scheme, hypothesis, supposition, conjecture, view, *a priori* reasoning, reflection.
**Speculatist,** *n.* Speculator, theorizer, theorist.
**Speculative,** *a.* I. Contemplative, unpractical, Platonic, philosophical, speculatory.
2. Theoretical, ideal, imaginary.
**Speculator,** *n.* Theorizer, speculatist, theorist.
**Speculum,** *n.* [L.] I. Mirror, looking-glass.
2. Reflector.
**Speech,** *n.* I. Articulate utterance.
2. Language, words.
3. Language, tongue, dialect.
4. Talk, parlance, verbal intercourse, oral communication, conversation.
5. Observation, remark, talk mention, saying.
6. Oration, discourse, address, harangue.
**Speechify,** *v. n.* Harangue, make a speech, hold forth (*humorous* or *contemptuous*).
**Speechless,** *a.* I. Mute, dumb.
2. Silent, dumb, mute.
**Speed,** *v. n.* I. Make haste.
2. Succeed, prosper, thrive, flourish.
3. Fare, get on.
**Speed,** *v. a.* I. Despatch, send away quickly, send away in haste.
2. Hasten, expedite, accelerate, hurry, despatch, quicken, urge *or* press forward, urge *or* press on.
3. Despatch, execute, carry through.
4. Assist, help, aid, help forward, hasten, advance.
5. Prosper, favor, make successful.
6. Dismiss, take leave of.
7. Despatch, kill, ruin, destroy.
**Speed,** *n.* I. Haste, hurry, despatch, celerity, swiftness, fleetness, velocity, quickness, rapidity, expedition, acceleration.
2. Success, prosperity, good fortune, good luck, favorable issue, event.
3. Impetuosity, headlong violence.
**Speedy,** *a.* I. Swift, rapid, quick, fleet, hasty, hurried, flying, nimble, hurrying, fast.
2. Quick, prompt, expeditious.
3. Near, approaching, early.
**Speight,** *n.* [Written also *Specht, Spekt.*] Black woodpecker.
**Spell,** *n.* I. Charm, incantation, exorcism.
2. Turn (*at work*).
3. Season, term, period, interval, fit.
**Spell,** *v. a.* I. Represent by letters.
2. Read, interpret, decipher, unfold, unriddle, unravel, discover by characters (often with *out*).
3. Fascinate, charm, bewitch.
**Spell-bound,** *a.* Enchanted charmed, bewitched, fascinated, under a spell, under magic influence.
**Speller,** *n.* Spelling-book.
**Spelling,** *n.* Orthography.

**Spelling-book,** *n.* Speller.
**Spelter,** *n.* Zinc.
**Spence,** *n.* Buttery, larder, pantry, closet, store-room.
**Spend,** *v. a.* 1. Expend, disburse, lay out, dispose of, part with.
2. Waste, consume, exhaust, squander, dissipate, lavish, use up.
3. Employ, devote, bestow, apply, pass.
4. Waste, wear away, exhaust of force
**Spend,** *v. n.* 1. Lay out money, incur expense.
2. Vanish, be lost, be consumed, dissipate, spread.
**Spending,** *n.* Expenditure.
**Spendthrift,** *n.* Prodigal, squanderer, waster, spender.
**Spent,** *a.* Exhausted, worn out, wearied.
**Sperm,** *n* Semen, seed.
**Spermaceti-whale,** *n.* Cachelot, sperm-whale (*Physeter macrocephalus*)
**Spermatic,** *a.* Seminal.
**Sperm-whale,** *n.* See SPERMACETI-WHALE.
**Spew,** *v. a.* 1. Vomit, puke, cast up, throw up
2. Eject, cast forth
**Spew,** *v. n.* Vomit, puke.
**Sphacelate,** *v. n.* Mortify, gangrene.
**Sphacelation,** *n.* (*Med.*) Mortification.
**Sphacelus,** *n.* (*Med.*) Gangrene, mortification.
**Sphagnum,** *n.* Bog-moss, peat-moss.
**Sphenoid,** } *a.* (*Anat.*) Wedge-shaped.
**Sphenoidal,** }
**Spheral,** *a.* Symmetrical, complete, perfect.
**Sphere,** *n.* 1. Globe, ball, orb.
2. Circuit, circle, compass, province, department, walk, beat, function, vocation, office, employment.
3. Rank, standing, order.
4. Region, realm, domain, quarter, country.
5. Socket, orbit.
**Spherical,** *a.* 1. Globular, orbicular, globated, globous, globose, rotund, round.
2. Planetary.
**Sphericity,** *n.* Rotundity, roundness, globosity, globularity.
**Spice,** *n.* 1. Flavoring, flavor, relish, taste, savor.
2. Admixture, sprinkling, tincture, dash, infusion, grain, particle, small quantity, smack, *soupçon*.
**Spice-bush,** *n.* See SPICE-WOOD.
**Spice-wood,** *n.* Spice-bush, Benjamin-tree, fever-bush, wild allspice (*Benzoin odoriferum* or *Laurus benzoin*).
**Spiciferous,** *a.* Spicated, eared, spicose, spicous.
**Spicily,** *ad.* Pungently, wittily.
**Spick-and-span new.** Quite new, fire-new, brand-new.
**Spicy,** *a.* 1. Aromatic, fragrant, balmy, racy.
2. Pungent, sharp, piquant, pointed, keen, racy.
**Spider's web.** Cobweb.
**Spigot,** *n.* Spile, stopper, stopple, spill, plug.
**Spike,** *n.* 1. Ear (*of grain*), head.
2. Large nail *or* pin.
**Spile,** *n.* 1. See SPIGOT.
2. Pile.
**Spill,** *v. a.* Shed, effuse, pour out.
**Spin,** *v. a.* 1. Twist (*into thread*).
2. Extend, draw out.
3. Protract, spend, lengthen, prolong, draw out.
4. Twirl, whirl.
**Spina,** *n.* Thorn, prickle, spine.
**Spin a yarn.** Tell a long story.
**Spindle,** *n.* (*Mech.*) Axis, shaft, arbor.
**Spindle-shaped,** *a.* Fusiform.
**Spine,** *n.* 1. Thorn.
2. Backbone, spinal column, vertebral column.
3. Ridge.
**Spinet,** *n.* Virginal, clarichord.
**Spinner,** *n.* Spider, garden-spider.
**Spinney,** *n.* [Written also *Spinny*.] Thicket, grove, shrubbery.
**Spinose,** *a.* Thorny, spiny, spinous, briery.
**Spinous,** *a.* See SPINOSE.
**Spiny,** *a.* 1. Thorny, spinose, spinous, briery
2. Slender.
3. Thorny, difficult, troublesome, perplexed.
**Spiracle,** *n.* Aperture (*especially in animal and vegetable bodies*), blowhole, vent, orifice, pore.
**Spiral,** *a.* Winding (*like the thread of a screw*), cochleary, cochleated, spiry, helical, screw-shaped.
**Spiral,** *n.* Helix, worm.
**Spire,** *n.* 1. Spiral, curl, twist, wreath.
2. Steeple.
3. Shoot, spear, stalk, blade.
4. Summit, apex.
**Spirit,** *n.* 1. Air, breath.
2. Life.
3. Vital essence (*apart from matter*), immaterial substance.
4. Soul, pure intelligence, inner man.
5. Soul, disembodied soul.
6. Apparition, ghost, spectre, shade, phantom.
7. Demon, genius, sprite, fairy, elf, angel.
8. Disposition, temper, humor, mood, spirits, frame of mind, turn of mind.
9. Courage, ardor, fire, energy, force, vivacity, cheerfulness, enterprise, vigor, mettle, earnestness, enthusiasm, zeal, resolution, elevation of soul.
10. Liveliness, animation, piquancy, warmth, glow, vivacity, cheerfulness, enterprise.
11. Person (*as distinguished by peculiar qualities*), individual.
12. Meaning, significance, purport, intent, drift, gist, tenor, sense.
13. Nature, character, complexion, characteristic quality, essential part, essence, quintessence.
14. Alcohol, distilled liquor
15. Liquor, intoxicating liquor.
16. [With *The* prefixed.] Holy Ghost, Holy Spirit, Paraclete, Comforter, the Spirit of God.
**Spirit,** *v. a.* 1. Excite, encourage, animate, inspirit.
2. Kidnap, carry off (*secretly*)
**Spirited,** *a.* Animated, lively, vivacious, sprightly, ardent, earnest, active, bold, courageous, alert, high-mettled, high-spirited, full of spirit, full of life.
**Spiritist,** *n.* Spiritualist.
**Spiritless,** *a.* 1. Lifeless, breathless, extinct, dead
2. Dejected, depressed, discouraged, dispirited, low-spirited.
3. Dull, torpid, sluggish, cold, apathetic, phlegmatic, languid, soulless, feeble, unenterprising.
4. Heavy, stupid, dull, frigid, tame, prosaic, prosy, insipid, uninteresting.
**Spirit of Myrcia.** Bay-rum.
**Spirits,** *n. pl.* 1. Disposition, temper, mood, humor, spirit, frame of mind, turn of mind.
2. Distilled liquors, ardent spirits.
**Spirit-stirring,** *a.* Inspiring, animating, enlivening, cheering, exhilarating
**Spiritual,** *a.* 1. Immaterial, incorporeal, ethereal, ghostly.
2. Mental, intellectual, moral, ideal, abstract
3. Holy, divine, pure, sacred.
4. Ecclesiastical.

**Spirituality,** *n.* I. Immateriality.
2. Religious function (*as of the Church*).
3. Spiritual-mindedness.
**Spiritualize,** *v. a.* Purify, elevate, refine, make spiritual.
**Spiritual-mindedness,** *n.* Spirituality.
**Spirituous,** *a* I. Alcoholic, ardent, spiritous.
2. Ethereal, immaterial, intangible.
3. Pure, active, living.
**Spirituousness,** *n.* Ardor, heat, activity, life.
**Spirt,** *v. n.* Gush, jet, spout. See SPURT.
**Spirt,** *v. a.* Spout, throw out.
**Spiry,** *a.* I. Winding, wreathed, curled, spiral, helical, cochleary, cochleated, screw-shaped.
2. Pyramidal, tapering.
**Spit,** *v. a.* I. Pierce, thrust through.
2. Eject, throw out.
**Spit,** *v. n.* Spawl, sputter.
**Spit,** *n.* Spittle, saliva, spawl, *sputum.*
**Spit-box,** *n.* Spittoon.
**Spite,** *n.* I. Malice, malevolence, rancor, venom, gall, malignity, maliciousness, hate, grudge, pique, ill-nature, ill-will, hatred, vindictiveness, spleen.
2. Defiance, opposition, despite, contempt.
3. Trouble, vexation, chagrin, mortification.
**Spite,** *v. a.* I. Mortify, thwart, injure, treat maliciously.
2. Offend, annoy, vex
**Spiteful,** *a.* Malicious, malignant, malevolent, malign, ill-disposed, evil-minded, ill-natured, hateful, rancorous.
**Spittoon,** *n.* Spit-box.
**Splash,** *n.* I. Water, dirty water.
2. Blot, daub, spot.
**Splash,** *v. n.* Plash, dabble in water.
**Splash,** *v. a.* Dash, spatter, plash.
**Splay,** *v. a.* (*Arch.*) I. Slope (*as the side of a window*), slant.
2. Dislocate, sprain.
**Splay,** *a* Wide, broad, spreading out, turned out.
**Spleen,** *n.* I. (*Anat.*) Milt.
2. Anger, spite, animosity, gall, rancor, pique, malevolence, malignity, grudge, hatred, malice, ill-humor, peevishness, irascibility, chagrin.
3. Melancholy, despondency, hypochondria, dejection, depression, dumps, megrims, the dismals, the blues, blue devils, vapors, *hypochondriasis.*
**Spleenless,** *a.* Kind, gentle, mild, benign.
**Spleeny,** *a.* I. Angry, fretful, peevish, ill-tempered, irritable, spleenish, spleenful, splenetic.
2. Melancholy, hypochondriacal, low-spirited.
**Splendid,** *a.* I. Shining, glowing, resplendent, effulgent, refulgent, bright, lustrous, radiant, beaming, brilliant.
2. Showy, magnificent, gorgeous, sumptuous, pompous, superb, kingly, dazzling, imposing.
3. Illustrious, conspicuous, eminent, distinguished, pre-eminent, remarkable, famous, celebrated, glorious, brilliant, noble, signal.
4. Grand, heroic, sublime, lofty, noble.
**Splendor,** *n.* I. Lustre, brilliance, brilliancy, brightness, refulgence.
2. Magnificence, pomp, stateliness, show, gorgeousness, pompousness, display, parade, showiness, grandeur, *éclat.*
3. Eminence, celebrity, fame, glory, brilliancy, grandeur, renown.
4. Grandeur, sublimity, loftiness, nobleness.
**Splenetic,** *a.* I. Irascible, irritable, fretful, peevish, touchy, testy, pettish, waspish, petulant, choleric, snappish, cross.
2. Morose, sullen, sulky, churlish, sour, crabbed.
3. Melancholy, despondent, moping, gloomy, melancholic, hypochondriacal, jaundiced.
**Splice,** *v. a.* Braid together (*as the ends of ropes*), join together.
**Splinter,** *v. a.* I. Split (*into thin pieces*), shiver, rend.
2. Splinter.
**Splinter,** *v. n.* Be split (*into thin pieces*), shiver.
**Splinters,** *n. pl.* Flinders, fragments.
**Split,** *v. a* I. Cleave, rive.
2. Burst, rend, splinter.
3. Divide, sunder, separate, part.
**Split,** *v. n.* I. Burst, be riven, be rent, be split, splinter.
2. Be broken, be dashed to pieces.
3. Separate, divide, break.
4. Ache, throb.
**Split,** *n.* I. Crack, fissure, rent.
2. Division, separation, breach.
**Split hairs.** Refine, be over-nice, affect nicety, make useless distinctions.
**Splotch,** *n* Spot, stain, smear, daub, blot.
**Splutter,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Bustle, stir.
**Splutter,** *v. n.* (*Colloq.*) Stammer (*through haste*), sputter, stutter.
**Splutterer,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Stammerer, sputterer.
**Spoil,** *v. a.* I. Plunder, rob, despoil, fleece, strip, ravage, waste.
2. Injure, harm, disfigure, mar, damage, ruin, destroy.
3. Steal, take, seize by violence.
4. Corrupt, vitiate, mar, ruin.
**Spoil,** *v. n.* I. Steal, pilfer, rob.
2. Decay, be corrupted.
**Spoil,** *n.* I. Booty, pillage, plunder, prey.
2. Prize, booty, gain.
3. Robbery, waste, pillage, rapine, spoliation.
4. Slough, cast skin, tegument.
5. Corruption, ruin, destruction.
**Spoiler,** *n.* I. Plunderer, robber, pillager.
2. Destroyer, corrupter.
**Spoken,** *a.* Oral, parole, nuncupative, nuncupatory.
**Spokesman,** *n.* Speaker, prolocutor.
**Spoliate,** *v. a.* Rob, plunder, spoil, despoil, destroy, pillage.
**Spoliation,** *n.* I. Robbery, destruction, deprivation, despoliation.
2. Robbery, pillage, plundering, rapine, devastation, destruction.
**Sponge,** *v. a.* I. Wipe (*with a sponge*), cleanse.
2. Efface, obliterate, wipe out, expunge, rub out.
3. Drain, squeeze, plunder.
**Sponger,** *n.* Parasite, hanger-on.
**Spongy,** *a.* I. Porous, spongeous.
2. Wet, rainy, showery.
3. Drenched, saturated, soaked, wet.
4. Bibulous, absorbent.
**Sponsor,** *n.* I. Surety.
2. Godfather *or* godmother.
**Spontaneity,** *n.* Spontaneousness.
**Spontaneous,** *a.* Voluntary, instinctive, uncompelled, unbidden, unconstrained, willing, gratuitous, free, impulsive, self-moving, self-acting, self-existent.
**Spontaneousness,** *n.* Spontaneity.
**Sporadic,** *a.* Scattered, separate, single.
**Sport,** *n.* I. Play, diversion, amusement, pastime, game, fun, frolic, gambol, prank, recreation, gayety, entertainment, merriment, mirth, jollity, joviality, pleasantry, merry-making.
2. Amusement, entertainment, diversion.
3. Recreation.
4. Jest, joke.
5. Mockery, derision, mock, ridicule, contemptuous mirth, jeer.

6. Toy, plaything.
7. Play, idle jingle.
8. Monstrosity, *lusus naturæ*.
9. Wantonness, looseness, amorous dallying.

**Sport,** *v. n.* I. Play, frolic, disport, wanton, skip, frisk, romp, caper, make fun, make merry.
2. Trifle.

**Sport,** *v. a.* (*Colloq.*) Exhibit, display, make a show of.

**Sportive,** *a.* I. Gay, frolicsome, playful, lively, merry, gamesome, sprightly, frisky, tricksy, rollicking, hilarious, wanton, buxom, prankish, full of play, full of fun.
2. Jocose, jocular, waggish, humorous, comic, ludicrous, frolicsome, playful, gamesome, facetious, funny, merry, vivacious, lively, sprightly, jocund, mirthful.

**Spot,** *n.* I. Speck, blot, mark, speckle.
2. Blemish, stain, taint, flaw.
3. Disgrace, reproach, fault, blemish, flaw.
4. Place, locality, site.

**Spot,** *v. a.* I. Make spots on, dapple, variegate.
2. Stain, sully, soil, tarnish, blemish.
3. Disgrace, stain, sully, soil, tarnish, blemish.
4. (*Cant term.*) Mark, take special note of, note.

**Spotless,** *a.* I. Unspotted, undefaced, perfect.
2. Immaculate, unstained, untainted, unblemished, untarnished, blameless, stainless, innocent, pure, irreproachable.

**Spotted,** *a.* Speckled, bespeckled, bespotted, dotted, freckled, spotty, maculated.

**Spotted fever.** Typhus fever.

**Spotty,** *a.* See SPOTTED.

**Spousal,** *a.* Matrimonial, conjugal, connubial, hymeneal, bridal, marital, nuptial, wedded.

**Spousals,** *n. pl.* Nuptials, espousals, marriage, wedding.

**Spouse,** *n.* Husband *or* wife, married person, consort, mate, partner, companion.

**Spouseless,** *a.* Unmarried, unmated, unmatched.

**Spout,** *n.* I. Ajutage, tube, conduit.
2. Nozzle, nose.
3. Waterspout.

**Spout,** *v. a.* I. Spirt, pour out (*through a narrow orifice*), squirt.
2. Utter (*pompously*), mouth, declaim, speak.

**Spout,** *v. n.* I. Gush, issue, spirt.
2. (*Colloq.*) Declaim, rant, make a speech, hold forth, speechify.

**Spouter,** *n.* Declaimer.

**Sprain,** *v. a.* Strain (*as a joint*), twist, wrench, overstrain.

**Spray,** *n.* I. Twig, shoot, sprig, branch, bough.
2. Foam, froth, spume

**Spread,** *v. a.* I. Extend, expand, mantle, stretch, dilate.
2. Disperse, scatter, distribute.
3. Publish, divulge, propagate, disseminate, circulate, promulgate, make known, make public, spread abroad.
4. Propagate, spread, disseminate.
5. Emit, diffuse, scatter.
6. Prepare, make ready, furnish, cover, set with food.
7. Unfold, unfurl, open.
8. Cover, overspread, extend over.

**Spread,** *v. n.* I. Extend, be expanded.
2. Be dispersed, be scattered.
3. Circulate, be circulated, be spread abroad.

**Spread,** *n.* I. Extent, reach, compass.
2. Extension, expansion.
3. Dissemination, circulation, propagation.
4. Cover, cloth.

**Spree,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) I. Carousal, revel, revelry, revelling, jollification, bacchanals, saturnalia, debauch, compotation, wassail, orgies, carouse, cups, drinking-bout.
2. Row, riot, disturbance, shindy.

**Sprig,** *n.* I. Twig, shoot, spray.
2. Youth, lad.

**Spright,** *n.* I. Apparition, ghost, spectre, phantom, spirit, shade.
2. Spirit, courage.

**Sprightliness,** *n.* Liveliness, life, briskness, vivacity, animation, alertness, cheerfulness, gayety, frolicsomeness, vigor, activity.

**Sprightly,** *a.* Lively, mercurial, animated, vigorous, vivacious, buoyant, brisk, blithe, blithesome, gay, airy, cheerful, joyous, frolicsome, buxom, debonair, pleasant.

**Spring,** *v. n.* I. Leap, bound, jump, vault, hop.
2. Rise, start, come forth.
3. Arise, proceed, issue, put forth, shoot forth, make its appearance, emerge.
4. Originate, emanate, flow, take its source, have its origin, issue, arise.
5. Rebound, fly back, recoil.
6. Warp, bend, become warped.
7. Grow, thrive, wax.
8. Issue with speed, move with activity.

**Spring,** *n.* I. Leap, bound, jump, vault, saltation, hop.
2. Elasticity, resiliency, springiness, elastic force.
3. Fountain, well, fountain-head, fount, spring-head.
4. Source, original, origin, principle, cause.
5. Vernal season, spring-tide, spring-time.

**Spring a leak.** Begin to leak.

**Springe,** *n.* Snare, gin, noose, net, toil, trap.

**Spring-halt,** *n.* String-halt.

**Springiness,** *n.* I. Elasticity, resilience, spring.
2. Wetness, sponginess.

**Springy,** *a.* Elastic, resilient, rebounding.

**Sprinkle,** *v. a.* I. Scatter, strew.
2. Bedew, besprinkle, scatter.
3. Wash, cleanse, purify.

**Sprinkle,** *v. n.* Rain (*moderately*).

**Sprinkler,** *n.* Watering-pot, sprinkle.

**Sprinkling,** *n.* Affusion.

**Sprite,** *n.* Fairy, fay, pixy, elf, spirit, ghost, spectre, apparition, shade, phantom, goblin, hobgoblin.

**Sprout,** *v. n.* I. Shoot, germinate, vegetate, push, grow, pullulate, put forth, shoot forth, burst forth, bourgeon.
2. Ramify, shoot into branches.

**Sprout,** *n.* I. Acrospire, plumule.
2. Shoot, ratoon, young branch.

**Sprouts,** *n. pl.* Young coleworts.

**Spruce,** *a.* Neat (*without elegance*), trim, nice, trig, fine, finical, smart, jaunty, natty, foppish, dandyish, tidy, smug

**Spruce,** *v. n.* Prink, dress finically.

**Spruce,** *v. a.* Trim, deck, dress.

**Spry,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Active, lively, brisk, nimble, supple, agile, sprightly, quick, smart, prompt, alert, stirring, ready, dapper.

**Spume,** *n.* Foam, froth, spray, scum.

**Spumescence,** *n.* Frothiness, foaminess.

**Spumous,** *a.* See SPUMY.

**Spumy,** *a.* Foamy, frothy, spumous.

**Spunk,** *n.* I. Touchwood.
2. Punk, amadou, agaric, German tinder.

**Spur,** *n.* I. Goad, prick, point, rowel.
2. Incitement, stimulus, incentive, impulse, inducement, instigation, provocation, motive, fillip, whip, goad.
3. Snag, point, knot, gnarl, knob, projection.
4. Ergot, horn-seed, spurred rye.
5. Branch, subordinate range (*of mountains*).

**Spur,** *v. a.* I. Prick (*with the spur*).

2. Stimulate, incite, rouse, arouse, goad, induce, instigate, impel, urge forward, drive, animate.

**Spur,** *v. n.* Prick, gallop, hasten, press forward, press on.

**Spurious,** *a.* 1. Illegitimate, bastard.
2. Counterfeit, supposititious, meretricious, deceitful, sham, false, mock, pretended, feigned, clap-trap, fictitious, unauthentic, make-believe, adulterate, bogus, pinchbeck, brummagem.

**Spurn,** *v. a.* 1. Kick, drive back, drive away.
2. Contemn, scorn, scout, despise, disdain, make light of, look down upon, hold in contempt.

**Spurred rye.** Ergot, spur.

**Spurt,** *n.* 1. Jet, sudden gushing.
2. Sudden effort, short exigency.

**Spurt,** *v. n.* [Written also *Spirt.*] Gush, spring out, stream out suddenly, jet, well, spout.

**Sputation,** *n.* Spitting, expuition, act of spitting.

**Sputter,** *v. n.* 1. Spit, spawl.
2. Splutter, stammer.

**Sputterer,** *n.* Stammerer, splutterer.

**Spy,** *n.* Scout, emissary (*in disguise*), secret agent.

**Spy,** *v. a.* 1. See, behold, discern, espy, detect.
2. Discover, search out, detect.
3. Explore, view, inspect *or* examine secretly, discover by artifice.

**Spy,** *v. n.* Scrutinize, search narrowly.

**Spy-glass,** *n.* Small telescope

**Squab,** *a.* 1. Fat, plump, stout, dumpy, squabbish, squabby, thick, bulky, heavy, short, thick-set, chunky, fleshy.
2. Unfledged, unfeathered

**Squab,** *n.* Young pigeon.

**Squabbish,** *a.* See SQUAB.

**Squabble,** *v. n.* 1. Quarrel, wrangle, fight, scuffle, struggle, brawl.
2. Dispute, contend, jangle, brawl, bicker, altercate, wrangle.

**Squabble,** *n.* Brawl, wrangle, dispute, petty quarrel, broil, scrimmage, rumpus.

**Squabby,** *a* See SQUAB.

**Squad,** *n.* Gang, band, crew, set, knot, bevy, lot, small company.

**Squalid,** *a.* Filthy, nasty, dirty, foul, unclean, mucky.

**Squalidity,** *n.* See SQUALIDNESS.

**Squalidness,** *n.* Foulness, filthiness, squalidity, squalor.

**Squall,** *v. n.* Cry (*as an infant*), bawl, yell, scream, cry out.

**Squall,** *n.* 1. Cry, bawl, yell, scream, outcry.
2. Storm (*sudden and brief*), blast, gust, brief gale, little tempest, brief hurricane.

**Squally,** *a.* Gusty, blustering, stormy, tempestuous.

**Squalor,** *n.* [L.] See SQUALIDNESS.

**Squamate,** / **Squamated,** } *a.* Scaly. See SQUAMOSE.

**Squamose,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Scaly, squamate, squamated, squamous.

**Squamous,** *a.* See SQUAMOSE.

**Squander,** *v. a.* Spend (*profusely*), lavish, expend, waste, lose, dissipate, throw away, muddle away, scatter, misuse.

**Squanderer,** *n.* Spendthrift, prodigal, waster, lavisher.

**Square,** *a.* 1. Quadrilateral and equiangular.
2. Perpendicular, making a right angle.
3. Just, honest, fair, equitable, upright, exact, equal.
4. Adjusted, balanced, settled, even.
5. True, just, exactly suitable.
6. Hearty.

**Square,** *n.* 1. Four-sided figure (*with equal sides and angles*), quadrate.
2. Square number.
3. Open area (*in a city* or *town*).
4. (*Arch.*) One hundred superficial feet.
5. Pane of glass.
6. Equality, level.

**Square,** *v. a.* 1. Make square.
2. Regulate, adapt, fit, suit, accommodate, adjust, mould, shape.
3. Adjust, settle, close, balance, make even.
4. (*Arith.*) Multiply into itself.

**Square,** *v. n.* Suit, fit, accord, harmonize, quadrate, comport, cohere, chime in, fall in.

**Squarrose,** *a.* Ragged, rough, jagged.

**Squash,** *v. a.* Crush, mash.

**Squashy,** *a.* Soft, pulpy.

**Squat,** *v. n.* 1. Crouch, cower, sit close to the ground.
2. [*Modern.*] Settle (*without title to the land*), plant one's self, take up one's quarters, pitch one's tent.

**Squat,** *a.* 1. Crouching, cowering.
2. Dumpy, stubby, short and thick.

**Squaw-vine,** *n.* Checkerberry, partridge-berry, winter-clover (*Mitchella repens*).

**Squeal,** *v. n.* Cry (*as a pig*), yell.

**Squeamish,** *a.* Fastidious, nice, delicate, finical, particular, hypercritical, dainty, difficult, scrupulous, over-nice, hard to please.

**Squeeze,** *v a.* 1. Compress, gripe, pinch, nip, press closely
2. Force (*between close bodies*), drive.
3. Harass, oppress, crush.

**Squeeze,** *v. n.* Press, crowd, force a way, urge one's way

**Squeeze out.** Press out, force out, extract.

**Squeteague,** *n.* Weak-fish (*Labrus squeteague* or *Onolithus regalis*).

**Squib,** *n.* 1. Cracker.
2. Lampoon, pasquinade, satire.

**Squib,** *v. n.* (*Colloq.*) Make lampoons, throw squibs, make sarcastic remarks, fling.

**Squid,** *n.* Cuttle-fish, octopus, ink-fish (*Sepia officinalis*).

**Squint,** *v. n.* Look askant, look askance, look obliquely.

**Squint-eyed,** *a.* 1. Cock-eyed, cross-eyed, squinting.
2. Oblique, sinister, indirect, malignant.

**Squinting,** *n* Strabism, strabismus.

**Squirarchy,** *n.* Gentlemen, gentry, gentlefolk.

**Squire,** *v. a.* Attend, escort, gallant, accompany, wait on.

**Squire,** *n.* Esquire.

**Squireen,** *n.* [*Modern, Eng.*] Country squire, petty squire.

**Squirm,** *v. n.* Writhe, wriggle, twist.

**Squirt,** *v. a.* Eject (*through a syringe*), spirt.

**Squirt,** *n.* Syringe.

**Stab,** *v. a.* 1. Pierce, transfix, gore, spear, transpierce, pink, wound.
2. Wound, wound maliciously.
3. Injure secretly, malign, slander.

**Stab,** *n.* 1. Thrust, cut, prick.
2. Wound, blow, dagger-stroke.
3. Injury, malicious thrust, covert wound.

**Stabber,** *n.* Assassin, privy murderer.

**Stability,** *n.* 1. Fixedness, durability, permanence, stableness, steadiness, immovability, strength.
2. Constancy, steadiness, firmness, stableness.

**Stable,** *a.* 1. Fixed, established, permanent, immovable, immutable, unalterable, indestructible, unchangeable, invariable, strong, firm.
2. Constant, steady, firm, steadfast, unwavering, stanch.

3. Durable, lasting, enduring, abiding, permanent, secure, perpetual, sure, fast.

**Stable-man,** *n.* Groom, hostler.

**Stableness,** *n.* See STABILITY.

**Stables,** *n. pl.* Mews.

**Staff,** *n.* 1. Stick, pole, rod.
2. Partisan, truncheon, quarter-staff, club, cudgel, bludgeon, shillelah, bat.
3. Cane, stick.
4. Support, prop, stay.
5. Mace, truncheon, *bâton.*
6. Staff-officers, general officers, *état major.*
7. Stanza, stave.

**Stag,** *n.* Hart, male red deer (*Cervus elaphus*).

**Stage,** *n.* 1. Platform.
2. Platform, scaffold, staging.
3. Theatre, playhouse.
4. Drama.
5. Arena, place of exhibition, field, platform, boards, theatre.
6. Station, stagehouse, halting-place.
7. Step, degree, point.
8. Stage-coach, omnibus, stage-carriage, stage-wagon, *diligence.*

**Stage-like,** *a.* Ranting, declamatory, stagey.

**Stage-player,** *n.* Actor, performer, player, tragedian *or* comedian.

**Stage whisper.** Loud whisper, very audible whisper.

**Stagey,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Ranting, declamatory, bombastic, theatrical, stage-like, dramatic, melodramatic, fustian, pompous.

**Stagger,** *v. n.* 1. Reel, totter, vacillate.
2. Fail, waver, give way.
3. Hesitate, waver, doubt.

**Stagger,** *v. a.* Shock, astonish, astound, amaze, confound, dumfound, pose, surprise, nonplus, strike with wonder, take by surprise.

**Staggers,** *n.* (*Farriery.*) Apoplexy.

**Staging,** *n.* [*U. S.*] Platform, scaffold.

**Stagnant,** *a.* 1. Motionless, standing, close, quiet.
2. Sluggish, inactive, inert, torpid, dull, heavy.

**Stagnate,** *v. n.* 1. Be stagnant, stand still.
2. Be dull, be inactive.

**Staid,** *a.* Sober, grave, steady, serious, composed, demure, solemn, calm, settled, sedate.

**Stain,** *v. a.* 1. Soil, sully, tarnish, spot, blot, blemish, discolor, maculate.
2. Dye, tinge, color.
3. Disgrace, pollute, corrupt, defile, dishonor, debase, deprave, contaminate, taint, blot, soil, tarnish, sully, befoul.

**Stain,** *n.* 1. Blemish, tarnish, spot, blot, imperfection, discoloration.
2. Disgrace, dishonor, contamination, taint, reproach, tarnish, pollution, blemish.
3. Shame, disgrace, infamy, cause of reproach, reproach.

**Stainless,** *a.* 1. Spotless, untarnished, unspotted.
2. Unsullied, faultless, innocent, uncorrupted, guiltless, pure, blameless, spotless.

**Stair,** *n.* 1. Stairs, flight of steps.
2. Step (*of a flight of stairs*).

**Staircase,** *n.* Stairs (*with casing, etc.,*), flight of stairs, stairway.

**Stairs,** *n. pl.* Staircase, stairway, flight of steps, flight of stairs, pair of stairs, set of steps.

**Stake,** *n.* 1. Stick (*pointed for driving into the ground*), picket, pale.
2. Wager, bet, pledge.
3. Risk, hazard, venture, adventure.
4. Martyrdom (*by fire*).

**Stake,** *v. a.* Risk, venture, hazard, peril, imperil, jeopardize, wager, pledge, put at stake, put at hazard.

**Stale,** *a.* 1. Vapid, tasteless, insipid, mawkish, flat, flashy, musty, fusty, sour.
2. Old, decayed, faded, effete, time-worn, worn out.
3. Trite, common, hackneyed, commonplace, threadbare, old, vapid, stereotyped.

**Stalk,** *v. n.* 1. Walk (*stealthily*).
2. Stride, strut, pace, march.

**Stalk,** *n.* Stem, petiole, pedicel, peduncle, culm, spire.

**Stalking-horse,** *n.* Mask, cover, pretence, screen, blind, cloak, veil, disguise.

**Stall,** *n.* 1. Stable.
2. Compartment (*as in a stable*), cell, recess.
3. Stand (*where things are sold*), shop, booth, *étalage.*
4. Seat (*for a dignitary in the choir of a church*).

**Stall,** *v. a.* 1. Put in a stable, keep in a stable.
2. Set fast (*as in mire*), fix in a slough, stick fast.

**Stall-fed,** *a.* Stable-kept, fatted.

**Stallion,** *n.* Stud-horse, breeding-horse, stock-horse, stone-horse.

**Stalwart,** *a.* 1. Strong, stout, sinewy, brawny, muscular, athletic, lusty, robust, sturdy, strapping, vigorous, powerful, puissant, able-bodied, Herculean, gigantic, stalworth.
2. Brave, bold, manly, valiant, valorous, gallant, intrepid, daring, resolute, firm, indomitable, redoubtable, redoubted, vehement, violent.

**Stalworth,** *a.* See STALWART.

**Stamina,** *n. pl.* 1. Firm parts (*that give strength*), principal elements.
2. Strength, vigor, force, stoutness, sturdiness, lustiness, power.
3. (*Bot.*) Stamens.

**Stammel,** *a.* Reddish (*paler than scarlet*).

**Stammer,** *v. n.* Stutter, hesitate (*in speaking*), falter, haw, hum and haw.

**Stammer,** *n.* Stutter, falter, hesitation.

**Stammerer,** *n.* Stutterer.

**Stammering,** *n.* Stuttering, faltering, difficulty of utterance.

**Stamp,** *v. a.* 1. Beat (*with the foot* or *a pestle*).
2. Impress, imprint, print, mark, brand, put a stamp on.
3. Impress, imprint, fix deeply.
4. Coin, mint, form.

**Stamp,** *n.* 1. Mark, impress, print, impression, brand.
2. Make, cast, mould, form, fashion, cut, character, complexion, description, kind, type, sort.

**Stampede,** *n.* Sudden flight (*as of horses from fright*).

**Stanch,** *v. a.* Stop the flow of, stop from running.

**Stanch,** *a.* 1. Strong, sound, stout, firm.
2. Steady, firm, constant, steadfast, resolute, stable, unwavering, hearty, strong, zealous, faithful, loyal, trusty

**Stanchion,** *n.* Prop, support, shore-stantient.

**Stand,** *v. n.* 1. Be upon the feet, rest on the feet.
2. Be erect, continue erect, remain upright.
3. Be placed, be situated, be located.
4. Remain, continue, abide, be fixed, endure, hold good, be permanent.
5. Stop, halt, pause.
6. Stay, be firm, be resolute, keep one's position, maintain one's ground, stand one's ground, be fixed, be steady.
7. Rank, have rank, hold a place.
8. Be (*emphatically*).
9. Be valid, have force, have validity.
10. Be a candidate.
11. (*Naut.*) Steer, hold a course.
12. Agree, consist, be reconciled, be compatible.

13. Rest, depend, have support.
14. Stagnate.

**Stand,** *v. a.* I. Endure, sustain, bear, weather, bear up against.
2. Resist (*without flinching*), oppose, withstand, stand against.
3. Abide, await, submit to, yield to, suffer, admit.
4. Put, place, set upright, fix.

**Stand,** *n.* I. Place, post, station, standing-place, position.
2. Station.
3. Stop, halt, stay.
4. Platform, raised station.
5. Small table.
6. Witness-stand.
7. Resistance, opposition.
8. Rank, post, station, standing.
9. Interruption, cessation, stop, stand-still, obstruction.
10. Difficulty, perplexity, hesitation, embarrassment.
11. Stall, booth.

**Stand against.** Oppose, resist, withstand.

**Standard,** *n.* I. Ensign, banner, flag, streamer, pennon, colors.
2. Criterion, rule, model, test, type.
3. Gauge, model, measure, scale.
4. Support, upright.
5. (*Bot.*) Vexillum.

**Standard-bearer,** *n.* Ensign (*of infantry*), cornet (*of cavalry*), color-sergeant.

**Stand by.** I. Stand near, be near, be present.
2. Be aside, be placed aside, be put aside.
3. Support, assist, aid, help, defend, side with, stand for.
4. Defend, maintain, vindicate, make good, justify, support.
5. Rest on, be supported, repose in.
6. (*Naut.*) Attend, be ready.

**Stander-by,** *n.* Bystander, spectator, witness.

**Stand fast.** Be fixed, be unshaken, be immovable.

**Stand fire.** Bear trial, stand firm, remain undismayed.

**Stand firmly on.** Be satisfied, be convinced of.

**Stand for.** I. Signify, mean, represent.
2. Defend, support, aid, help, side with, stand by, maintain.
3. Offer one's self as candidate, present one's self.
4. (*Naut.*) Direct the course toward.

**Stand from.** (*Naut.*) Direct the course from.

**Standing,** *a.* I. Established, settled, permanent.
2. Lasting, permanent, durable.
3. Stagnant, motionless.
4. Fixed, immovable.

**Standing,** *n.* I. Stand.
2. Duration, existence, continuance.
3. Establishment.
4. Station.
5. Footing, hold, ground, power to stand.
6. Position, rank, condition, reputation, estimation, *status*.

**Stand in hand.** Behoove, interest, concern, be important for, be advantageous for, be for one's interest, be serviceable to.

**Stand in one's own light.** Act against one's own interest, not know on which side one's bread is buttered, quarrel with one's bread and butter, kill the goose which lays golden eggs, throw a stone in one's own garden.

**Stand in stead.** Benefit, profit, be of use, be of service, be advantageous.

**Standish,** *n* Inkstand.

**Stand it.** (*Colloq.*) Endure it, bear it, put up with it.

**Stand of arms.** Complete set of arms.

**Stand off.** I. Keep off, keep at a distance, keep aloof.
2. Not to comply.

**Stand one in.** Cost.

**Stand one's ground.** Stand, stay, be firm, be resolute, keep one's position, maintain one's ground.

**Stand out.** I. Project, jut, protrude, be prominent, jut out.
2. Persist (*in resistance*), not yield, not comply.

**Standpoint,** *n.* Point of view.

**Stand-still,** *n.* Stand, stop, interruption, cessation.

**Stand to.** I. Abide by, adhere to, cling.
2. Be consistent with.
3. (*Naut.*) Ply, urge, use vigorously, persevere in using.

**Stand to it.** Persist in the opinion, stick to it.

**Stand to reason.** Seem reasonable, appear consistent.

**Stand under.** Undergo, sustain, endure.

**Stand up.** Rise, get upon one's feet.

**Stand up for.** Defend, justify, uphold, support, sustain.

**Stand upon.** I. Insist upon.
2. Value, pride one's self on, think much of.
3. Concern, interest, touch.

**Stand with** Be consistent with, agree.

**Stannel,** *n.* [Written also *Stannyel.*] Kestrel, castrel, windhover, stonegall, stand-gale (*Falco tinnunculus*).

**Stanza,** *n.* Stave, staff.

**Staple,** *n.* I. Chief commodity (*of a country* or *a district*), principal production.
2. Fibre (*of cotton, wool, etc.*), pile, filament, thread.
3. Raw material, unmanufactured material.
4. Bulk, mass, body, substance, principal part, greater part, chief ingredient.

**Staple,** *a.* Chief, principal.

**Star,** *n.* I. Heavenly body, luminary.
2. Asterisk, figure of a star.
3. Fate, fortune, destiny, lot, doom.
4. Eminent person (*particularly an eminent actor*).

**Starboard,** *n.* (*Naut.*) Right-hand side (*of a vessel, to a person looking forward*).

**Starboard,** *a.* (*Naut.*) Right.

**Starch,** *a.* See STARCHED.

**Starched,** *a.* Stiff, precise, formal, prim, rigid, punctilious, ceremonious, starchy, affectedly exact.

**Starch-sugar,** *n.* Glucose, grape-sugar.

**Stare,** *v. n.* Gaze, gloat, look intently, gaze earnestly.

**Star-finch,** *n.* Redstart (*Phœnicura ruticilla*).

**Star-fish,** *n.* Sea-star, five-finger.

**Star-flower,** *n.* I. Star-of-Bethlehem (*Ornithogalum umbellatum*).
2. Chickweed, starwort.

**Stark,** *a.* I. Stiff, rigid.
2. Mere, simple, sheer, bare, downright, gross, unmistakable, pure, entire, absolute.

**Stark,** *ad.* Wholly, entirely, completely, fully, absolutely.

**Star-like,** *a.* I. Bright, lustrous, twinkling.
2. Radiated, stellate, stellated, stellular.
3. Bright, illustrious.

**Star-monger,** *n.* Astrologer, fortune-teller.

**Starry,** *a.* I. Full of stars, star-spangled, stellar, stellary.
2. Stellar, stellary, astral.
3. Brilliant, shining, sparkling, twinkling, lustrous.

**Start,** *v. n.* I. Shrink, flinch, wince, startle.
2. Depart, set out, set off.
3. Arise, come into existence suddenly.
4. Deviate, digress, differ.
5. Move suddenly, spring, startle.

**Start,** *v. a.* I. Rouse, alarm, startle, disturb, fright, scare.
2. Evoke, raise, call forth.
3. Begin, initiate, institute, set on foot.
4. Discover, invent.
5. Move (*suddenly*), dislocate.

**Start,** *n.* I. Startle, sudden motion.
2. Fit, spasmodic effort, twitch, spasm.
3. Beginning, outset.
4. Excitement, stimulus.
5. Sally, sudden effusion, impulse.
6. Shoot, quick spring.

**Start after.** Follow, pursue, set out after.

**Start against.** Compete with, act as rival candidate.

**Start for.** Be a candidate for (*as an office*).

**Start from.** Issue from, proceed from.

**Starting-point,** *n.* Point of departure.

**Startle,** *v. n.* Shrink, wince, flinch, start.

**Startle,** *v. a.* I. Frighten, fright, affright, alarm, shock.
2. Strike with wonder, surprise, astonish, astound, amaze.

**Startle,** *n.* Shock, start.

**Startling,** *a.* Shocking, alarming, sudden, unexpected, unforeseen, surprising, astonishing, unheard of, abrupt.

**Start up.** Rise suddenly.

**Start with.** Begin with.

**Starvation,** *n.* Famishment.

**Starve,** *v. n.* I. Famish, perish (*with hunger*).
2. Lack, want, be in need.

**Starve,** *v. a.* I. Kill with hunger, starve to death.
2. Subdue by famine.

**Starveling,** *a.* Lean, meagre, lank, emaciated, gaunt, skinny, scraggy, raw-boned, hungry, thin, attenuated, ill-fed, ill-conditioned.

**Starveling,** *n.* Pauper, mendicant, beggar.

**Starwort,** *n.* Chickweed, star-flower.

**State,** *n.* I. Condition, situation, position, plight, predicament, pass, case, category.
2. Rank, condition, quality.
3. Commonwealth, civil community, body politic.
4. Pomp, parade, dignity, grandeur, magnificence, glory, greatness.

**State,** *v. a.* Express (*with particularity*), explain, specify, set forth, narrate, recite, represent fully, declare, affirm.

**State,** *a.* National, public.

**State-chamber,** *n.* Divan, audience-chamber, council-chamber.

**State-craft,** *n.* Statesmanship, state management, political subtlety.

**Stated,** *a.* I. Settled, established, regular, fixed.
2. Detailed, set forth, specified.

**State-house,** *n.* State capitol.

**Stately,** *a.* I. Lofty, dignified, majestic, imperial, magnificent, grand, noble, princely, royal, elevated, august, imposing.
2. Pompous, ceremonious, solemn, formal, magisterial, dignified, lofty, majestic, elevated.

**Stately mansion.** Palace.

**Statement,** *n.* Specification, mention, announcement, report, account, recital, relation, narration, narrative, description.

**Statesman,** *n.* Statist, politician.

**Station,** *n.* I. Place, position, post, location, situation.
2. Office, function, business, employment, sphere of duty, occupation.
3. Rank, standing, character, state, degree, condition, *status*.
4. Station-house, railway station, depot.

**Station,** *v. a.* Place, locate, post, fix, establish, set.

**Stationary,** *a.* Fixed, stable, permanent, standing, still, quiescent, motionless, at rest, at a stand, standing still.

**Stationer,** *n.* Dealer in pens, ink, paper, etc.

**Stationery,** *n.* Pens, ink, paper, etc.

**Station-house,** *n.* I. Station, railway station.
2. Police station, lock-up, watch-house.

**Statist,** *n.* Statesman, politician.

**Statuary,** *n.* I. Sculpture, carving.
2. Statues (*collectively*).
3. Sculptor, artist in stone.

**Statue,** *n.* Image (*made of some solid substance*).

**Statuette,** *n.* Small statue, little image.

**Stature,** *n.* Height, tallness, size.

**Statue,** *n.* [L.] Standing, rank, station, condition.

**Statute,** *n.* Law, act, enactment, ordinance, edict, decree, regulation.

**Staurolite,** *n.* I. See STAUROTIDE.
2. Harmotome.

**Staurotide,** *n.* Cross-stone, grenatite, staurolite.

**Stave,** *n.* Stanza, staff.

**Stave,** *v. a.* Burst, break a hole in, stave in.

**Stave in.** Burst.

**Stave off.** Defer, delay, postpone, adjourn, procrastinate, put off, lay over, let lie over, waive, shift off.

**Stay,** *v. n.* I. Sojourn, tarry, abide, dwell, lodge, rest, take up one's quarters, pitch one's tent.
2. Remain, continue, stop, be fixed, stand still, abide fixed, halt.
3. Wait, attend, delay, linger.
4. Rest, rely, confide, trust, repose, lean.

**Stay,** *v. a.* I. Stop, restrain, check, hold, withhold, curb, keep in, rein in, prevent.
2. Delay, obstruct, hinder, arrest.
3. Support, sustain, uphold, prop, hold up, shore up.

**Stay,** *n.* I. Sojourn, delay, halt, rest, repose, stop.
2. Stand, stop.
3. Hindrance, obstruction, interruption, obstacle, impediment, check, bar, restraint, curb, stumbling-block.
4. Support, prop, staff, dependence, supporter, buttress.

**Stays,** *n. pl.* Corsets.

**Stead,** *n.* [Written also *Sted.*] Place, room.

**Steadfast,** *a.* [Written also *Stedfast.*] I. Fixed, fast, established, firm, stable.
2. Resolute, firm, steady, stanch, constant, stable, pertinacious, unwavering, unhesitating, unshaken, unreserved, implicit, faithful, resolved, persevering.

**Steadily,** *ad.* Firmly, unwaveringly, undeviatingly.

**Steadiness,** *n.* I. Steadfastness, firmness, constancy, resolution, persistence, perseverance.
2. Stability, firmness, fixedness.

**Steady,** *a.* I. Fixed, firm, stable.
2. Regular, undeviating, unremitted, uniform, constant, equable.
3. Constant, resolute, stanch, steadfast, stable, unwavering, persevering, unchangeable.

**Steak,** *n.* Collop, slice, broiling-piece.

**Steal,** *v. a.* I. Purloin, pilfer, filch, poach, peculate, embezzle, swindle, make off with, come unlawfully by.
2. Allure, win, gain, draw over.
3. Convey secretly.
4. Take secretly, accomplish secretly.

**Steal,** *v. n.* I. Pilfer, purloin, thieve, practise theft, take feloniously.
2. Pass stealthily, go unperceived, withdraw privily.
**Stealer,** *n.* Thief, robber.
**Stealing,** *n.* Theft, robbery, larceny.
**Stealth,** *n.* Stealthiness, secrecy, slyness.
**Stealthy,** *a.* Sly, secret, private, clandestine, furtive, underhand, sneaking, skulking.
**Steam,** *n.* I. Vapor (*especially of water*), water in a gaseous state.
2. Visible vapor.
3. Mist, fume, reek, smoke, exhalation, effluvium.
**Steam,** *v. n.* I. Emit vapor, fume.
2. Evaporate, pass off in vapor.
3. Navigate (*by means of steam*), plough the deep, plough the waves.
**Steamboat,** *n.* Steamer.
**Steamer,** *n.* I. Steamboat, steamship.
2. Fire-engine, steam fire-engine.
**Steamer-duck,** *n.* Race-horse (*Micropterus brachypterus*).
**Steamship,** *n.* Steamer, steam-vessel.
**Steamy,** *a.* Vaporous, misty, moist.
**Steatite,** *n.* I. Soapstone, pot-stone, lard-stone.
2. Saponite.
**Steed,** *n.* (*Poetical.*) Horse (*especially a war-horse*), charger.
**Steel,** *n.* I. Carburet of iron, carbonized iron.
2. Armor, mail.
3. Knife, sword, dagger, dirk, poniard, claymore, sabre, falchion, rapier, hanger, blade.
4. Hardness, sternness, vigor, mercilessness.
**Steel,** *v. a.* I. Case-harden, edge *or* point with steel.
2. Harden, strengthen, fortify, nerve, brace, make firm.
**Steel-yard,** *n.* Roman balance.
**Steep,** *a.* Precipitous, abrupt.
**Steep,** *n.* Precipice, abrupt declivity.
**Steep,** *v. a.* Soak, macerate, imbrue, drench, digest, imbue.
**Steeple,** *n.* Spire, tower, turret, pointed belfry.
**Steeple-bush,** *n.* Hardhack (*Spiræa tomentosa*).
**Steer,** *n.* Young ox.
**Steer,** *v. a.* Direct (*as a vessel by the helm*), guide, pilot, conduct, govern, have *or* take the direction of.
**Steer,** *v. n.* I. Direct one's course.
2. Be directed, be governed.
**Steer clear of.** Shun, avoid, turn aside from.
**Steersman,** *n.* Helmsman, pilot, guide, conductor.
**Stegnotic,** *a.* Astringent, constipating.
**Stellar,** *a.* I. Astral, starry, stellary.
2. Full of stars, starry, star-spangled.
**Stellate,** *a.* Star-like, radiated, stellular, stellated, stellulate.
**Stellated,** / **Stellular,** } *a.* See STELLATE.
**Stem,** *n.* I. Trunk (*of a tree*), main stock, stipe.
2. Peduncle, pedicel, petiole, stalk.
3. Branch, shoot, scion, descendant, progeny, offspring.
4. Stock, race, pedigree, descent, family, generation, lineage, ancestry.
5. (*Naut.*) Forepart (*of a ship*), prow, beak, bow.
6. Lookout, leading position, helm.
7. (*Mus.*) Tail (*of a note*).
8. Root, origin, radical, radix, primitive word, etymon.
**Stem,** *v. a.* I. Oppose (*as a current*), resist, breast, withstand, bear up against, make head against.
2. Stop, check, oppose, stay.
**Stench,** *n.* Stink, fetor, bad smell, offensive odor.
**Stench-trap,** *n.* Cesspool, stink-trap.
**Stenographer,** *n.* Stenographist.
**Stenographist,** *n.* Stenographer.
**Stenography,** *n.* Shorthand, tachygraphy, brachygraphy.
**Stent,** *n.* See STINT.
**Stentorian,** *a.* Stunning, deafening, very loud, sonorous, powerful, thundering, trumpet-like.
**Step,** *n.* I. Pace.
2. Stair.
3. Degree, grade, gradation.
4. Advancement, progression, advance.
5. Action, act, deed, proceeding, measure, procedure.
6. Footstep, footprint, track, trace, vestige.
7. Gait, walk.
8. Measure, means, method, expedient.
9. Round (*of a ladder*), rundle.
10. Short distance, stone's throw, small space, few steps.
11. Remove
**Step,** *v. n.* Walk.
**Steppe,** *n.* Prairie, pampa, savanna.
**Stercoraceous,** *a.* Fecal.
**Sterile,** *a.* I. Barren, unfruitful, unproductive, unprolific, jejune, poor, bare, dry, empty.
2. Barren, unproductive, unprolific, infecund, unfruitful.
3. (*Bot.*) Acarpous, staminate, male.
**Sterility,** *n.* Barrenness, unfruitfulness, fruitlessness, unproductiveness, infecundity.
**Sterling,** *a* Genuine, pure, true, real, substantial, positive, standard, sound.
**Stern,** *a.* I. Forbidding, austere, severe, rigid.
2. Harsh, cruel, severe, bitter, rigorous, strict, hard, unrelenting, inflexible, rigid.
3. Steadfast, immovable, rigidly steadfast, incorruptible, uncompromising.
**Stern,** *n.* Hinder part (*of a vessel*).
**Sternness,** *n.* I. Severity, austerity, rigidity.
2. Harshness, asperity, rigor, inflexibility, cruelty.
**Sternum,** *n.* (*Anat.*) Breastbone, sternon.
**Sternutation,** *n.* Sneezing.
**Sternutative,** *a.* See STERNUTATORY.
**Sternutatory,** *a.* Sternutative, errhine, that produces sneezing.
**Stertoreous,** / **Stertorous,** } *a.* Snoring, hoarsely breathing.
**Stew,** *v. a.* Boil (*slowly*), seethe, simmer, stive.
**Stew,** *v. n.* Be boiled (*slowly*).
**Stew,** *n.* I. Hot-house, bagnio, hot bath-house, sudatory.
2. Ragout, stewed meat.
3. (*Colloq.*) Confusion, difficulty, scrape, mess.
**Steward,** *n.* I. Major-domo.
2. Manciple, purveyor.
**Stew-pan,** *n.* Saucepan, kettle, skillet.
**Stews,** *n. pl.* Brothel, bagnio, bawdy-house, whore-house, house of prostitution, house of ill fame.
**Stibial,** *a.* Antimonial.
**Stibium,** *n.* I. Antimony.
2. See STIBNITE.
**Stibnite,** *n.* Stibium, antimony-glance.
**Stich,** *n.* Line, verse.
**Stick,** *n.* I. Rod, switch, birch.
2. Club, bludgeon, cudgel, shillelah, bat.
3. Cane, staff, walking-stick.
4. Piece of timber.
5. Stab, thrust, prick.
6. (*In printing.*) Composing-stick.
**Stick,** *v. a.* I. Pierce, penetrate, transfix, stab, spear, gore.
2. Kill, stab.
3. Insert, thrust, infix.

4. Attach, paste, glue, cement.
5. Fix (*on something pointed*).
6. Set, fix in.

**Stick,** *v. n.* I. Adhere, cleave, cling, hold, stay fixed.
2. Abide, remain, stop, stay, hold fast, be infixed, cling.
3. Stop
4. Hesitate, waver, doubt, scruple, stickle, be embarrassed, be puzzled.

**Stick at.** Hesitate about, doubt about, be puzzled by.

**Stick by.** Adhere to, be faithful to, be true to, stick to, be constant, be firm.

**Stickiness,** *n.* Adhesiveness, viscousness, glutinousness, tenacity, viscosity.

**Stickle,** *v. n.* I. Struggle (*pertinaciously and on trifling grounds*), contend, altercate, contest.
2. Hesitate, waver, doubt, scruple, stick.
3. Trim, shift, play fast and loose.

**Stickle-back,** *n.* Prickle-back, stickle-bag.

**Stickler,** *n.* Pertinacious person.

**Stick out.** Project, protrude, be prominent.

**Stick sulphur.** Cane brimstone, roll sulphur.

**Stick to.** I. Cleave to, be faithful to, adhere to, stick by.
2. Persevere in.

**Stick upon.** Dwell upon, not forsake.

**Sticky,** *a.* Adhesive, glutinous, viscous, viscid, tenacious, gluey.

**Stiff,** *a.* I. Rigid, unbending, unyielding, inflexible, stark, subrigid.
2. Firm, tenacious, thick, inspissated.
3. Stubborn, obstinate, pertinacious, tenacious, strong.
4. Rigorous, severe, strict, strait-laced, stringent, peremptory, absolute, positive, austere, dogmatic, uncompromising, inexorable.
5. Formal, constrained, ceremonious, punctilious, prim, starch, stately, chilling, frigid, in buckram.
6. Inelegant, cramped, harsh, crude, graceless, abrupt.
7. Strong, fresh.

**Stiff-necked,** *a.* Stubborn, obstinate, obdurate, dogged, mulish, headstrong, contumacious, cross-grained, unruly, intractable.

**Stiffness,** *n.* I. Rigidity, inflexibility, rigidness, rigor, hardness, starkness.
2. Thickness, spissitude, density, compactness, denseness, consistence.
3. Stubbornness, obstinacy, pertinacity, contumaciousness, inflexibility.
4. Severity, rigor, strictness, harshness, rigorousness, austerity, sternness.
5. Formality, precision, constraint, primness, frigidity.
6. Tension, tenseness.
7. Torpidness, torpor, rigidity.

**Stifle,** *v. a.* I. Smother, choke, suffocate.
2. Suppress, repress, check, deaden, stop, destroy, extinguish, quench.
3. Still, hush, silence, muffle, muzzle, gag, conceal, smother.

**Stigma,** *n.* I. Mark (*made with a hot iron*), brand.
2. Stain, blot, disgrace, reproach, dishonor, shame, spot, blur, brand, tarnish, taint.

**Stigmatize,** *v. a.* I. Brand, mark with a hot iron.
2. Disgrace, reproach, dishonor, vilify, defame, discredit, brand, post, slur, hold up to shame.
3. Denounce, accuse, brand.

**Stiletto,** *n.* I. Dagger, dirk, poniard, pocket-dagger, stylet.
2. Bodkin, piercer, eyeleteer.

**Still,** *v. a.* I. Silence, stifle, muffle, hush, lull.
2. Calm, compose, quiet, allay, appease, pacify, tranquillize, smooth, lull.
3. Stop, check, restrain, subdue, suppress, calm, quiet.
4. Distil.

**Still,** *a.* I. Silent, noiseless, hushed, mute, mum.
2. Quiet, calm, tranquil, placid, serene, stilly.
3. Motionless, quiescent, at rest, inert, stagnant, stationary.
4. Soft, gentle, mild, low, quiet.

**Still,** *ad.* or *conj.* I. Yet, till now, to this time
2. However, nevertheless, notwithstanding.
3. Always, ever, continually, habitually, uniformly.
4. After that, after what is stated, in continuance, again.

**Still,** *n.* I. Distillery, still-house.
2. Distillatory, distilling vessel, alembic, stillatory.

**Still-room,** *n.* I. Stillatory, laboratory.
2. Store-room, preserve-closet.

**Stilly,** *a.* Quiet, calm, tranquil, serene, still, peaceful, silent.

**Still-yard,** *n.* See STEEL-YARD.

**Stilt,** *n.* Stilt-bird, long-legged plover (*Himantopus melanopterus*).

**Stilt-bird,** *n.* Stilt.

**Stilted,** *a.* Pompous, swelling, inflated, bombastic, turgid, pretentious, grandiloquent, high-flowing, high-sounding, fustian, stilty, tumid, high-flown, grandiose.

**Stimulant,** *a.* Stimulating, exciting, stimulative.

**Stimulant,** *n.* I. Stimulating medicine.
2. Incentive, stimulus, provocative, spur.

**Stimulate,** *v. a.* Incite, excite, instigate, animate, awaken, provoke, pique, encourage, inspirit, urge, prompt, goad, rouse, arouse, whet, foment, spur, impel, inflame, fire, kindle, stir up, set on, work up, prick, fillip, irritate, exasperate, incense.

**Stimulative,** *a.* See STIMULANT.

**Stimulative,** *n.* See STIMULUS.

**Stimulus,** *n.* Incentive, spur, goad, incitement, stimulant, provocative, provocation, motive, encouragement.

**Sting,** *v. a.* I. Prick, wound, hurt.
2. Afflict, pain, cut to the quick, go to one's heart.

**Sting,** *n.* Prick, act of stinging.

**Stinging,** *a.* Piercing, painful, acute.

**Stingy,** *a.* Niggardly, penurious, parsimonious, miserly, close, mean, covetous, avaricious, sordid, close-fisted, narrow-hearted.

**Stink,** *v. n.* Smell bad, smell ill, emit a stench.

**Stink,** *n.* Stench, fetor, offensive odor, bad smell.

**Stinkard,** *n.* Teledu (*Mydaus meliceps*).

**Stink-stone,** *n.* Swine-stone.

**Stink-trap,** *n.* Cesspool, stench-trap.

**Stint,** *v. a.* I. Limit, bound, restrain, confine.
2. Straiten, pinch, distress, begrudge, put on short allowance.

**Stint,** *v. n.* Stop, cease, desist.

**Stint,** *n.* I. Limit, bound, restraint.
2. Quantity assigned, allotted portion.

**Stipe,** *n.* I. Base of a frond, stem.
2. Stalk (*of a pistil*).
3. Stem (*of a mushroom* or *fungus*).
4. Trunk of a tree.

**Stipend,** *n.* Salary, wages, allowance, pay, hire, compensation, remuneration, emolument, fee, *honorarium*.

**Stipple,** *v. a.* Engrave (*by dots, instead of lines*).

**Stiptic,** *n.* See STYPTIC.

**Stipulate,** *v. n.* Bargain, agree, contract, engage, covenant, provide, settle terms.

**Stipulation,** *n.* Bargain, agreement, contract, en-

gagement, obligation, covenant, indenture, concordat, pact, convention.

**Stir,** *v. a.* I. Move.
2. Agitate, disturb.
3. Discuss, argue, moot, start, raise, agitate, bring into debate.
4. Instigate, incite, excite, rouse, arouse, awaken, prompt, stimulate, provoke, animate, goad, spur, stir up, set on.

**Stir,** *v. n.* I. Move, budge, go, change place, change one's position, move one's self.
2. Be active, be in motion.
3. Appear, happen, turn up, come into notice.
4. (*Colloq.*) Rise (*from bed in the morning*), get up.

**Stir,** *n.* I. Agitation, tumult, bustle, excitement, confusion, hurry, movement, activity, flurry, ado, fidget, fuss.
2. Disorder, tumult, uproar, commotion, public disturbance, seditious commotion.
3. Agitation of mind, conflict of passions.

**Stir-about,** *n.* Porridge.

**Stirring,** *a.* I. Active, lively, brisk, smart, industrious, diligent.
2. Animating, arousing, awakening, stimulating, quickening, exciting.

**Stir up.** I. Incite, instigate, animate, put in action, excite, quicken, awaken, move, rouse, provoke, stimulate.
2. Disturb.
3. Begin, put into action.
4. Quicken, enliven.

**Stitch,** *v. a.* I. Sew, sew together.
2. Make stitches in.

**Stithy,** *n.* [Written also *Stythy.*] Smithy, smithery, smith's shop, forge.

**Stive,** *v. a.* I. Stow, stuff close.
2. Make hot, close, *or* sultry.
3. Stew, seethe, boil gently.

**Stoak,** *v. a.* (*Naut.*) Stop, choke.

**Stoat,** *n.* Ermine (*Mustela erminea*), meniver.

**Stock,** *n.* I. Trunk (*of a tree*), stipe, stalk, stem.
2. Post, pillar, block, log.
3. Dolt, dullard, dunce, blockhead, fool, block, stick, dunderhead, numskull, loggerhead, clod.
4. Handle (*of an instrument*), haft.
5. Cravat, neckcloth.
6. Race, lineage, pedigree, parentage, ancestry, family, line, descent, house.
7. Capital, fund, invested property, principal.
8. Store, supply, accumulation, provision, hoard, reserve.
9. Live-stock, domestic animals (*on a farm*).

**Stock,** *v. a.* I. Store, supply, furnish, fill.
2. Reserve, save, garner, hoard, reposit, accumulate, lay in, treasure up, lay by, lay up.

**Stock,** *a.* Standard, permanent, standing.

**Stock-dove,** *n.* Wild pigeon (*of Europe*), wood-pigeon (*Columba œnas*).

**Stock-exchange,** *n.* Stock-market.

**Stockholder,** *n.* Shareholder.

**Stockish,** *a.* Stupid, blockish, stolid.

**Stock-jobber,** *n.* Speculator in stocks, trader in stocks.

**Stock-market,** *n.* I. Stock-exchange.
2. Cattle-market.

**Stocks,** *n. pl.* I. Funds (*invested in joint-stock enterprises* or *in the obligations of a Government*), public funds, public securities.
2. Shares (*in joint-stock companies*, or *in the obligations of a Government*).

**Stock-still,** *a.* Stone-still, perfectly still, motionless, still as a post.

**Stocky,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Stout, plump, chubbed, stubby, short and thick, stubbed.

**Stoic,** *n.* Follower of Zeno, Stoical philosopher.

**Stoic,** / **Stoical,** *a.* Passionless, apathetic, unimpassioned, imperturbable, philosophic, Platonic, cool, indifferent, cold, cold-blooded, impassive, impassible, patient.

**Stoicism,** *n.* I. Stoical philosophy, philosophy of Zeno.
2. Apathy, insensibility, coolness, indifference, coldness, phlegm, cold blood, impassibility, nonchalance.

**Stole,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Sucker, stolon.

**Stolen,** *a.* I. Purloined, pilfered, filched, taken wrongfully.
2. Furtive, stealthy, surreptitious, clandestine, secret, sly.

**Stolid,** *a.* Stupid, dull, heavy, doltish, slow, foolish, blockish, obtuse, stockish.

**Stolidity,** *n.* Stupidity, dulness, foolishness, doltishness, obtuseness, stolidness.

**Stolidness,** *n.* See STOLIDITY.

**Stoma,** *n.* [Gr. *pl. Stomata.*] I. Pore (*in plants*), breathing-pore, stomate.
2. Breathing-hole (*in articulate animals*).

**Stomach,** *n.* I. Appetite.
2. Inclination, desire, taste, liking, relish.

**Stomach,** *v. a.* (*Colloq.*) Brook, endure, bear, tolerate, abide, swallow, stand, submit to, suffer, put up with.

**Stomachal,** *a.* Good for the stomach. See STOMACHIC, *a*, 2.

**Stomachal,** *n.* See STOMACHIC, *n.*

**Stomachic,** *n.* Cordial, medicine for the stomach, stomachal.

**Stomachic,** / **Stomachical,** *a.* I. Of the stomach.
2. Stomachal, cordial, wholesome, tonic, salutary, good for the stomach.

**Stone,** *n.* I. Rock, pebble, bowlder.
2. Gem, jewel, precious stone.
3. Gravestone, tombstone, monument, cenotaph, monumental tablet.
4. Nut (*of a drupe*).
5. Vesical calculus.
6. Testicle.
7. Adamant, flint, marble.

**Stone,** *v. a.* I. Pelt with stones.
2. Face with stone, line with stone.
3. Free from stones, stein.

**Stone-bed,** *n.* Quarry, stone-pit.

**Stone-blind,** *a.* Totally blind, sightless.

**Stone-break,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Saxifrage.

**Stone-coal,** *n.* Anthracite, blind-coal, glance-coal, hard-coal.

**Stone-cold,** *a.* Cold as stone.

**Stone-crop,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Orpine.

**Stone-curlew,** *n.* Stone-plover, thick-kneed plover, bustard, thick-knee (*Œdicnemus crepitans*).

**Stone-deaf,** *a.* Deaf as a post, totally deaf.

**Stone-fruit,** *n.* Drupe.

**Stone-lily,** *n.* Encrinite (*Encrinus liliaformis*).

**Stone-oil,** *n.* Rock-oil, petroleum, mineral oil.

**Stone-pit,** *n.* Quarry, stone-bed, stone-quarry.

**Stone-plover,** *n.* See STONE-CURLEW.

**Stone's cast.** See STONE'S THROW.

**Stone's throw.** Stone's cast, short distance, few steps.

**Stone-still,** *a.* See STOCK-STILL.

**Stone-weed,** *n.* Red-root (*Lithospermum arvense*).

**Stony,** *a.* I. Hard, petrous, gritty.
2. Obdurate, inflexible, cruel, unrelenting, pitiless, hard, adamantine, flinty.

**Stony-hearted,** *a.* Cruel, unfeeling, pitiless, remorseless, hard-hearted, inexorable.

**Stook,** *n.* Shock (*of corn*), hattock, stuckle.

**Stool,** *n.* I. Seat (*without a back*).
2. Discharge (*from the bowels*), evacuation.

**Stool-pigeon,** *n.* I. Decoy-pigeon, decoy (*for game*).
2. Decoy, inveigler, decoyer, inveigling accomplice, cat's-paw.

**Stoop,** *v. n.* I. Couch, bend forward, bend down, lean forward, lean.
2. Yield, submit, succumb, surrender, give in, cower.
3. Condescend, descend.
4. Swoop, descend, come down, bear down.
5. Sink, fall.

**Stoop,** *v. a.* Lower, abase, bow, bend down, bend forward, sink.

**Stoop,** *n.* I. Inclination, bend, act of stooping.
2. Condescension, descent.
3. Swoop, descent.
4. Flagon, bowl, cup, mug, tankard.
5. [*U. S.*] Doorsteps, porch, steps, outer stair.

**Stop,** *v. a.* I. Close, close up.
2. Obstruct, close up, render impassable, block, close, blockade.
3. Hinder, impede, shut in, bring to a standstill, stay, check.
4. Hinder, repress, restrain, suppress, obstruct, stay, intercept, preclude, thwart, impede, interrupt, lay an embargo on, prevent, delay.
5. Leave, cease from, desist from, refrain from, leave off, make an end of, discontinue, have done with, give over.
6. Suspend, arrest, intermit, discontinue, quiet, put an end to, end, terminate.

**Stop,** *v. n.* I. Be at a stand-still, come to a stand, come to a stand-still, come to a dead lock, cease progress, halt, stand still.
2. Cease, desist, forbear, leave off, break off.
3. (*Colloq., U. S.*) Tarry, stay, lodge, take lodgings, have lodgings.

**Stop,** *n.* I. Pause, rest, intermission.
2. Interruption, repression, cessation, obstruction, hindrance, check.
3. Impediment, obstacle, obstruction.
4. Point, mark of punctuation.

**Stop-cock,** *n.* Cock, tap, faucet.

**Stoppage,** *n.* Obstruction, hindrance, interruption, prevention.

**Stopper,** *n.* Stopple, plug.

**Store,** *n.* I. Stock, supply, fund, hoard, treasure, treasury, provision, accumulation.
2. Abundance, plenty, great quantity, great number.
3. Warehouse, magazine, storehouse, repository, depot.
4. Shop.

**Store,** *v. a.* I. Garner, hoard, husband, deposit, save, reserve, treasure up, lay in, lay up, lay by, set by, store up, lay in store.
2. Supply, furnish, stock, replenish, provide.

**Storehouse,** *n.* Magazine, warehouse, repository, store, depot.

**Stores,** *n. pl.* Supplies.

**Storge,** *n.* [Gr.] Parental love, instinctive affection (*for offspring*), philoprogenitiveness.

**Storm,** *n.* I. Tempest, gale, hurricane, tornado, squall, whirlwind, violent wind (*usually accompanied with rain, hail,* or *snow*).
2. Disturbance, agitation, commotion, tumult, turmoil, clamor, sedition, insurrection, outbreak.
3. Calamity, adversity, distress, affliction.
4. Attack, assault, onslaught, onset, first brunt.
5. Violence, tumultuous force.

**Storm,** *v. a.* Attack (*with violence, as a fortification*), assault.

**Storm,** *v. n.* I. Blow violently (*with* or *without rain, hail,* or *snow*).
2. Rage, fume, rant, tear.

**Storminess,** *n.* Tempestuousness, inclemency, roughness.

**Stormy,** *a.* I. Tempestuous, windy, gusty, squally, boisterous, blustering.
2. Violent, passionate, rough, wild.
3. Furious, agitated, blustering.

**Stormy petrel.** Mother Carey's chicken, stormbird, stormfinch, storm-petrel (*Procellaria pelagica*).

**Story,** *n.* I. History, chronicle, record.
2. Narration, narrative, recital, relation, rehearsal, account, statement, tale, record.
3. Fiction, fable, romance, novel.
4. Anecdote, incident, tale, legend
5. (*Colloq.*) Falsehood, untruth, lie, fib, fabrication, invention, fiction, figment, fable, *canard.*
6. Floor, loft.

**Story-teller,** *n.* I. *Raconteur.*
2. Historian (*in contempt*).

**Stout,** *a.* I. Strong, sinewy, brawny, athletic, lusty, robust, sturdy, stalwart, vigorous, able-bodied.
2. Brave, valiant, valorous, intrepid, bold, manful, manly, resolute, gallant, firm, indomitable, hardy, courageous, dauntless, doughty.
3. Proud, resolute, obstinate, stubborn, contumacious.
4. Firm, strong, solid, strongly built, hardy, compact, sturdy, stanch.
5. Large, corpulent, obese, strapping, bouncing, portly, chubby, jolly, burly, plump, fat, in good case, thick-set.

**Stout-hearted,** *a.* Brave, valiant, valorous, courageous, resolute, gallant, intrepid, fearless, heroic, manly, dauntless, redoubtable.

**Stove-pipe,** *n.* Funnel.

**Stow,** *v. a.* Pack, stuff, stive, wedge in, put in compactly.

**Strabiam,** *n.* See STRABISMUS.

**Strabismus,** *n.* Squinting, strabism, cast of the eye, obliquity of vision.

**Straddle,** *v. a.* Bestride.

**Straggle,** *v. n.* I. Rove, wander.
2. Ramble, stroll, range, roam, wander, deviate, stray, rove, digress, gad about, go out of the way, go astray.

**Straggler,** *n.* I. Wanderer, rover.
2. Rambler, strayer, stroller, vagrant, vagabond, nomad, bird of passage.

**Straggling,** *a.* I. Roving, rambling, straying, strolling, wandering.
2. Scattered, occurring here and there.
3. Isolated, solitary.

**Strahlstein,** *n.* Actinolite, ray-stone.

**Straight,** *a.* I. Rectilinear, direct, short, near, right, undeviating, unswerving.
2. Vertical, upright, erect, perpendicular, right.
3. Tight, narrow, close. See STRAIT.
4. Just, fair, honorable, straightforward, honest, equitable.

**Straight,** *ad.* Immediately, directly, forthwith, straightway, at once, without delay.

**Straight-edge,** *n.* Strike, strickle.

**Straighten,** *v. a.* Make straight.

**Straightforward,** *a.* I. Direct, undeviating, straight.
2. Truthful, veracious, reliable, trustworthy.
3. Honest, honorable, equitable, fair, just, square, even-handed, upright, straight, conscientious.
4. Artless, ingenuous, frank, sincere, candid, honest, guileless, outspoken, true-hearted.

**Straightforward,** *ad.* Directly, in a straight line, without turning to the right or to the left.

**Straightway,** *ad.* Immediately, directly, without delay, straight, at once, forthwith.
**Strait,** *n.* See STRAKE.
**Strain,** *v. a.* 1. Stretch, draw tightly, make tense, make tight, tighten.
2. Wrench, sprain, injure by stretching.
3. Exert (*to the utmost*), put to the utmost strength.
4. Pervert (*from the true intent*), push too far.
5. Squeeze, press, embrace, hug, fold tightly in the arms.
6. Force, constrain, compel.
7. Filter, purify (*by filtration*), filtrate, percolate.
8. Fatigue, over-exert, tire, over-task, overwork.
**Strain,** *v n.* 1. Try hard, make great efforts.
2. Percolate, filter, be filtered, be strained.
**Strain,** *n.* 1. Extreme tension.
2. Over-exertion, violent effort, great exertion.
3. Sprain, wrench.
4. Tune, melody, movement.
5. Poem, lay, song, sonnet.
6. Style, manner
7. Turn, tendency, disposition, inborn disposition.
8. Bearing, conduct, port, manner of action.
9. Stock, race, descent, family, lineage, pedigree, descent, extraction.
**Strait,** *a.* 1. Narrow, close, contracted, constricted, constrained, confined.
2. Strict, rigorous, rigid, severe.
3. Difficult, distressful, straitened, grievous.
**Strait,** *a.* 1. Narrow pass (*especially between two seas*), gut, narrows.
2. Distress, difficulty, perplexity, dilemma, embarrassment, pinch, exigency, emergency, critical situation, distressing necessity, pass.
**Straiten,** *v. a.* 1. Confine, limit, constrict, contract, constrain.
2. Narrow.
3. Stretch, straighten, make tight *or* tense.
4. Distress, perplex, pinch, embarrass, press.
**Straitened,** *a.* Distressed, perplexed, embarrassed, pinched, limited.
**Strait-jacket,** *n.* Strait-waistcoat.
**Strait-laced,** *a.* Strict, rigid, formal, stiff, stern, rigorous, austere, uncompromising.
**Straitness,** *n.* 1. Strictness, rigor, severity, narrowness.
2. Difficulty, distress, trouble.
3. Want, scarcity, insufficiency, narrowness.
**Strait-waistcoat,** *n.* Strait-jacket.
**Strake,** *n* (*Ship building.*) Streak, range of planks (*on the side of a vessel*).
**Stramonium,** *n.* Thorn-apple, stramony, Jamestown weed, apple-Peru (*Datura stramonium*).
**Stramony,** *n.* See STRAMONIUM.
**Strand,** *n.* Beach, shore, coast.
**Strand,** *v. n.* Run aground, get ashore, be wrecked, be cast away.
**Stranded,** *a.* Aground, ashore, wrecked, cast away.
**Strange,** *a.* 1. Foreign, outlandish, exotic, alien.
2. New, novel.
3. Unusual, uncommon, irregular, odd, singular, peculiar, particular, exceptional, rare, extraordinary, curious.
4. Unnatural, abnormal, anomalous, extraordinary, wonderful, inexplicable, marvellous, preternatural, unaccountable, mysterious, unique, unheard of, out of the way.
5. Odd, eccentric, queer, peculiar, *bizarre*.
6. Unacquainted, unknown, unfamiliar.
**Strangeness,** *n.* 1. Foreignness.
2. Distance, reserve, coldness, shyness, uncommunicativeness.
3. Uncouthness, oddness, singularity, eccentricity, grotesqueness.
4. Estrangement, alienation, mutual dislike.
5. Wonderfulness, marvellousness, uncommonness.
**Stranger,** *n.* 1. Foreigner, alien.
2. Guest, visitor, visitant.
**Stranger,** *a.* 1. Foreign, alien.
2. Unacquainted, unknown.
**Strangle,** *v. a.* 1. Choke, throttle, suffocate.
2. Suppress, keep back.
**Strap,** *n.* 1. Thong.
2. Strop, razor-strap, razor-strop.
3. Ligature, tie, band.
**Strap,** *v. a.* 1. Whip (*with a strap*).
2. Bind (*with a strap*), fasten.
3. Strop, sharpen (*on a strap*).
**Strapping,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Large, burly, stout, tall, strong, big, lusty, stalwart.
**Strata,** *n. pl.* [L. *sing. Stratum.*] Layers (*as of rocks*), beds.
**Stratagem,** *n.* Artifice, device, manœuvre, intrigue, wile, trick, fetch, dodge, crafty device, machination, plot, plan, scheme, artful contrivance, stroke of policy, finesse, *ruse*.
**Strategetics,** *n. pl.* Strategy, generalship.
**Strategist,** *n.* Skilful general, adroit tactician, expert manœuvrer.
**Strategy,** *n.* Generalship, strategetics, tactics, military science.
**Stratified,** *a.* In strata, in layers.
**Stratum,** *n.* [L. *pl. Strata.*] Layer, bed.
**Straw,** *n.* 1. Stalk, stem *or* culm (*of grain after being thrashed*).
2. Fig, pin, button, rush, penny, farthing, snap.
**Straw,** *v. a.* See STREW.
**Straw-colored,** *a.* Yellowish, strawy, stramineous.
**Strawy,** *a.* 1. Of straw, stramineous.
2. Straw-colored, stramineous.
**Stray,** *v. n.* 1. Wander, rove, ramble, range, roam, straggle, stroll, deviate, digress, go out of the way, go astray.
2. Swerve (*from rectitude*), err.
**Stray,** *n.* Estray.
**Stray,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Strayed, wandering, gone astray.
**Strayer,** *n.* Wanderer, rambler, rover, stroller, vagrant, straggler, vagabond, nomad, bird of passage.
**Streak,** *n.* 1. Stripe.
2. See STRAKE.
**Streak,** *v. a.* Stripe.
**Streaked,** *a.* Striped, streaky.
**Streaky,** *a.* Striped, streaked.
**Stream,** *n.* 1. Current, course, flow, rush, tide.
2. River, rivulet, brook, run.
3. Current, drift, tendency, tide.
**Stream,** *v. n.* 1. Flow, run, glide, pour.
2. Shed, pour out, emit.
3. Issue, radiate, go forth.
4. Extend, stretch out.
**Streamer,** *n.* Pennon, banner, flag, ensign, standard, colors.
**Streamlet,** *n.* Rill, brook, rivulet, runlet, runnel, run, small stream, burn.
**Street,** *n.* Road, highway, public way, way.
**Street-walker,** *n.* Common prostitute.
**Strength,** *n.* 1. Power, might, force, potency, puissance, nerve, vigor.
2. Solidity, toughness, hardness.
3. Impregnability.
4. Lustiness, brawniness, robustness, stoutness.

5. Fortitude, courage, spirit, animation, firmness, resolution.
6. Validity, cogency, efficacy, soundness.
7. Vigor (*of style*), energy, nervous diction, nerve, force.
8. Support, security, stay.
9. Intensity, brightness, brilliance, clearness, vividness.
10. Spirit, virtue, excellence, potency.
11. Vehemence, force, impetuosity, violence.
12. Energy, boldness, vigor.
13. Armament, force.

**Strengthen,** *v. a.* 1. Make strong, make stronger, give strength to, add strength to.
2. Fortify.
3. Harden, brace, nerve, steel.
4. Intensify, make more intense.
5. Invigorate, impart health to.
6. Animate, encourage, fix in resolution.
7. Confirm, corroborate, establish, justify, sustain, support, fix.

**Strengthen,** *v. n.* Grow strong.

**Strengthening,** *a.* 1. Fortifying, bracing.
2. Invigorating, roborant, tonic.

**Strenuous,** *a.* 1. Zealous, ardent, earnest, active, vigorous, resolute, energetic, eager.
2. Vigorous, spirited, bold, valiant, intrepid, strong, determined, resolute, doughty.

**Strenuously,** *ad.* 1. Earnestly, ardently, eagerly, vigorously, zealously, resolutely, energetically, actively, with all one's might, with might and main, tooth and nail, through thick and thin, through fire and water, hammer and tongs, *pugnis et calcibus.*
2. Boldly, courageously, valiantly, intrepidly, bravely.

**Stress,** *n.* 1. Force, strain.
2. Violence, inclemency, boisterousness, severity.
3. Pressure, urgency.
4. Importance, significance, weight, force.
5. Emphasis, accent.

**Stretch,** *v. a.* 1. Strain, tighten, make tense.
2. Extend, lengthen, elongate, draw out.
3. Reach, stretch forth, hold out, extend, put forth.
4. Spread, expand, unfold, display.
5. Strain, sprain.
6. Exaggerate, extend too far, strain.

**Stretch,** *v. n.* Extend, reach, be drawn out.

**Stretch,** *n.* 1. Extent, extension, reach, compass, range.
2. Effort, struggle, strain, exertion.
3. Course, direction.

**Stretcher,** *n.* Litter.

**Strew,** *v. a.* 1. Scatter, spread, strow.
2. Cover, overspread.

**Stria,** *n.* [L. *pl. Striæ.*] Furrow, groove, channel.

**Striate,** / **Striated,** } *a.* Channelled, furrowed, grooved.

**Stricken,** *a.* 1. Struck, smitten, wounded, afflicted.
2. Advanced (*in years*), far gone, worn out, aged, venerable, time-worn.

**Stricken hour.** Whole hour, entire hour.

**Strickle,** *n.* [Written also *Strikle.*] Strike, straight-edge.

**Strict,** *a.* 1. Tight, strained, tense, close.
2. Tense.
3. Exact, accurate, precise, very nice, careful, scrupulous, particular, close.
4. Severe, rigorous, stringent, stern, austere, harsh, uncompromising, strait-laced.
5. Confined, limited, restricted, exact.

**Stricture,** *n.* 1. Animadversion, censure, criticism, critical remark.
2. (*Med.*) Contraction (*of some duct, as the œsophagus*), drawing.

**Stride,** *n.* Long step.

**Stride,** *v. n.* Take long steps.

**Stride,** *v. a.* Bestride.

**Stridor,** *n.* [L.] Grating, creaking, jarring, harsh sound.

**Stridulous,** *a.* Grating, harsh, creaking.

**Strife,** *n.* 1. Contention, contest, conflict, struggle, quarrel, discord.
2. Contrariety, opposition, disagreement.
3. Emulation, competition.

**Strike,** *v. a.* 1. Smite, beat, hit, knock, pound, give a blow to.
2. Slap, smite, buffet, beat, pound, thump, cuff.
3. Cast, dash, hurl.
4. Impress, imprint, stamp.
5. Mint, coin.
6. Thrust, shoot.
7. Thrust, force, drive, impel.
8. Deal, inflict, give.
9. Cause (*by a sudden impulse*), produce.
10. Impress (*suddenly*), affect.
11. Lower (*as a sail*), take down, haul down.
12. Punish, afflict, smite, chastise.
13. Sound, cause to sound.
14. Make, ratify, conclude.
15. Run on, ground on, hit.

**Strike,** *v. n.* 1. Deal a blow.
2. Hit, clash, dash, collide, touch, come in contact.
3. Sound (*by percussion*), be struck.
4. Dart, penetrate, pass quickly, shoot.
5. Be stranded, run aground.
6. Yield, surrender, strike the flag.
7. [*Modern.*] Rebel, mutiny, rise, quit work (*in order to extort higher wages*).
8. Touch.
9. Break forth, begin suddenly, burst.

**Strike,** *n.* 1. Stroke.
2. Strickle, straight-edge, strikle
3. Suspension of work (*in order to extort higher wages*), mutiny, revolt.

**Strike an account.** / **Strike a ledger.** } Balance it.

**Strike at.** Attempt to strike, aim a blow at, try to hit.

**Strike for.** Start suddenly for, make for, move toward, go toward.

**Strike hands with.** 1. Shake hands with.
2. Agree with, make a bargain with, join.

**Strike home.** Deal an effective blow.

**Strike in.** 1. Enter suddenly.
2. Interpose, interrupt.
3. Recede (*from the surface*), disappear.

**Strike in with.** Side with, take part with, conform to, suit itself to, join with at once.

**Strike off.** 1. Cut off (*by a blow*), separate.
2. Erase (*from an account*), strike out, remove.
3. Print (*as copies of a book*), impress.

**Strike out.** (*Active.*) 1. Produce (*by a blow*), force out.
2. Erase, efface, expunge, blot out, strike off.
3. Devise, contrive, invent, plan.
4. Bring to light.

**Strike out.** (*Neuter.*) Rove, wander, make a sudden excursion.

**Strike sail.** Stop, stop progress, go no farther, cease to advance.

**Strike the iron while it is hot.** Seize the occasion, let not the opportunity slip, make hay while the sun shines.

**Strike up.** 1. Begin to beat (*as drums*), cause to sound
2. Begin to play *or* sing.

**Striking,** *a.* Affecting, impressive, surprising, astonishing, wonderful, extraordinary, forcible.
**String,** *n.* 1. Line, cord, thread, twine.
2. Ribbon, fillet.
3. Row, file, series, concatenation.
4. Chord.
5. Fibre.
6. Nerve, tendon, sinew.
**String,** *v. a.* 1. File, put on a string.
2. Set in a row, put in line.
3. Strengthen, fortify, make firm, make tense.
**Stringent,** *a.* 1. Binding, contracting.
2. Strict, rigid, severe, rigorous.
**String-halt,** *n.* Spring-halt.
**Stringy,** *a.* 1. Fibrous, filamentous.
2. Ropy, viscid, viscous, glutinous, adhesive, smeary, dauby, gluey, tough, tenacious.
**Strip,** *v. a.* 1. Tear off, pull off, strip off.
2. Uncover, denude, peel, lay bare.
3. Divest, deprive, bereave, despoil, fleece, shave, make destitute.
4. Unrig, dismantle.
5. Rob, plunder, pillage, spoil, sack, ransack, devastate, desolate, lay waste.
6. Fleece, rob, plunder, despoil.
7. Milk dry.
**Strip,** *v. n.* Undress, uncover, take off the clothes.
**Strip,** *n.* Piece (*long and narrow, torn off*), slip, shred.
**Stripe,** *v. a.* Streak.
**Stripe,** *n.* 1. Streak.
2. Stroke (*with a lash*), blow, lash.
3. Wale, mark of the lash.
**Striped,** *a.* Streaked.
**Striped alder.** Witch-hazel.
**Striped squirrel.** Hackee, chipmunk.
**Strip from.** Take away from.
**Stripling,** *n.* Lad, boy, youth.
**Strip off.** 1. Pull off, take off.
2. Cast off.
**Strippings,** *n. pl.* Strokings.
**Stritchel,** *n.* See STRICKLE.
**Strive,** *v. n.* 1. Labor, endeavor, toil, struggle, try, aim, exert one's self, make an effort, do one's best, lay one's self out.
2. Contend, contest, fight, have a contest.
3. Compete, cope, strive together, contend, struggle.
4. (*Poetical.*) Vie, compete, compare, be comparable.
**Strobiline,** *a.* Cone-shaped, strobiliform, strobilaceous.
**Stroke,** *n.* 1. Blow, knock, rap, pat, hit, thump
2. Attack, shock.
3. Affliction, reverse, calamity, hardship, misfortune, visitation.
4. Touch, dash, sudden effort, sudden effect.
**Stroke,** *v. a.* Rub gently (*with the hands, in one direction*).
**Strokings,** *n. pl.* Strippings.
**Stroll,** *v. n.* Wander, ramble, rove, roam, straggle, stray, range, wander about, stray about.
**Stroll,** *n.* Ramble, walk, promenade, excursion, trip, tour, wandering, rambling, roving.
**Stroller,** *n.* Wanderer, rambler, rover, strayer, straggler, vagrant, vagabond, nomad, bird of passage.
**Strolling,** *a.* Wandering, roving, vagrant, nomadic.
**Strong,** *a.* 1. Vigorous, robust, sturdy, athletic, brawny, sinewy, muscular, stalwart, Herculean, able-bodied, hardy, stout, lusty, powerful.
2. Hale, sound, robust, firm, solid, able to endure, healthy, hardy, stout, tough.
3. Able, capable, efficient, mighty, potent, powerful, puissant.
4. Firm, solid, compact, impregnable, secure, well fortified
5. Energetic, vivid, intense, forcible, bold.
6. Violent, impetuous, vehement, forcible.
7. Pungent, piquant, biting, sharp, racy, spicy, hot, high-flavored.
8. Rank, strong-smelling.
9. Tenacious, tough, cohesive, resisting, stubborn, firm, compact.
10. Cogent, forcible, impressive, conclusive, persuasive, powerful, influential.
11. Ardent, eager, zealous, hearty, earnest, strenuous, stanch.
12. Potent.
13. Vivid, intense, brilliant, dazzling.
14. Alcoholic (*in a high degree*), intoxicating.
15. Substantial, solid, difficult to digest.
16. Valid, confirmed, binding.
17. Firm, sound, stout, stanch.
**Strong-box,** *n.* Coffer (*for money*), safe, money-chest.
**Strong-hand,** *n.* Violence, force, power, strength.
**Stronghold,** *n.* Fort, fortress, castle, citadel, fortification, fastness, keep, bulwark, donjon, muniment, fortified place.
**Strongly,** *ad.* 1. Powerfully.
2. Firmly.
3. Vehemently, forcibly, eagerly, violently, earnestly, strenuously.
**Strong-scented,** *a.* See STRONG-SMELLING.
**Strong-smelling,** *a.* Rank, fetid, strong-scented, frowsy.
**Strop,** *n.* Strap, razor-strap razor-strop.
**Strop,** *v. a.* Strap, sharpen (*on a strap*).
**Strow,** *v. a.* See STREW.
**Structure,** *n.* 1. Construction, make, form, arrangement, conformation, configuration, constitution, mode of building, manner of making.
2. Formation, composition, arrangement of parts, texture.
3. Edifice, fabric, building, erection, pile.
**Struggle,** *v. n.* 1. Strive, labor, toil, endeavor, try, aim, exert one's self, make an effort, do one's best.
2. Contend, contest, fight, have a contest.
3. Writhe, be in agony, labor in distress.
**Struggle,** *n.* 1. Labor, endeavor, effort, exertion, pains.
2. Contest, contention, conflict, strife, fight.
3. Contortions, agony, distress.
**Strum,** *v. a.* Thrum, play, play upon.
**Struma,** *n.* 1. (*Med.*) Scrofula, king's evil.
2. (*Bot.*) Swelling, protuberance.
**Strumose,** } **Strumous,** } *a.* Scrofulous.
**Strumpet,** *n.* Harlot, prostitute, whore, courtesan, punk, wench, drab, Cyprian, street-walker, night-walker, woman of the town, woman of ill fame.
**Strumpet,** *a.* False, inconstant.
**Strumpet,** *v. a.* Belie, slander, vilify, malign.
**Strut,** *v. n.* Walk (*pompously*), swell.
**Strut,** *n.* 1. Pompous walk.
2. (*Arch.*) Brace, stretching-piece.
**Strychnia,** *n.* Strychnine.
**Strychnine,** *n.* Strychnia.
**Stub,** *n.* 1. Stump.
2. Log, block
**Stub,** *v. a.* 1. Eradicate, grub up, extirpate.
2. (*Colloq., U S.*) Strike (*as the toes, against a stump, stone, etc.*).
**Stubbed,** *a.* Blunt, obtuse, truncated, stubby, short and thick.
**Stubborn,** *a.* 1. Obstinate, unyielding, inflexible, positive, contumacious, refractory, perverse, headstrong, wilful, dogged, mulish, unruly, un-

manageable, ungovernable, intractable, indocile, heady, cross-grained, obdurate.
2. Persevering, persistent, steady, constant, unremitting.
3. Stiff, unpliant, inflexible, firm, tough, hard, strong.
4. Hardy, firm, enduring, stoical, uncomplaining.
5. Refractory, difficult of fusion.

**Stubby,** *a.* Blunt, obtuse, truncated, stubbed, short and thick.

**Stucco,** *v. a.* Cover with stucco.

**Stucco,** *n.* Plaster (*for covering walls and ceilings*), mortar, cement.

**Stuckle,** *n.* See STOOK.

**Stud,** *n.* 1. Post, prop, support.
2. Knob (*for ornament*), boss.
3. Button (*for a shirt-bosom*).

**Student,** *n.* 1. Scholar, pupil, learner.
2. Scholar, bookish man.
3. Close examiner, observer.

**Stud-horse,** *n.* See STALLION.

**Studied,** *a.* 1. Well-considered, closely examined, carefully read
2. Well-versed, learned, qualified by study, skilled.
3. Premeditated, deliberate, studious, predetermined, wilful.

**Studio,** *n.* Workshop (*of an artist*).

**Studious,** *a.* 1. Meditative, reflective, contemplative, given to study, thoughtful.
2. Diligent, assiduous, eager, zealous, desirous.
3. Planned, deliberate, studied, premeditated.
4. (*Poetical.*) Thoughtful, quiet, sober, favorable to study.

**Studious of.** Careful of, attentive to, interested in.

**Study,** *n.* 1. Research, inquiry, investigation, close attention, application of mind.
2. Meditation, thought, reflection, cogitation, studious mood, contemplation, consideration
3. Subject of attention.

**Study,** *v. n.* 1. Meditate, muse, reflect, cogitate, think, ponder, apply the mind.
2. Be eager, be zealous, try hard, do one's best.

**Study,** *v. a.* 1. Learn, apply the mind to.
2. Investigate, examine, scrutinize, contemplate, ponder, weigh, sift, search into, meditate on, think about, reflect upon, inquire into, consider attentively, revolve in the mind.
3. Con over, commit to memory, learn, get by heart *or* rote.

**Stuff,** *n.* 1. Material, matter, substance, raw material.
2. Cloth, textile fabric.
3. Essence, elemental part.
4. Mixture, medicine, potion.
5. Refuse, rubbish, trash.
6. Trash, nonsense, absurdity, folly, moonshine, twaddle, balderdash, fudge, inanity, platitude, flummery.

**Stuff,** *v. a.* 1. Cram, stow, pack, fill full.
2. Press, crowd, squeeze.
3. Fill (*by being put into*).
4. Fill with dressing (*as meat*).
5. Obstruct (*as any of the organs*).

**Stuff,** *v. n.* Cram, eat greedily, feed.

**Stuffing,** *n.* 1. Filling full.
2. Dressing, force-meat.

**Stuffy,** *a.* Musty, close, confined, mouldy-smelling.

**Stultify,** *v. a.* Make foolish, prove foolish, make a fool of.

**Stumble,** *v. a.* 1. Obstruct, trip, cause to stumble.
2. Perplex, confound, puzzle, nonplus, confuse, embarrass, pose.

**Stumble,** *v. n.* 1. Trip, miss one's footing, make a false step.
2. Err, do wrong.

**Stumble,** *n.* 1. Trip, false step.
2. Error, blunder, failure.

**Stumble on.** } **Stumble upon.** } Fall upon by chance, light upon, strike upon without design.

**Stumbling-block,** *n.* Hindrance, obstruction, obstacle, check, bar, barrier, difficulty, impediment, lion in the way, stumbling-stone.

**Stumbling-stone,** *n.* See STUMBLING-BLOCK.

**Stump,** *n.* Stub.

**Stun,** *v. a.* 1. Make senseless (*by a blow*), make dizzy.
2. Stupefy, confound, bewilder, overcome, dizzy, dumfound, astonish, overwhelm, overpower
3. Deafen, make deaf.

**Stunning,** *a.* 1. Deafening, stentorian, very loud.
2. Stupefying.
3. (*Colloq.*) Striking, astonishing, wonderful

**Stunt,** *v. a.* Dwarf, stint, stop the growth of, hinder from growth.

**Stunted,** *a.* Undersized, dwarfish, dwarfed, diminutive, small, little, tiny, Liliputian, pygmean.

**Stupe,** *n.* Fomentation, sweating bath.

**Stupe,** *v. a.* Foment, bathe with warm lotions.

**Stupefacient,** *n.* Stupefactive, narcotic, opiate, sedative, anodyne, anæsthetic, sleeping-draught.

**Stupefaction,** *n.* 1. Lethargy, stupor, numbness,
2. Insensibility, dulness, obtuseness, torpor, stupidity.

**Stupefactive,** *a.* Stupefying.

**Stupefy,** *v. a.* [Written also *Stupify.*] Dull, blunt, benumb, muddle, hebetate, make stupid make dull, make torpid.

**Stupefying,** *a.* Stupefactive.

**Stupendous,** *a.* 1. Astonishing, surprising, amazing, wonderful, wondrous, marvellous, overwhelming, astounding.
2. Huge, vast, prodigious, tremendous.

**Stupid,** *a.* 1. Senseless, witless, dull, simple, doltish, stolid, obtuse, foolish, sluggish, insensible, brutish, insensate, muddy, muddy-brained, muddy-headed, sottish, slow of apprehension, void of understanding, fat-witted.
2. Unentertaining, prosaic, pointless, prosy, flat, heavy, insipid, tame, vapid, bald, uninteresting, humdrum, dull, foolish, tiresome, tedious.
3. Stupefied, drowsy, torpid, heavy, comatose, lethargic, morbidly sleepy.

**Stupidity,** *n.* 1. Dulness, obtuseness, insensibility, sottishness, blockishness, doltishness, senselessness, sluggishness of understanding, slowness of apprehension.
2. Lifelessness, heaviness, insipidity, tameness, vapidness, want of interest, stupidness.
3. Stupor, lethargy, torpor, stupefaction, morbid drowsiness, coma.

**Stupify,** *v. a.* See STUPEFY.

**Stupor,** *n.* Lethargy, *narcosis,* torpor, numbness, coma, stupefaction.

**Stupration,** *n.* (*Rare.*) Ravishment, ravishing, rape, defloration, violation, constupration, *stuprum.*

**Sturdily,** *ad.* Hardily, stoutly, lustily, resolutely, obstinately.

**Sturdiness,** *n.* Stoutness, hardiness, strength.

**Sturdy,** *a.* 1. Bold (*from coarseness* or *rudeness*), obstinate, dogged, stubborn, pertinacious, firm, stiff, hardy, persevering.
2. Strong, lusty, robust, stout, stalwart, athletic, brawny, muscular, hardy, vigorous, powerful, forcible, well-set, thick-set.

3. Stiff, stout, strong, hardy, firm.
**Stutter,** *v. n.* Stammer, hesitate, falter.
**Sty,** *n.* I. Hog-sty, pig-sty, swine-pen.
2. Tumor (*on the edge of the eyelid*).
3. Place of debauchery, sink of corruption.
4. Filthy place, den, sink, Augean stable, slum, rookery.
**Stygian,** *a.* I. Hellish, infernal, diabolical.
2. Dark, Cimmerian, tenebrous, sunless, sombre, gloomy, murky.
**Style,** *n.* I. Diction, phraseology, mode of expression, mode of speech, turn of expression, manner of writing.
2. Manner, method, mode, way, form, fashion, cast, pattern.
3. Title, appellation, name, designation, denomination, mode of address.
4. Gnomon (*of a dial*), pin.
5. *Stylus.*
6. Graver *or* etching-needle.
**Style,** *v. a.* Denominate, name, designate, call, term, dub, christen, characterize, entitle.
**Stylet,** *n.* I. Stiletto, poniard, dagger.
2. (*Surgery.*) Specillum.
**Stylish,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Fashionable, modish, genteel, courtly, in fashion, in vogue, *à la mode.*
**Stylite,** *n.* Pillarist, pillar saint.
**Stylus,** *n.* [Written also *Stilus.*] Style.
**Styptic,** *n.* [Written also *Stiptic.*] Astringent (*to stop bleeding*).
**Styptic,** } *a.* [Written also *Stiptic, Stiptical.*]
**Styptical,** } Astringent, binding, contracting.
**Stythy,** *n.* See STITHY.
**Suant,** *a.* [*Local Eng. and U. S.* Written also *Suent.*] I. Even, smooth, uniform, regular, equable, plain.
2. Easy, quiet, insinuating.
**Suasion,** *n.* See PERSUASION.
**Suasory,** *a.* Persuasive, suasive.
**Suave,** *a.* Pleasant, agreeable, gracious, delightful, courteous, amiable, sweet, debonair, urbane, affable, mild.
**Suavity,** *n.* Sweetness (*of temper* or *of manner*), urbanity, amenity, civility, politeness, courtesy, decorum, gentleness, mildness, pleasantness, agreeableness, complaisance, affability, amiability, conciliatoriness, obliging manner, good manners, good-breeding.
**Subacid,** *a.* Slightly acid, somewhat acid, somewhat sour, sourish.
**Subaltern,** *a.* Inferior, subordinate, subalternate.
**Sub-bass,** *n.* (*Mus.*) Ground-bass, fundamental bass.
**Subdivision,** *n.* I. Division, dividing, ramification.
2. Part, portion, piece, fraction, section, share.
**Subduce,** } *v. a.* I. Withdraw, take away.
**Subduct,** } 2. Subtract.
**Subdue,** *v. a.* I. Conquer, subjugate, subject, overcome, overpower, vanquish, overbear.
2. Vanquish, beat, crush, defeat, rout, discomfit, worst, overpower, overcome, overbear, overwhelm, master.
3. Quell, surmount, foil, get the better of, get the upper hand of, put down, beat down.
4. Overpower, destroy, overcome, reduce, choke, choke down, suppress, repress.
5. Tame, subject, control, make submissive, bring under rule, break, make tractable, discipline.
6. Overcome, reduce, destroy the force of, break.
7. Melt, soften, mollify.
8. Break, make mellow.
9. Destroy, eradicate, root out.
**Subduer,** *n.* I. Conqueror, vanquisher, victor.
2. Tamer.
**Suberose,** } *a.* Cork-like, corky, soft, elastic.
**Suberous,** }
**Subject,** *v. a.* I. Subdue, control, bring under rule, make submissive, make subordinate.
2. Enslave, enthrall.
3. Expose, make liable.
4. Submit, refer, make accountable.
5. Make subservient.
6. Cause to undergo.
**Subject,** *a.* I. Underneath, beneath, placed under, subjacent.
2. Subservient, subjected, subordinate, inferior, in bondage, under the lash, under one's thumb, under one's command, at one's command, at one's beck *or* call, at one's mercy.
3. Submissive, obedient.
4. Exposed, liable, prone, disposed, obnoxious.
**Subject,** *n.* I. Dependant, subordinate, person owing allegiance.
2. Topic, theme, thesis, point, matter, subject-matter, matter in hand, object-matter.
3. Hero, person treated of.
4. (*Gram.* and *Log.*) Subject-term, leading term, nominative.
5. (*Anat.*) Corpse, dead body, carcass, body for dissection, cadaver.
6. (*Archaic Met.*) Substance.
7. Recipient, object, case, patient.
8. Experiencing mind.
9. Mind, thinking being, conscious being, conscious subject, self, ego, me.
**Subjection,** *n.* I. (Act of) subjecting, subduing, controlling, putting down *or* under, subjugation, conquest, subordinating.
2. Dependence, subordination, subserviency, subordinacy.
**Subjective,** *a* I. Belonging to *or* characteristic of the subject (*as contrasted with the object*), in the mind, within the self.
2. Merely mental, limited to the subject, in the mind only, unreal, non-objective, not actual, internal, non-external.
3. Imagined, fancied, imaginary, illusory.
4. Introversive, introspective, contemplative, inward-looking, dealing with one's own feelings, colored by one's own states.
**Subject-matter,** *n.* Subject, topic, matter, theme, object-matter.
**Subjoin,** *v. a.* Add (*at the end*), annex, affix, suffix, postfix, append, join.
**Sub judice.** [L.] Under consideration, not yet decided.
**Subjugate,** *v. a.* Conquer, vanquish, subdue, overcome, overpower, overbear, overthrow, master, subject.
**Subjugation,** *n.* Conquest, mastery, subjection.
**Subjugator,** *n.* Conqueror, victor, enslaver.
**Subjunctive,** *a.* Subjoined, annexed, added, joined.
**Sublet,** *v. a.* Underlet.
**Sublimate,** *v. a.* I. (*Chem.*) See SUBLIME.
2. Refine, exalt, elevate, heighten.
**Sublimation,** *n.* I. Vaporization (*of a solid, to be again condensed*).
2. Refinement, exaltation, elevation.
**Sublime,** *a.* I. High, elevated, aloft.
2. Exalted (*in excellence* or *dignity*), great, noble, grand, lofty, eminent.
3. Stately, majestic, eminent, grand, solemn, noble, magnificent, glorious.
4. Elate, elevated, raised, exhilarated.
**Sublime,** *v. a.* I. Vaporize (*as a solid, to be again condensed*), sublimate.
2. Refine, exalt, elevate, heighten, improve, purify.
3. Dignify, ennoble, exalt, elevate, greaten.

**Sublime Porte.** Turkish court, Porte, Ottoman government.
**Sublimity,** *n.* I. Elevation, lofty height.
2. Grandeur, greatness, nobleness, loftiness, exaltation, nobility, sublimeness.
3. Exaltation, elevation.
4. Loftiness, grandeur, greatness.
**Sublunary,** *a.* Earthly, mundane, terrestrial, subastral, subcelestial, sublunar.
**Submarine,** *a.* Subaqueous, subaquatic.
**Submerge,** *v. a.* I. Immerse, plunge, sink, submerse.
2. Deluge, flood, overflow, overwhelm, inundate, cover with water, drown.
**Submerge,** *v. n.* I. Plunge, sink, submerse.
2. Be merged, be incorporated, be included.
**Submerse,** *v a.* See SUBMERGE.
**Submission,** *n.* I. Surrender, cession, yielding.
2. Obedience, resignation, compliance, acquiescence.
3. Submissiveness, lowliness, humility, meekness, humiliation, self-abasement, state of being submissive.
4. Endurance, sufferance, long-sufferance, forbearance, fortitude, patience.
5. Acknowledgment, confession, penitence, contrition.
**Submissive,** *a.* I. Yielding, tractable, pliant, docile, compliant, amenable.
2. Obedient, resigned, uncomplaining, unrepining, patient, long-suffering, passive.
3. Humble, meek, lowly.
**Submissiveness,** *n.* I. Pliancy, docility.
2. Obedience, submission, resignation, compliance, passiveness, non-resistance.
3. Humility, humbleness, meekness, lowliness, self-abasement.
**Submit,** *v. a.* I. Yield, surrender, resign, subject, give up.
2. Refer, commit.
**Submit,** *v. n.* I. Yield, surrender, succumb.
2. Yield, surrender, succumb, give up, knock under, lower one's flag, kiss the rod, lick the dust, eat humble pie, draw in one's horns.
3. Be subject.
**Submit to.** Endure, tolerate, put up with, bear with, reconcile one's self to, be reconciled to, make the best of.
**Subordinate,** *a.* Inferior, subservient, subject, ancillary, minor, secondary.
**Subordinate,** *n.* I. Inferior, dependant.
2. Inferior, subject, subservient.
**Subordinate,** *v. a.* Subject, make subordinate, make subservient.
**Subordination,** *n.* I. Subjection, act of subordinating.
2. Inferiority, subjection, subserviency.
**Suborn,** *v. a.* I. Procure indirectly.
2. (*Law.*) Bribe (*to commit perjury*), bribe to take a false oath.
**Sub rosa.** [L.] Privately, secretly, confidentially, in confidence, under the rose, between ourselves, between you and me, *entre nous.*
**Subscribe,** *v. a.* I. Sign, set one's name to, affix one's signature to.
2. Promise to contribute.
**Subscribe,** *v. n.* I. Sign one's name (*in token of consent*).
2. Agree, consent, assent, give consent, yield assent.
3. Enter one's name (*for a newspaper, etc.*).
4. Promise to contribute.
**Subsequent,** *a.* Following, succeeding, posterior, later, after.
**Subserve,** *v. a.* Promote, forward, further, serve, help forward, be subservient to, pander to, minister to.
**Subservience,** } *n.* I. Subordination, inferiority.
**Subserviency,** }
2. Usefulness, helpfulness.
**Subservient,** *a.* I. Subordinate, inferior, subject.
2. Useful, helpful, serviceable, conducive, subsidiary, ancillary, instrumental.
**Subside,** *v. n.* I. Sink, settle.
2. Decrease, diminish, lessen, lull, wane, ebb, abate, intermit, grow less.
3. Descend, sink, become lower, tend downward, settle.
**Subsidence,** *n.* I. Sinking, settling.
2. Decrease, diminution, lessening, abatement, ebb.
3. Descent, sinking.
**Subsidiary,** *a.* Assistant, auxiliary, aiding, helping, adjuvant, corroborative, co-operating, subservient.
**Subsidize,** *v. a.* Supply with a subsidy.
**Subsidy,** *n.* I. Support, aid, co-operation.
2. Pecuniary aid (*granted by one Government to another*), tribute.
**Subsist,** *v. n.* I. Exist, be, inhere.
2. (*Rare.*) Remain, abide, continue.
3. Be supported, obtain a livelihood, get a living, live.
**Subsist,** *v. a.* Feed, victual, ration, support, maintain.
**Subsistence,** *n.* I. Real being.
2. Support, livelihood, maintenance, aliment, nutriment, sustenance, living, food, provision, meat, rations.
3. Inherence, inherency.
**Subsistent,** *a.* I. Substantial, really existing.
2. Inherent.
**Substance,** *n.* I. Substratum, groundwork, reality, hypostasis, substantiality, essential nature, real being, real existence.
2. Meaning, import, significance, essence, pith, gist, soul, chief part, essential part, vital part.
3. Body, matter, material, texture, stuff.
4. Property, wealth, means, estate.
5. (*Theol.*) Divine essence, divine being.
**Substantial,** *a.* I. Real, actual, existent, subsistent, actually existing, having substance.
2. True, positive, solid, not imaginary.
3. Corporeal, material.
4. Strong, stout, solid, firm, stable, sound, massive, bulky.
5. Weighty, solid, firm, strong, valid, just, cogent, efficient.
6. Responsible (*pecuniarily*), moderately wealthy.
**Substantiality,** *n.* I. Substantialness.
2. Corporeity, materiality.
**Substantially,** *a.* I. Really, truly, essentially competently.
2. Strongly, stoutly, solidly, firmly.
**Substantialness,** *n.* I. Substantiality.
2. Firmness, strength, stability.
**Substantials,** *n. pl.* Essential *or* material parts.
**Substantiate,** *v. a.* Establish, verify, prove, confirm, corroborate, ratify, make good.
**Substantiation,** *n.* Confirmation, corroboration, establishment, evidence, proof, ratification.
**Substantive,** *n.* (*Gram.*) Noun, name.
**Substitute,** *v. a.* Exchange, commute, change, put in the place of.
**Substitute,** *n.* I. Proxy, lieutenant, agent, deputy, *locum tenens.*
2. Makeshift, temporary expedient.
**Substitution,** *n.* Exchange, commutation.
**Substratum,** *n.* I. Principle, element, groundwork, underlying substance, fundamental *or* primordial substance.
2. (*Agric.*) Subsoil.

**Substructure,** *n.* Foundation, under-building.
**Subterfuge,** *n.* Evasion, excuse, shift, artifice, trick, quirk, shuffle, pretence, pretext, mask, sophistry.
**Subterranean,** } *a.* Underground.
**Subterraneous,** }
**Subtile,** *a.* I. Rare, thin, light, airy, ethereal, sublimated.
2. Delicate, fine, slender, nice.
3. Acute, keen, piercing, excruciating.
4. Refined, shrewd, discerning, discriminating, nice.
5. Sly, artful, cunning, crafty, insinuating, subtle.
**Subtileness,** *n.* See SUBTILTY.
**Subtilize,** *v. a.* I. Make thin.
2. Rarefy, etherealize.
3. Refine excessively, make over-nice.
**Subtilize,** *v. n.* Refine, be over-nice.
**Subtilty,** *n.* I. Rarity, thinness, etherealness, subtileness.
2. Fineness, slenderness.
3. Refinement, extreme nicety, subtlety, acuteness.
4. Slyness, cunning, artifice, craft, subtlety.
**Subtle,** *a.* I. Crafty, cunning, artful, sly, wily, arch, astute, designing, intriguing, insinuating, crooked, tricky, diplomatic, Machiavelian, sophistical, Jesuitical.
2. Cunning, artful, cunningly devised.
3. Acute, keen, shrewd, sagacious, deep, profound.
**Subtleness,** *n.* See SUBTLETY.
**Subtlety,** *n.* I. Craft, craftiness, cunning, artifice, astuteness, artfulness, subtleness, guile.
2. Acuteness, acumen, keenness, shrewdness, discernment, intelligence, cleverness, sagacity.
**Subtract,** *v. a.* Deduct, withdraw, take, take away.
**Subtraction,** *n.* Deduction.
**Subulate,** } *a.* Awl-shaped, linear.
**Subulated,** }
**Suburbs,** *n. pl.* Environs, outskirts, purlieus, neighborhood, vicinage, border, limit, confines, *faubourg*.
**Subvention,** *n.* Government bounty, government aid.
**Subversion,** *n.* I. Overturn, inversion.
2. Overthrow, destruction, demolition, ruin.
**Subversive,** *a.* Destructive, tending to the overthrow.
**Subvert,** *v. a.* I. Overturn, overset, overthrow, reverse, upset, invert, turn upside down.
2. Destroy, ruin, overthrow, demolish, raze, extinguish, overturn, upset.
3. Pervert, corrupt, confound, destroy, injure.
**Succedaneum,** *n.* Substitute.
**Succeed,** *v. a.* I. Follow, come after, be subsequent to.
2. Take the place of, assume the office of, follow in order.
**Succeed,** *v. n.* I. Follow, ensue, come afterward, come subsequently.
2. Prosper, flourish, prevail, thrive, hit, make a hit, come on, be successful, meet with success, go on well, go on swimmingly, have a run of luck, hit the right nail on the head, turn up trumps, have the game in one's hands.
**Succeeding,** *a.* Following, subsequent.
**Succeed to.** I. Follow, succeed, come after.
2. Take the place of, assume the authority of.
**Success,** *n.* I. Issue, result.
2. Prosperity, luck, good fortune, good luck, lucky hit, fortunate hit, prosperous issue.
**Successful,** *a.* Prosperous, fortunate, lucky, auspicious, felicitous, happy.
**Successfully,** *ad.* Favorably, prosperously, luckily, fortunately.
**Succession,** *n.* I. Sequence, consecution.
2. Series, suite, progression, chain, concatenation.
3. Lineage, race, line of descendants.
4. (*Mus.*) Notes of melody (*as distinguished from chords of harmony*).
**Successive,** *a.* Consecutive.
**Successor,** *n.* Follower.
**Succinct,** *a.* Short, brief, concise, laconic, terse, compact, compendious, condensed, pithy, summary, curt.
**Succor,** *v. a.* I. Aid, assist, help, relieve.
2. Cherish, foster, encourage, nurse, comfort.
**Succor,** *n.* Relief, aid, assistance, help, support, helping hand.
**Succory,** *n.* Chiccory.
**Succulence,** } *n.* Juiciness.
**Succulency,** }
**Succulent,** *a.* Juicy, sappy, lush, full of juice, succulous, nutritive.
**Succumb,** *v. n.* Yield, submit, surrender, capitulate, give in, give way.
**Succussion,** *n.* Agitation, shake, shaking.
**Such,** *a.* I. Like, similar, of that kind, of the like kind.
2. So, in the same state *or* condition, as it is, as it was.
**Such a.** } Of this kind, of that kind, of the same
**Such an.** } kind.
**Such as** I. Of the same kind as, of the like kind as, of the kind that.
2. The same as.
**Suck,** *v. a.* I. Draw into the mouth.
2. Draw milk from (*with the mouth*).
3. Draw in, imbibe, absorb.
4. Draw in, swallow up, engulf.
**Sucker,** *n.* I. One who sucks.
2. Embolus, piston.
3. (*Ich.*) Lump-sucker, lump-fish.
4. (*Bot.*) Stole, stolon.
**Suck in.** Imbibe, absorb, take in, suck up.
**Suckle,** *v. a.* Nurse, give suck to, feed at the breast.
**Suckling,** *n.* Infant, babe, baby, nursling, chit, brat, bantling, little child, little one.
**Suck out.** Draw out with the mouth, empty by suction.
**Suck up.** Draw into the mouth, imbibe, absorb.
**Sucrose,** *n.* Cane-sugar.
**Sudatory,** *n.* Hot-house, sweating-bath, vapor-bath, sweating-room, stew, bagnio, Turkish bath, Russian bath, warm bath, *tepidarium*.
**Sudatory,** *a.* Sweating, perspiring.
**Sudden,** *a.* I. Unexpected, abrupt, unforeseen, unanticipated, unlooked for, unusual.
2. Quick, rapid, quickly prepared.
**Suddenly,** *a.* Unexpectedly, abruptly, pop, on a sudden.
**Sue,** *v. a.* I. Prosecute, follow up, seek after, woo, solicit.
2. Prosecute, bring an action against, commence a suit against.
**Sue,** *v. n.* I. Beg, petition, entreat, plead, supplicate, implore, pray, demand, seek by request.
2. Bring an action, make legal claim, prosecute.
**Suent,** *a.* [*Local Eng.* and *U. S.* Written also *Suant.*] I. Even, smooth, uniform, regular, equable, plain.
2. Easy, quiet, insinuating.
**Sue out.** (*Law.*) Obtain by judicial process.
**Suet,** *n.* Tallow (*with adhering membranes*), beef-fat, mutton-fat.
**Suffer,** *v. a.* I. Undergo, feel, meet with, experience, go through.

2. Endure, sustain, support, tolerate, bear, bear up under, put up with, stand, pocket, stomach.
3. Undergo, sustain, be affected by, be acted upon.
4. Permit, allow, indulge, admit, let, give permission to, give leave to.

**Suffer,** *v. n.* I. Feel pain.
2. Be put to inconvenience.
3. Be punished, undergo punishment.
4. Be injured, be impaired, sustain loss *or* damage.

**Sufferance,** *n.* I. Suffering, endurance, pain, misery, inconvenience.
2. Patience, moderation, long-suffering, submission.
3. Permission, allowance, toleration.

**Suffering,** *n.* I. Endurance, sufferance.
2. Pain, inconvenience, distress, misery, sufferance, passion.
3. Poverty, want.

**Suffice,** *v. n.* Be enough, be sufficient.

**Suffice,** *v. a.* Satisfy, content, be enough for.

**Sufficiency,** *n.* I. Adequacy.
2. Ability, qualification, capacity.
3. Competence, enough.
4. Plenty, supply, ample stock.
5. Conceit, self-confidence, self-sufficiency.

**Sufficient,** *a.* I. Adequate (*to supply a want*), competent, ample, enough, full, satisfactory.
2. Qualified, fit, able, competent, responsible, equal.

**Suffix,** *n.* Affix, postfix.

**Suffix,** *v. a.* Append, add, annex, postfix.

**Suffocate,** *v. a.* I. Stifle, smother, choke, strangle, kill (*by stopping respiration*).
2. Destroy, extinguish.

**Suffragan,** *n.* Bishop (*as subject to an archbishop*), assistant bishop, suffragan bishop.

**Suffragan bishop.** Suffragan, assistant bishop.

**Suffrage,** *n.* I. Vote, voice, ballot.
2. Approval, witness, attestation, testimonial.
3. Prayer (*as uttered by a congregation in response to a minister*)

**Suffuse,** *v. a.* Overspread, spread over, cover.

**Sugar,** *v. a.* I. Sweeten.
2. Compliment, flatter, sweeten.

**Sugar-beet,** *n.* Silesian beet, white beet (*Beta alba*).

**Sugar-berry,** *n.* Hackberry (*Celtis occidentalis*).

**Sugar-maple,** *n.* Rock-maple, sugar-tree (*Acer saccharinum*).

**Sugar of lead.** Acetate of lead.

**Sugary,** *a.* Sweet.

**Suggest,** *v. a.* Hint, intimate, insinuate, move, propose, indicate, prompt, give an inkling of, refer to, glance at, allude to, put in mind of, remind of, recommend, advise.

**Suggestion,** *n.* Hint, intimation, insinuation, allusion.

**Suicide,** *n.* I. Self-murder, self-slaughter, self-homicide, self-destruction.
2. Self-murderer, *felo de se.*

**Sui generis.** [L.] Peculiar, individual, of its own kind.

**Suit,** *n* I. Set, suite.
2. Retinue, set, suite.
3. Request, solicitation, petition, entreaty, prayer, supplication, appeal, invocation, suing.
4. Courtship, wooing, addresses.
5. (*Law.*) Prosecution, process, trial, action, cause, case.

**Suit,** *v. a.* I. Fit, adapt, adjust, fashion, accommodate, level, match, make suitable *or* proper.
2. Become, befit, beseem; be suited, fitted, *or* adapted to; be suitable for, be appropriate for.
3. Please, gratify, make content.

**Suit,** *v. n.* Agree, accord, harmonize, comport, tally, correspond, match, answer.

**Suitable,** *a.* Fit, proper, meet, apt, appropriate, seemly, becoming, due, just, apposite, applicable, fitting, befitting, relevant, eligible, adapted, accordant, consonant, conformable, pertinent, agreeable, answerable, correspondent, decent, convenient, to the point, to the purpose.

**Suitableness,** *n.* Fitness, propriety, agreeableness, correspondence, congruity, compatibility, consistency, consonance.

**Suite,** *n.* I. Train (*of attendants*), staff, retinue, followers, *cortège.*
2. Set (*particularly of apartments*), series, collection, suit.

**Suitor,** *n.* I. Solicitor, petitioner, applicant, suppliant, supplicant.
2. Wooer, lover, gallant.

**Sulcate,** / **Sulcated,** } *a.* Furrowed, grooved, scored.

**Sulk,** *v. n.* Be sullen, be sulky, be out of humor.

**Sulkiness,** *n.* See SULLENNESS.

**Sulky,** *a.* Cross, morose, sour, sullen, spleeny, spleenish, splenetic, perverse, wayward, surly, moody, dogged, churlish, mumpish, cross-grained, ill-tempered, ill-humored, in the sulks, out of humor, out of temper, out of tune.

**Sullen,** *a.* I. Cross, morose, sulky, sour, moody.
2. Gloomy, dismal, sombre, dark, funereal, mournful, foreboding, lowering, cheerless.
3. Heavy, dull, sluggish, slow, gloomy.
4. Obstinate, intractable, stubborn, refractory, perverse, vexatious.
5. Mischievous, malignant, baleful, unpropitious, evil, inauspicious, malign, sinister, unlucky.

**Sullenness,** *n.* I. Moroseness, moodiness, sourness, churlishness, spleen, sulkiness, ill-temper, bad blood.
2. Gloominess, sombreness, dismalness.
3. Sluggishness, slowness, heaviness.
4. Obstinacy, intractableness, stubbornness, intractability.
5. Malignity.

**Sully,** *v. a.* I. Soil, stain, tarnish, spot, blemish, dirty, contaminate, deface.
2. Stain, soil, tarnish, blemish, dishonor, disgrace, contaminate.

**Sulphate of baryta.** I. (*Native.*) Barytes, heavy-spar.
2. (*Artificially made.*) Blanc-fix, permanent white.

**Sulphate of copper.** Blue vitriol.

**Sulphate of potash.** Vitriolated tartar.

**Sulphate of quinia.** Quinine.

**Sulphate of soda.** Glauber's-salt, vitriolated soda.

**Sulphate of zinc.** White vitriol.

**Sulphur,** *n.* I. Brimstone, burn-stone.
2. [*An abbreviated term of commerce.*] Flowers of sulphur, sublimed brimstone.

**Sulphur-colored,** *a.* Yellow, lemon-colored, primrose-colored, citrine, citron-colored, greenish-yellow.

**Sulphuret of zinc.** Blende, black-jack, mock lead, false galena.

**Sulphuretted hydrogen.** Hydrosulphuric acid.

**Sulphuric acid.** Oil of vitriol.

**Sulphurous,** *a.* Sulphureous, sulphury.

**Sultan,** *n.* Padishah, grand-seignior, Turkish emperor, soldan, grand Turk, Ottoman sovereign.

**Sultana,** *n.* Sultaness, sultan's wife.

**Sultaness,** *n.* See SULTANA.

**Sultriness,** *n.* Moist heat, mugginess, oppressiveness, closeness.

**Sultry,** *a.* Hot and close, warm and damp, close, stifling, oppressive, muggy.
**Sum,** *n.* 1. Aggregate amount, total, totality, the whole, sum total, gross amount.
2. Quantity of money, any amount.
3. Summary, compendium, amount, substance, sum and substance.
4. Height, completion, summit, acme.
5. Question (*in arithmetic*), problem.
**Sum,** *v. a.* 1. Add, add together, sum up, cast up, compute, calculate, reckon.
2. Condense, summarize, sum up, state in brief, collect, comprehend, epitomize, put in a nutshell.
**Summarily,** *ad.* 1. Briefly, concisely, compendiously, in a few words.
2. Without delay, by a short method.
**Summary,** *a.* 1. Short, brief, concise, compendious, synoptical, succinct, laconic, curt, terse, pithy, compact, condensed.
2. Brief, rapid, quickly performed, quick.
**Summary,** *n.* Abridgment, compend, compendium, abstract, epitome, digest, synopsis, syllabus, conspectus, sum and substance, the short and the long, *résumé.*
**Summation,** *n.* 1. Computation, addition.
2. Aggregate.
**Summer-duck,** *n.* Wood-duck (*Anas sponsa* or *Dendronessa sponsa*).
**Summer-house,** *n.* 1. Arbor, garden-house, bower.
2. Country-seat.
**Summersault,** *n.* See SUMMERSET.
**Summerset,** *n.* Somerset, somersault, summersault.
**Summit,** *n.* 1. Top, highest point.
2. Top, apex, vertex, acme, pinnacle, zenith, utmost height, culminating point.
**Summon,** *v. a.* 1. Bid, cite, call, invite, call for, send for, order to appear, notify to appear.
2. Give notice to, command to appear, convene, convoke.
3. (*Mil.*) Demand the surrender of.
**Summons,** *n.* Citation, official call *or* notice.
**Summon up.** Raise, rouse, arouse, call up, excite, pluck up, call into action.
**Summum bonum.** [L.] Greatest *or* highest good, supreme good.
**Sumptuous,** *a.* 1. Costly, expensive, dear.
2. Magnificent, splendid, gorgeous, stately, rich, superb, grand, showy, pompous, luxurious, munificent, lavish, prodigal.
**Sun,** *n.* 1. Day-star, orb of day.
2. Sunshine, light, sunny place.
**Sunburnt,** *a.* Tanned, brown, bronzed, blowzy, ruddy, blowzed, ruddy-faced, brown as a berry.
**Sunday,** *n.* The Lord's day, the Christian Sabbath, the day of rest, the first day of the week.
**Sunder,** *v. a.* Disunite, disjoin, dispart, disconnect, part, separate, dissociate, divide, sever, dissever, break, part, tear asunder.
**Sundog,** *n.* Parhelion, mock sun.
**Sundown,** *n.* Sunset.
**Sundry,** *a.* Several, divers, various, more than one or two, not a great many.
**Sunfish,** *n.* Basking-shark (*Selachus maximus*).
**Sunless,** *a.* 1. Shaded, shady, unillumined, unlighted.
2. Rayless, beamless, dark, darksome, black, dismal, pitchy, Cimmerian, Stygian.
**Sunlight,** *n.* Daylight, sunshine, day, light of day, light of heaven.
**Sunn,** *n.* [Written also *Sun.*] 1. Brown hemp, Madras hemp, sun-hemp.
2. Sun-plant (*Crotolaria juncea*).
**Sunny,** *a.* 1. Bright, shining, brilliant, clear, unclouded, fine, sunshiny, luminous, radiant.
2. Bright, shining, brilliant.
3. Warm, mild, genial, pleasant.
4. Cheerful, joyful, happy.
**Sun of righteousness.** See SON OF MAN.
**Sun-picture,** *n.* Photograph.
**Sunrise,** *n.* 1. Dawn, sunrising, daybreak, peep of day, break of day, aurora, first blush of the morning.
2. East, Orient.
**Sunset,** *n.* 1. Evening, sundown, close of the day, sunsetting, eve, eventide, nightfall, going down of the sun.
2. West, Occident.
**Sunshade,** *n.* Parasol, sun-umbrella.
**Sunshine,** *n.* 1. Sunlight.
2. Illumination, warmth, light.
**Sunshiny,** *a.* Bright, sunny.
**Sunstroke,** *n.* Insolation, stroke of the sun, siriasis, *coup de soleil.*
**Sup,** *v. n.* Take supper.
**Sup,** *v. a.* Drink (*a little at a time*), sip.
**Sup,** *n.* Sip, taste, small mouthful.
**Supawn,** *n.* [*Indian word, Local U. S.*] Mush, hasty-pudding (*made of Indian meal*).
**Superable,** *a.* 1. Surmountable, conquerable, vincible, that may be overcome.
2. Possible, achievable, feasible.
**Superabound,** *v. n.* Be very abundant, be exuberant.
**Superabundance,** *n.* Excess, overflow, exuberance, luxuriance, superfluity, redundance, plethora, surfeit.
**Superabundant,** *a.* Exuberant, superfluous, excessive.
**Superadd,** *v. a.* Add (*over and above*), superinduce.
**Superannuated,** *a.* Decrepit, anile, aged, imbecile, doting, antiquated, effete, rusty, time-worn, unfit for service, on the retired list, on the pension list, *passé.*
**Superb,** *a.* 1. Grand, stately, august, majestic, noble, magnificent.
2. Sumptuous, rich, splendid, elegant, beautiful, exquisite.
3. Showy, pompous, gorgeous, magnificent.
**Supercilious,** *a.* 1. Haughty, overbearing, domineering, dictatorial, arrogant, proud, high, lofty, overweening, consequential, lordly, intolerant, insolent, vainglorious, magisterial, imperious, high and mighty.
2. Haughty, disdainful, contemptuous, proud, arrogant, lordly, consequential, scornful.
**Supereminence,** *n.* Pre-eminence, transcendence, marked superiority, superexcellence.
**Supereminent,** *a.* Pre-eminent, transcendent.
**Superficial,** *a.* 1. External, exterior, outer, on the surface, outward, outside.
2. Shallow, slight.
**Superficialist,** *n.* Sciolist, smatterer.
**Superficies,** *n.* Surface, exterior, outside.
**Superfine,** *a.* Excellent, choice, prime, first-rate, very good, very fine, superior, the best, unexceptionable.
**Superfluity,** *n.* Superabundance, excess, redundance, redundancy, exuberance, surfeit, more than enough, enough and to spare.
**Superfluous,** *a.* Excessive, superabundant, redundant, exuberant, unnecessary, needless, useless, expletive, more than enough.
**Superhuman,** *a.* 1. Divine, god-like.
2. Supernatural, preternatural, miraculous, hyperphysical.
**Superimpose,** *v. a.* Superpose.
**Superinduce,** *v. a.* Superadd, bring on.
**Superintend,** *v. a.* Supervise, oversee, overlook, direct, conduct, manage, control, administer

have charge of, have the direction of, have the oversight of, preside over.

**Superintendence,** } *n.* Supervision, inspection,
**Superintendency,** } oversight, care, direction, control, charge, management, guidance, surveillance.

**Superintendent,** *n.* Overseer, supervisor, master, conductor, inspector, curator, warden, guardian, custodian, intendant, director.

**Superior,** *a.* I. High, higher, upper, paramount, more elevated.
2. Of higher rank, more exalted, more dignified.
3. Surpassing, noble, more eminent, more excellent, preferable, greater.
4. Predominant, prevalent.

**Superiority,** *n.* I. Pre-eminence, ascendency, predominance, supremacy, preponderance, advantage, prevalence, odds.
2. Excellence, worthiness, nobility.

**Superior to.** Above, beyond the influence of, unaffected by.

**Superlative,** *a.* Supreme, most eminent, greatest, most excellent, surpassing, transcendent, consummate, pre-eminent, peerless, incomparable.

**Supernal,** *a.* Heavenly, celestial, divine.

**Supernatural,** *a.* Miraculous, preternatural, above nature, beyond the powers of nature, that exceeds the laws of nature.

**Supernumerary,** *a.* Odd, redundant, in excess, above the regular number, left over (*from a specified number*), superfluous.

**Superpose,** *v. a.* Superimpose, lay upon.

**Superscription,** *n.* Inscription, direction.

**Supersede,** *v. a.* I. Suspend, annul, overrule, set aside, make void, obviate, neutralize.
2. Displace, replace, supplant, succeed, remove.

**Superstition,** *n.* I. Bigotry, fanaticism.
2. False religion, worship of false gods, irrational worship.
3. Belief in omens.
4. Excessive nicety, scrupulous exactness.

**Supervene,** *v. n.* Occur (*with reference to something that precedes*), happen, take place, be added, come as an accessory, come upon.

**Supervisal,** *n.* See SUPERINTENDENCE.

**Supervise,** *v. a.* See SUPERINTEND.

**Supervision,** *n.* See SUPERINTENDENCE.

**Supervisor,** *n.* See SUPERINTENDENT.

**Supine,** *a.* I. On the back.
2. Indolent, sluggish, lazy, slothful, idle, inert, torpid, languid, dull, lumpish, listless, careless, thoughtless, inattentive, negligent, heedless, drowsy, indifferent, otiose, lethargic, apathetic, sleepy.

**Supper,** *n.* Tea, evening meal.

**Supplant,** *v. a.* I. Undermine, overthrow, overpower, force away.
2. Displace (*by stratagem*), replace, remove, supersede.

**Supple,** *a.* I. Pliant, pliable, flexible, flexile, limber, lithe, lithesome, easily bent, elastic.
2. Yielding, compliant, submissive, humble, soft.
3. Servile, obsequious, cringing, slavish, fawning, grovelling, sycophantic, flattering, supple-chapped, adulatory, oily, parasitical.

**Supplement,** *n.* I. Addition (*to supply something wanting*), appendix, postscript, continuation.
2. Counterpart, correlative, complement.

**Supplement,** *v. a.* Supply, add to, fill up.

**Supplemental,** *a.* See SUPPLEMENTARY.

**Supplementary,** *a.* Additional, supplemental.

**Suppliant,** *a.* Supplicating, beseeching, entreating, imploring, begging, praying, suing, precatory.

**Suppliant,** *n.* Petitioner, supplicant, applicant, solicitor, suitor.

**Supplicant,** *n.* See SUPPLIANT, *n.*

**Supplicat,** *n.* Petition, request.

**Supplicate,** *v. a.* Beg, implore, pray, entreat, beseech, importune, petition, crave, solicit, call upon, pray to, appeal to, prefer a request to.

**Supplicate,** *v. n.* Entreat, beg, pray, petition, sue, implore, put up a prayer, prefer a request *or* petition.

**Supplication,** *n.* I. Prayer, orison, invocation, petition.
2. Entreaty, petition, solicitation, prayer, request.

**Supplicatory,** *a.* Petitionary, humble, submissive.

**Supplies,** *n. pl.* Stores.

**Supply,** *v. a.* I. Provide, furnish, minister, replenish, stock, store, endue, endow, invest, fill up.
2. Give, grant, afford, accommodate with, contribute, yield, furnish.
3. Serve instead of, take the place of.
4. Fill.

**Supply,** *n.* Stock, store, reserve, provision, hoard, fund.

**Support,** *v. a.* I. Sustain, uphold, prop, brace, bear up, hold up, shore up.
2. Endure, bear, undergo, suffer, tolerate, put up with, go through.
3. Cherish, nourish, maintain, provide for, nurture.
4. Have, hold, keep up, maintain, sustain, preserve.
5. Perform, play, act, take the part of, sustain, assume, carry, represent.
6. Substantiate, confirm, make good, verify.
7. Assist, aid, help, second, patronize, abet, befriend, back, countenance, encourage, back up, succor, relieve, uphold, favor, shield, protect, defend.
8. Further, forward, advocate, vindicate, maintain, defend, stay, assist.
9. Accompany (*as an assistant*), attend, act as aid to.
10. Carry on, maintain.

**Support,** *n.* I. Prop, stay, shore, supporter, brace, hold.
2. Base, basis, bed, foundation.
3. Sustenance, maintenance, subsistence, livelihood, living, keeping, sustentation.
4. Nutriment, sustenance, food, bread.
5. Aid, help, assistance, succor, favor, countenance, encouragement, patronage, comfort.

**Supportable,** *a.* I. Endurable, tolerable.
2. Maintainable, defensible.

**Supporter,** *n.* I. Prop, stay, support, shore, brace.
2. Sustainer, comforter.
3. Maintainer, defender, aider, assistant, partisan, adherent, follower.

**Supposable,** *a.* Presumable.

**Suppose,** *v. a.* I. Presume, conceive, apprehend, believe, imagine, consider, deem, think, judge, presuppose, conjecture, conclude.
2. Imply, assume, presuppose, take for granted.
3. Imagine, believe, receive as true, think.

**Suppose,** *v. n.* Think, imagine, fancy, believe, surmise, conjecture, divine, suspect, presume, opine, ween.

**Supposition,** *n.* I. Surmise, conjecture, presumption.
2. Hypothesis, postulate, assumed position.
3. Doubt, uncertainty.

**Suppositional,** *a.* Hypothetical.

**Supposititious,** *a.* Spurious, counterfeit, sham, mock, false, foisted in, subditious.

**Suppositive,** *a.* Supposed.

**Suppress,** *v. a.* I. Crush, overpower, subdue, quell, overthrow, stifle, choke, smother, put down, destroy, overwhelm.
2. Restrain, repress, keep back, stop, check, keep in.
3. Conceal, keep secret, retain, strangle, stifle, keep down, keep out of sight, keep secret, restrain from disclosure, hush up.
4. Stop, restrain, check, obstruct, arrest.

**Suppression,** *n.* I. Overthrow, crushing, quelling.
2. Restraint, repression, check, stoppage, obstruction, detention.
3. Concealment, retention.
4. (*Gram.* and *Rhet.*) Omission (*as of a letter* or *a word*).

**Suppressive,** *a.* Subduing, concealing.

**Suppurate,** *v. n.* Fester, maturate, generate pus.

**Suppuration,** *n.* I. Festering, maturation, generation of pus.
2. Virulent matter, matter.

**Supremacy,** *n.* Domination, predominance, predominancy, lordship, mastership, mastery, sovereignty, supreme authority, upper hand.

**Supreme,** *a.* I. Highest, greatest, paramount, predominant, principal, chief, leading, first, preeminent.
2. Highest, greatest, superlative.
3. Utmost, greatest possible.

**Supreme Being.** The Almighty, the Omnipotent, the Omniscient, the Omnipresent, the Author, the Creator, the Infinite, the Eternal, the Allpowerful, the First Cause, God.

**Supreme good.** See SUMMUM BONUM.

**Surbase,** *n.* Skirting-board, mop-board, baseboard, skirting, wash-board.

**Surcharge,** *v. a.* Overload, overburden, overcharge.

**Surcharged,** *a.* Overcharged, overloaded, overburdened, surfeited, plethoric, over-full.

**Surcingle,** *n.* Girth, girt, girdle, belt, band.

**Surd,** *a.* I. (*Math.*) Radical, incommensurable.
2. (*Orthoepy.*) Aspirate, toneless, unintonated, atonic, unheard, without vocality, pronounced with a simple breathing.

**Sure,** *a.* I. Certain, confident, positive, assured, fully convinced.
2. Safe, secure, stable, firm, steady, trustworthy.
3. Infallible, unfailing, never-failing, strong, permanent, enduring, abiding, fast, indisputable, certain.
4. Certain, unerring.

**Sure,** *ad.* Certainly, without doubt, surely, doubtless.

**Surely,** *ad.* I. Certainly, infallibly, undoubtedly, assuredly, sure, without doubt.
2. Safely, securely, firmly, steadily.

**Surety,** *n* I. Certainty, indubitableness, sureness, certitude, assurance.
2. Safety, security.
3. Support, foundation.
4. Witness, evidence, ratification, confirmation.
5. Guaranty, pledge.
6. Bondsman, bail.
7. Substitute, hostage.

**Surf,** *n.* Breakers, breaking waves.

**Surface,** *n.* Superficies, exterior, outside, external part.

**Surf-duck,** *n.* Surf-scoter, black-duck (*Anas perspicillata*).

**Surfeit,** *v. a.* I. Satiate, glut, gorge, sate, overfeed.
2. Cloy, pall, nauseate.

**Surfeit,** *v n.* Be surfeited, feed to satiety.

**Surfeit,** *n.* I. Excess.
2. Fulness, oppression, repletion, plethora.
3. Satiety, disgust.
4. Repletion, glut, fulness, plethora, excess, superabundance, over-abundance, redundance, superfluity, nimiety.

**Surge,** *n.* Wave, billow, breaker, roller, white horse.

**Surge,** *v. n.* I. Swell, rise high.
2. (*Naut.*) Slip back.

**Surge,** *v. a.* (*Naut.*) Slack up suddenly (*as a rope round a pin*), let go.

**Surly,** *a.* I. Morose, cross, crabbed, testy, touchy, crusty, fretful, peevish, petulant, perverse, pettish, snappish, waspish, snarling, froward, uncivil, rude, rough, harsh, ill-tempered, ill-natured, sour, gruff, churlish, ungracious.
2. Rough, sullen, dark, tempestuous.

**Surmise,** *v. a.* Imagine, suspect, conjecture, suppose, guess, divine, fancy, believe, think, presume.

**Surmise,** *n.* Conjecture, suspicion, supposition, guess, doubt, imperfect notion.

**Surmount,** *v. a.* I. Rise above, overtop, tower above.
2. Overcome, conquer, subdue, overpower, vanquish, master, triumph over, rise above, get the better of.
3. Surpass, exceed, go beyond, pass, transcend.

**Surmountable,** *a.* Conquerable, superable, that may be surmounted.

**Surname,** *n.* Cognomen, family name, patronymic.

**Surpass,** *v. a.* Excel, exceed, outdo, outstrip, outrun, override, transcend, cap, overtop, beat, go beyond.

**Surpassing,** *a.* Excellent, supreme, incomparable, transcendent, pre-eminent, peerless, superlative.

**Surplus,** *n.* Overplus, residue, excess, surplusage, superplus.

**Surplusage,** *n.* I. See SURPLUS.
2. (*Law.*) Irrelevant matter.

**Surprise,** *n.* Wonder, astonishment, amazement.

**Surprise,** *v. a.* I. Take unawares, take by surprise, take off one's guard.
2. Astonish, amaze, startle, strike with wonder, take aback.
3. Confuse, bewilder.

**Surprising,** *a.* Extraordinary, remarkable, wonderful, unexpected, astonishing, marvellous.

**Surrender,** *v. a.* I. Cede, yield, give up, give over, deliver up.
2. Resign, relinquish, forego, abdicate, abandon, part with, renounce, waive.

**Surrender,** *v. n.* Yield, capitulate, give up, give over, give in, give one's self up, strike one's flag *or* colors, cry quarter, cry quits.

**Surrender,** *n.* Relinquishment, renunciation, cession, resignation, abandonment, capitulation.

**Surreptitious,** *a.* Fraudulently introduced, foisted in, done by stealth.

**Surreptitiously,** *ad.* Fraudulently, by stealth, without authority.

**Surrogate,** *n.* Deputy, delegate, substitute, proxy, lieutenant, representative, *locum tenens.*

**Surround,** *v. a.* I. Encircle, environ, encompass, enclose.
2. (*Mil.*) Invest, hem in, fence about.

**Surroundings,** *n. pl.* [*Recent.*] External circumstances, *entourage.*

**Surtout,** *n.* Overcoat, great-coat.

**Surveillance,** *n.* [Fr.] Superintendence, inspection, oversight, supervision, care, watch, charge, control, direction, management, surveyorship.

**Surveillant,** *n.* Overseer, spy.

**Survey,** *v. a.* I. View, observe, overlook, scan, contemplate, review, take a view of.
2. Inspect, examine, scrutinize.
3. Measure and estimate (*as lands or buildings*).
4. Oversee, supervise, inspect.
**Survey,** *n.* I. View, sight, prospect, retrospect.
2. Inspection, examination, scrutiny, review.
3. Mensuration (*to determine areas, contours, etc.*), surveying.
**Surveying,** *n.* See SURVEY, *n.*, 3.
**Surveyor,** *n.* I. Overseer, superintendent, supervisor.
2. Inspector.
3. Land-measurer.
4. (*Customs.*) Gauger, custom-house officer.
**Survive,** *v. n.* Remain alive, continue to live, live on.
**Survive,** *v. a.* Outlive, live longer than.
**Susceptibility,** *n.* Sensitiveness, impressibility, susceptibleness, susceptivity, excitability.
**Susceptible,** *a.* Susceptive, impressible, sensitive, excitable.
**Susceptibleness,** *n.* See SUSCEPTIBILITY.
**Susceptive,** *a.* Susceptible.
**Susceptivity,** *n.* See SUSCEPTIBILITY.
**Suspect,** *v. a.* I. Surmise, imagine, fancy, believe, conjecture, guess, suppose, think.
2. Distrust, mistrust, doubt, have no confidence in.
3. Believe to be guilty.
**Suspect,** *v. n.* Be suspicious, have suspicion, imagine guilt.
**Suspend,** *v. a.* I. Hang.
2. Make to depend.
3. Interrupt, intermit, stay, delay, hinder.
4. Discontinue, arrest, leave off, give over, stop, break off.
5. Defer, delay, postpone, withhold, lay over, stave off.
6. Debar (*as from an office*) temporarily.
**Suspend,** *v. n.* Stop payment, become bankrupt, go into bankruptcy.
**Suspended,** *a.* Hanging, pendent, pendulous, pensile.
**Suspenders,** *n. pl.* Braces, gallowses.
**Suspense,** *n.* I. Uncertainty, indetermination, incertitude.
2. Hesitation, hesitancy, irresolution, doubt, indecision, vacillation, wavering, scruple, misgiving.
3. Suspension, intermission, remission, interruption, cessation, stoppage, stop, respite, pause, rest, stay, quiescence, discontinuance.
4. (*Law.*) Suspension.
**Suspension,** *n.* I. Hanging, pendency.
2. Interruption, intermission, suspense, stay.
3. Delay, postponement.
4. Temporary deprivation (*as of an office*).
**Suspicion,** *n.* I. Surmise, conjecture, supposition, guess.
2. Distrust, mistrust, doubt, misgiving, want of confidence.
**Suspicious,** *a.* I. Distrustful, jealous, inclined to suspect, given to suspicion, mistrustful.
2. Liable to suspicion, doubtful, questionable.
**Sustain,** *v. a.* I. Bear, support, uphold, hold up, keep from falling.
2. Nourish, maintain, support, subsist, keep alive, supply with food.
3. Aid, comfort, relieve, assist.
4. Suffer, undergo, endure, bear.
5. Sanction, approve, confirm, ratify.
6. Justify, prove, establish, confirm.
7. (*Mus.*) Continue, hold.
**Sustenance,** *n.* I. Subsistence, support, maintenance.
2. Food, victuals, provisions, bread, supplies.
3. Food, aliment, nutriment, nourishment, *pabulum.*
**Sustentation,** *n.* I. Support, preservation from falling.
2. Maintenance, support of life, subsistence, sustenance.
**Susurrus,** *n.* Whispering, whisper.
**Suture,** *n.* Line of junction.
**Suzerain,** *n.* Feudal lord, liege lord, lord paramount.
**Suzerainty,** *n.* Lordship, sovereignty, seigniory.
**Swab,** *n.* Mop.
**Swaddle,** *v. a.* Swathe.
**Swag,** *v. n.* Bend (*by force of gravity*), settle, sag, give way, lean.
**Swagger,** *v. n.* Bluster, bully, vapor, brag, be insolent, boast.
**Swagger,** *n.* Bluster, boastful manner, boastfulness.
**Swaggerer,** *n.* Blusterer, bully, braggart, boaster, braggadocio, Gascon, swash-buckler, fire-eater, Sir Lucius O'Trigger.
**Swaggering,** *n.* Bravado, bluster, gasconade, flourish, fanfaronade.
**Swain,** *n.* I. Rustic, hind, peasant, countryman, clown.
2. Country gallant, rustic lover, wooer, suitor, adorer, inamorato, *amoroso.*
**Swale,** *v. n.* Melt (*as a candle*), waste, consume, waste away, sweal.
**Swallow,** *v. a.* I. Take into the stomach, gulp, imbibe, gorge, engorge, englut.
2. Absorb, engulf, devour, swallow up, submerge.
3. Believe (*without scruple*), receive implicitly, accept as true, credit.
4. Brook, stomach, pocket, endure, bear, put up with, stand, submit to.
5. Renounce, retract, recant, take back.
6. Consume, exhaust, waste, use up.
7. Engross, appropriate, arrogate.
8. Occupy, employ, use up, consume.
9. Engross, engage completely.
**Swallow,** *n.* I. Throat, gullet, œsophagus.
2. Voracity, gluttonous appetite.
3. Taste, relish, inclination, liking, palate.
4. Mouthful, taste, little drink, draught.
**Swallow-fish,** *n.* (*Ich.*) Sapphirine gurnard.
**Swallow-tail,** *n.* I. (*Mach.*) Dove-tail.
2. (*Fort.*) Priest-cap.
**Swallow up.** Absorb, engulf, destroy, swallow, suck in, suck up.
**Swamp,** *n.* Bog, fen, quagmire, morass, marsh, slough, marish, spongy land, soft and wet ground.
**Swamp,** *v. a.* I. Engulf, sink, whelm, swallow up.
2. (*Naut.*) Upset, overset, sink, whelm, capsize.
3. Plunge into difficulties, sink, wreck, ruin, run aground, embarrass.
**Swamp-cabbage,** *n.* Skunk-cabbage, skunk-weed (*Symplocarpus fœtidus*).
**Swamp-honeysuckle,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Swamp-pink (*Azalea viscosa*).
**Swamp-sassafras,** *n.* Sweet-bay, white laurel, beaver-tree (*Magnolia glauca*).
**Swampy,** *a.* Boggy, fenny, marshy, undrained, wet and spongy.
**Swape,** *n.* Sweep, swipe, well-sweep.
**Sward,** *n.* Turf.
**Swarm,** *n.* Multitude (*especially of winged insects*), crowd, throng, concourse, mass, press, flock, shoal, host.
**Swarm,** *v. n.* I. Crowd, throng, gather in a swarm.
2. Be crowded, be thronged, be filled.

3. Abound, be abundant.
4. Breed multitudes.

**Swart,** } *a.* Dark-hued, tawny, dusky, dark,
**Swarth,** } swarthy.

**Swarthy,** *a.* Dark, dark-skinned, dark-hued, brown, tawny, of a dark complexion.

**Swash,** *v. n.* I. Swagger, bluster, vapor, brag, boast, bully.
2. Flow noisily, dash, splash.

**Swash-buckler,** *n.* Bully, braggadocio, swaggerer, blusterer, roisterer, rough, fanfaron, Captain Bobadil.

**Swathe,** *v. a.* Swaddle.

**Swathe,** *n.* Bandage.

**Sway,** *v. a.* I. Move, wield, swing, wave, brandish, poise, balance.
2. Bias, bend, turn.
3. Rule, govern, direct, guide, control, influence.
4. (*Naut.*) Hoist, raise.

**Sway,** *v n.* I. Govern, bear rule, reign.
2. Have weight, have influence, prevail.
3. Incline, lean.

**Sway,** *n.* I. Power, dominion, control, empire, domination, command, rule, government, sovereignty, ascendency, authority, predominance, mastership, mastery, supreme power.
2. Influence, weight, authority, direction, bias.
3. Preponderation, preponderance.
4. Swing, sweep.

**Sweal,** *v. n.* I. Melt (*as a candle*), swale.
2. Blaze away.

**Sweal,** *v. a.* Dress, singe, swale, burn the hair off.

**Swear,** *v. n.* I. Utter an oath, take oath, take an oath.
2. Declare (*solemnly*), avow, affirm, depose, testify, state, say, vow.
3. Use profane language, take the name of God in vain, curse, blaspheme.

**Swear,** *v. a.* Administer an oath to, put under oath.

**Sweat,** *n.* I. Perspiration, exudation, excretion, sweating, cutaneous excretion.
2. Labor, toil, drudgery.
3. Ooze, reek, exuding moisture.

**Sweat,** *v. n.* I. Perspire.
2. Toil, labor, drudge.
3. Emit moisture.

**Sweat,** *v. a.* I. Exude, emit by the pores.
2. Put into a perspiration.

**Sweating,** *n.* Exudation, sweat.

**Sweating-bath,** *n.* Sudatory, vapor-bath, hot-house, sweating-room.

**Sweating-room,** *n.* See SWEATING-BATH.

**Sweaty,** *a.* I. Perspiring, sweating.
2. Laborious, toilsome, difficult.

**Swedish turnip.** Ruta-baga, Swede (*Brassica campestris*).

**Sweep,** *v. a.* I. Clean (*with a broom*), brush.
2. Graze, touch (*in passing*), brush, rub over.
3. Traverse, pass over.
4. Carry off, sweep off, sweep away.
5. Carry with pomp, flourish.

**Sweep,** *n.* I. Range, compass, scope, reach.
2. Swipe, swape, well-sweep.
3. Destruction, havoc, ravage, devastation.
4. Sweeper, chimney-sweep.
5. Curve, curvature, flexure, bend.

**Sweep away.** I. Clear away (*by a broom*), brush away.
2. Dislodge, remove, expel, drive off, sweep off.
3. Destroy, overwhelm, carry off.

**Sweeping,** *a.* I. Destructive.
2. Wholesale, extensive, broad, comprehensive.
3. Unqualified, exaggerated, extravagant.

**Sweepings,** *n. pl.* Refuse, offscourings, dirt, rubbish.

**Sweep off.** Sweep away, sweep, brush off, brush away.

**Sweep out.** I. Eject.
2. Clean, brush out, clear out.

**Sweepstakes,** *n.* I. Winner (*in gaming* or *in horse-racing*).
2. Total stakes (*at a horse-race*).

**Sweepy,** *a.* I. Sweeping.
2. Wavy, tossing.
3. Strutting, expanded.

**Sweet,** *a.* I. Sugary, honeyed, saccharine, luscious.
2. Redolent, fragrant, balmy.
3. Soft, melodious, harmonious, mellifluous, dulcet, musical, mellow, tuneful, silvery, silver-toned.
4. Beautiful, fair, lovely.
5. Delightful, agreeable, pleasant, charming, grateful, gratifying.
6. Mild, gentle, engaging, winning, attractive, amiable, lovable.
7. Mild, soft, gentle, benignant, serene.
8. Fresh.
9. Wholesome, sound.
10. Pure, fresh, clean.

**Sweet,** *n.* I. Sweetness, sweetest part.
2. Perfume, fragrance, redolence.
3. Dear, darling.
4. Joy, blessing, enjoyment.

**Sweet-bay,** *n.* I. Laurel, sweet-wood (*Laurus nobilis*).
2. Swamp-sassafras (*Magnolia glauca*).

**Sweet-bread,** *n.* Pancreas.

**Sweet-brier,** *n.* Eglantine (*Rosa rubiginosa*).

**Sweet-calamus,** } *n.* Lemon-grass (*Calamus aro-*
**Sweet-cane,** } *maticus*).

**Sweeten,** *v. a.* I. Make sweet.
2. Soften, make mild, make tender, make kind, mollify.
3. Give zest to, give a relish to.
4. Soothe, relieve.
5. Freshen, disinfect, ventilate, fumigate, deodorize.

**Sweeten,** *v. n.* Grow sweet, become sweet.

**Sweet-flag,** *n.* Sweet-rush, calamus (*Acorus calamus*).

**Sweet-gale,** *n.* See SWEET-WILLOW.

**Sweet-gum,** *n.* Liquidambar (*Liquidambar styraciflua*).

**Sweetheart,** *n.* I. Lover, beau, wooer, admirer, suitor, follower, adorer, swain, flame, love, spark, true-love, inamorato, *cicisbeo*.
2. Flame, mistress, lady-love, dulcinea, inamorata, dear, darling, *cara sposa*.

**Sweet-leaf,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Horse-sugar (*Symplocos tinctoria*).

**Sweetly,** *ad.* Gratefully, pleasantly, agreeably.

**Sweetmeat,** *n.* Confection, comfit, junket, sugar-plum.

**Sweetmeats,** *n. pl.* Preserves, preserved fruits, sweet stuff.

**Sweetness,** *n.* I. Sweet.
2. Agreeableness, pleasantness.
3. Beauty, fairness, loveliness.
4. Amiableness, gentleness, mildness, suavity.

**Sweet-oil,** *n.* Olive-oil.

**Sweet-potato,** *n.* Carolina potato (*Batatas edulis* or *Convolvulus batatas*).

**Sweet-root,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Licorice (*Glycyrrhiza*).

**Sweet-rush,** *n.* See SWEET-FLAG.

**Sweets,** *n. pl.* I. Saccharine substances.
2. Confectionery, preserves, conserves, *confiture*.

**Sweet-scabious,** *n.* Daisy-fleabane.

**Sweet-scented,** *a.* Fragrant, redolent, balmy, sweet-smelling, aromatic, spicy, perfumed.
**Sweet-scented shrub.** (*Bot.*) Carolina all-spice (*Calycanthus*)
**Sweet-smelling,** *a.* See SWEET-SCENTED.
**Sweet-sounding,** *a.* Melodious, harmonious, symphonious, tuneful, dulcet, musical.
**Sweet-tempered,** *a.* Amiable, kind, gentle, mild, equable.
**Sweet-toned,** *a.* Euphonious, euphonic, mellifluous.
**Sweet-william,** *n.* Bunch-pink, bearded-pink (*Dianthus barbatus*).
**Sweet-willow,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Dutch myrtle, sweet-gale, Scotch myrtle (*Myrica gale*).
**Swell,** *v. n.* I. Dilate, expand, tumefy, distend, fill out, intumesce, grow larger *or* bigger (*by expansion*).
2. Increase (*by outward addition*), augment, enlarge.
3. Rise (*as waves*), heave, surge.
4. Belly, be inflated.
5. Strut, look big, put on airs, be puffed up, swagger, ride a high horse, carry with a high hand.
6. Be turgid *or* bombastic.
7. Bulge, protuberate, swell out.
8. Be puffed, be bloated, become irate.
9. Glow, expand, warm, thrill, heave, throb, grow big.
10. Be elated, rise into arrogance.
11. Become larger, grow upon the view.
**Swell,** *v. a.* I. Dilate, expand, inflate, enlarge.
2. Enhance, heighten, aggravate.
3. Puff up, make arrogant.
**Swell,** *n.* I. Swelling.
2. Augmentation, protuberance.
3. Elevation, rise.
4. Force, intensity, power, *crescendo.*
5. Increase of power, increase of rhetorical force.
6. Ascent, elevation.
7. Waves, billows.
8. (*Colloq.*) Fox, coxcomb, dandy, beau, exquisite, jackanapes, popinjay, blade, buck, fine gentleman, spark, jack-a-dandy, dandiprat, man milliner, man of dress, vain fellow.
**Swelling,** *a.* Bombastic, pompous, turgid, inflated, tumid, stilted, grandiloquent, pretentious, high-flowing, high-sounding, rhetorical, declamatory, grandiose.
**Swelling,** *n.* I. Swell.
2. Protuberance, bump, prominence, rise.
**Swell out.** Bulge, protuberate.
**Swelter,** *v. n.* Be oppressed with heat, be overcome by heat, be hot.
**Swerve,** *v. n.* I. Deviate, depart, diverge, turn aside, go astray.
2. Bend, incline, yield, give way.
3. Climb, move upward, swarm, wind.
**Swift,** *a.* I. Quick, fast, fleet, rapid, speedy, expeditious, flying.
2. Ready, prompt, eager, zealous, forward, alert.
3. Sudden, instant, speedy.
**Swift-footed,** *a.* Fleet, nimble, agile, light-footed.
**Swiftly,** *ad.* Quickly, speedily, expeditiously, trippingly, apace, posthaste, rapidly, fleetly, at full speed, with speed, under press of sail *or* canvas, by forced marches, on eagle's wings, in double-quick time, in seven-league boots, as fast as one's legs will carry one, whip and spur, *ventre à terre.*
**Swiftness,** *n.* Quickness, celerity, velocity, rapidity, speed, fleetness.
**Swill,** *v. a.* I. Drink (*greedily*), guzzle, quaff.
2. Inebriate, intoxicate, fuddle.
**Swill,** *n.* I. Potations, large drams, greedy draughts of liquor.
2. Hogwash, swillings.
**Swiller,** *n.* Drunkard, sot, toper, tippler, tosspot, hard drinker, soaker.
**Swillings,** *n. pl.* See SWILL.
**Swim,** *v. n.* I. Float, be borne up (*on a liquid*).
2. Be borne along (*as on water, by a current*), float with the tide.
3. Propel one's self through the water, buffet the waves.
4. Glide, skim.
5. Be flooded, be inundated.
6. Be dizzy (*as the head*).
7. Overflow, abound, have abundance.
**Swimming,** *n.* I. Floating.
2. Dizziness, vertigo.
**Swimmingly,** *ad.* Smoothly, successfully, prosperously, easily.
**Swindle,** *v. a.* Cheat, cozen, deceive, dupe, gull, trick, defraud, overreach, victimize, chouse, diddle, impose upon, practise upon, take in.
**Swindle,** *n.* Cheat, fraud, imposition, deception, chouse, piece of knavery.
**Swindler,** *n.* Rogue, knave, cheat, impostor, trickster, sharper, blackleg, jockey.
**Swindling,** *n.* Knavery, cheating, rascality, roguery, imposture.
**Swine,** *n. sing.* and *pl.* I. Hog, pig, porker.
2. Hogs (*collectively*).
**Swine-bread,** *n.* Truffle (*Tuber cibarium*).
**Swine-grass,** *n.* Knot-grass.
**Swine-herd,** *n.* Swine-tender.
**Swine-pipe,** *n.* Redwing, wind-thrush, red-sided thrush (*Turdus iliacus*).
**Swine-pox,** *n.* (*Med.*) Water-pox, chicken-pox.
**Swine-stone,** *n.* Stink-stone.
**Swing,** *v. n.* I. Oscillate, vibrate, wave, move to and fro, move backward and forward.
2. Depend, hang, dangle, hang loose.
3. (*Colloq.*) Be hanged, hang.
**Swing,** *v. a.* I. Cause to swing, wave, *or* vibrate.
2. Wave, flourish, brandish, move to and fro, whirl.
**Swing,** *n.* I. Oscillation, vibration, waving motion.
2. Scope, range, play, margin, free play, full play, elbow-room, free course, sweep.
3. Bias, tendency, inclination.
**Swinge,** *v. a.* Beat, whip, scourge, flog, lash, bastinade, switch, chastise, punish.
**Swingel,** *n.* Swiple.
**Swingle,** *n.* Swingle-staff, swingling-staff, swingling-knife, swingling-wand.
**Swingle,** *v. a.* Dress with a swingle (*as flax*), beat with a swingle.
**Swingle-tree,** *n.* Whiffle-tree, whipple-tree, single-tree, swing-tree.
**Swingling-knife,** **Swingling-staff,** **Swingling-wand,** *n.* Swingle.
**Swinish,** *a.* Hoggish, piggish, gross, sensual, brutish, beastly.
**Swinish multitude.** Rabble, great unwashed, mob, rabble rout, horde, scum of the people, dregs of society, *canaille.*
**Swipe,** *n.* Sweep, swape, well-sweep.
**Swiple,** *n.* Swingel.
**Swirl,** *v. a.* and *v. n.* Whirl, eddy.
**Swirl,** *n.* Eddy, whirl, gyration.
**Swiss,** *n.* I. Swiss language, language of Switzerland.
2. [*sing.* and *pl.*] Switzer, inhabitant of Switzerland.

**Switch,** *n.* Rod, twig, stick, birch.
**Switch,** *v. a.* Beat, whip, lash, swinge, flog, birch, cane, dust one's jacket.
**Switchel,** *n.* Sweetened water, molasses and water.
**Switzer,** *n.* Swiss.
**Swivel,** *n.* 1. Caster.
2. Turning link (*in a chain*).
3. Swivel-gun.
**Swivel-gun,** *n.* Swivel.
**Swob,** *n.* See SWAB.
**Swoon,** *v. n.* Faint, faint away.
**Swoon,** *n.* Syncope, fainting, fainting fit.
**Swoop,** *v. a.* 1. Seize (*as a hawk its prey*), catch while on the wing.
2. Catch up, pounce upon, seize, clutch.
**Swoop,** *v. n.* Stoop, descend, come down, bear down.
**Swoop,** *n.* 1. Clutch, seizure.
2. Stoop, descent.
**Sword,** *n.* 1. Sabre, broadsword, cutlass, falchion, cimeter, rapier, claymore, hanger, steel, brand, bilbo, skean, Toledo, tuck.
2. Emblem of vengeance, emblem of justice.
3. Destruction by the sword.
4. Military power.
5. War, strife, dissension.
**Sword-arm,** *n.* Right arm.
**Sword-fight,** *n.* Fencing.
**Sword-fish,** *n.* Gar-fish, horn-fish, sea-needle, gar-pike, sea-pike, long-nose, gore-bill, snook, mackerel-guide (*Esox belone* or *Belone vulgaris*).
**Sword-grass,** *n.* Glader, sedge.
**Sword-hand,** *n.* Right hand.
**Sword-law,** *n.* Violence, force.
**Sword-player,** *n.* Fencer, gladiator.
**Sword-shaped,** *a.* Ensiform.
**Sword-stick,** *n.* Sword-cane.
**Sworn enemies.** Irreconcilable enemies, determined enemies.
**Sworn friends.** Intimate friends, dear friends, bosom friends, close friends.
**Sybarite,** *n.* Voluptuary, epicure, man of pleasure, sensualist, votary of Epicurus.
**Sybaritic,** / **Sybaritical,** } *a.* Voluptuous, luxurious, wanton.
**Sycamore,** *n.* [*U. S.*] Plane-tree, button-wood, button-ball tree, water-beech (*Platanus occidentalis*).
**Sycophancy,** *n.* Servility, obsequiousness, fawning, gross flattery, sycophantism.
**Sycophant,** *n.* Parasite, fawner, toady, wheedler, flunky, spaniel, lick-spittle, pick-thank, toad-eater, time-server, hanger-on, mean flatterer.
**Sycophantic,** *a.* Fawning, cringing, servile, slavish, parasitic, obsequious, adulatory, supple, grovelling, meanly submissive.
**Syllabus,** *n.* Abstract, abridgment, outline, epitome, summary, compend, digest, compendium, synopsis, breviary, brief, sum and substance.
**Sylph,** *n.* Fairy, fay, peri, sylphid.
**Sylva,** *n.* Trees (*of a country*).
**Sylvan,** *a.* 1. Forest-like.
2. Woody, shady.
**Sylvan,** *n.* Satyr, faun.
**Symbal,** *n.* See CYMBAL.
**Symbol,** *n.* Emblem, type, sign, token, figure, representative.
**Symbolic,** / **Symbolical,** } *a.* Emblematical, typical, hieroglyphical, representative, significative.
**Symbolization,** *n.* Representation, indication, prefigurement.
**Symbolize,** *v. a.* Prefigure, typify, emblematize, be symbolical of.
**Symmetrical,** *a.* Proportional (*in the several parts*), regular, shapely, harmonious, congruent, well-proportioned, well-set, well-formed.
**Symmetry,** *n.* Proportion, harmony, shapeliness, regularity, order, regular arrangement.
**Sympathetic,** *a.* Compassionate, sympathizing, commiserating, pitiful, tender, kind, affectionate, loving, with the heart in the right place.
**Sympathize with.** Feel sympathy with, feel for, enter into the feelings of, have pity for, fraternize with, make common cause with, have a common feeling.
**Sympathizer,** *n.* Favorer, patron, advocate, partisan, well-wisher, friend.
**Sympathy,** *n.* 1. Fellow-feeling.
2. Agreement, harmony, correspondence, correlation, affinity, union, reciprocity, pre-established harmony, congeniality, concord, concert.
3. Compassion, commiseration, condolence, pity, tenderness, kindliness, fellow-feeling, bowels of compassion.
4. Mutual influence.
**Symphonious,** *a.* Harmonious, consonant, accordant, concordant, musical, symphonic.
**Symphony,** *n.* Consonance, harmony, music, concert.
**Symposaic,** *a.* Convivial, festive
**Symposium,** *n.* Feast, drinking together, compotation, revel, banquet, festival.
**Symptom,** *n.* Indication, sign, mark, note, token.
**Symptomatic,** / **Symptomatical,** } *a.* Indicative.
**Symptomatology,** *n.* Science of symptoms, semeiology.
**Synagogue,** *n.* 1. Jewish temple, Jewish house of worship.
2. Sanhedrim, great synagogue.
**Synchronal,** *a.* Synchronical, synchronous, coincident.
**Synchronize,** *v. n.* Be simultaneous, agree in time, concur in time.
**Synchronism,** *n.* Simultaneousness, coincidence.
**Synchronous,** *a.* See SYNCHRONAL.
**Syncope,** *n.* 1. (*Gram.*) Elision (*in the middle of a word*).
2. (*Med.*) Swoon, fainting, fainting fit.
**Synecphonesis,** *n.* (*Gram.*) Synæresis, synizesis.
**Synergetic,** *a.* Co-operating, co-operative, synergistic, working together.
**Synergistic,** *a.* See SYNERGETIC.
**Synod,** *n.* 1. Council of ecclesiastics.
2. Meeting, convention, council, assembly.
**Synonymes,** *n. pl.* [Written also *Synonyms*] Equivalent words (*of the same language*), words of the same meaning.
**Synonymous,** *a.* Equivalent, interchangeable, equipollent, of the same meaning, of similar meaning, that express the same idea.
**Synopsis,** *n.* Abridgment, epitome, abstract, outline, compend, compendium, summary, syllabus, digest, sum and substance, general view.
**Syntectical,** *a.* Syntetic, consumptive.
**Synteretic,** *a.* (*Med.*) Prophylactic.
**Syntexis,** *n.* (*Med.*) Consumption, colliquation.
**Synthesis,** *n.* Combination (*of elements*), composition, putting together.
**Syphon,** *n.* See SIPHON.
**Syren,** *n.* See SIREN.
**Syriac,** *a.* Syrian.
**Syringe,** *n.* Squirt.
**Syrinx,** *n.* Pandean pipes, shepherd's pipes, Pan.
**Syrtis,** *n.* Quicksand, bog, syrt.
**System,** *n.* 1. A whole (*viewed with reference*

*to the interdependence of its parts*), combination of parts to form a whole.
2. Scheme, body, plan, theory, connected view, hypothesis, classification, arrangement.
3. Order, method, regularity, rule.
4. Universe.

**Systematic,** } *a.* I. Methodical, orderly, regu-
**Systematical,** } lar.
2. Cosmical.

**Systematize,** *v. a.* Methodize, arrange, harmonize, regulate, order, reduce to order, put into a systematic form.

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**Tabanus,** *n.* (*Ent.*) Horse-fly.

**Tabby,** *n.* I. Watered silk.
2. Brindled cat, tabby-cat.
3. Gossip, tale-bearer, news-monger, tattler, chatterer.

**Tabby,** *v. a.* Water, sprinkle and calender.

**Tabby,** *a.* I. Of a waved *or* watered appearance.
2. Brindled, brinded.

**Tabefaction,** *n.* Emaciation (*by tabes*), wasting away.

**Tabernacle,** *n.* I. Tent, pavilion, habitation.
2. The Jewish temple.
3. Temple, church, chapel, cathedral, minster, meeting-house, place of worship, sacred place.
4. Pyx.
5. Reliquary, shrine.
6. Niche.
7. Triptych.
8. Choir-stall.

**Tabernacle,** *v. n.* Dwell (*temporarily*), sojourn, be housed.

**Tabes,** *n.* [L.] (*Med.*) I. Emaciation (*accompanied by fever*), wasting, consumption.
2. Atrophy.

**Tabid,** *a.* Consumptive, phthisical.

**Table,** *n.* I. Slab, tablet.
2. Stand (*to take food from*), board.
3. Food, diet, provision, fare, repast, victuals, entertainment.
4. Table-company.
5. Index, list, catalogue, syllabus.
6. Synopsis, condensed statement.

**Table,** *a.* Flat, plain, level, even.

**Tableau,** *n.* [Fr.] I. Picture, scene, representation.
2. *Tableau vivant.*

**Table-beer,** *n.* Small beer.

**Table-d'hôte,** *n.* [Fr.] Ordinary, public table.

**Table-land,** *n.* Elevated plain, plateau.

**Table-spar,** *n.* Tabular spar, tafel-spath.

**Tablet,** *n.* I. Small table, slab.
2. Pocket memorandum-book.
3. Lozenge, troche.

**Taboo,** *n.* [Written also *Tabu.*] Interdict, prohibition.

**Taboo,** *v. a.* Interdict, forbid, prohibit, put under taboo, put under an interdict, forbid to be used *or* touched.

**Tabouret,** *n.* [Fr.] I. Stool.
2. Embroidery-frame.

**Tabular,** *a.* I. Of a table.
2. Flat, plane.
3. Laminated, lamellar, lamelliform, foliated, scaly, flaky.

**Tabula rasa.** [L.] Smooth tablet, blank tablet.

**Tabularize,** *v. a.* Tabulate, put into a tabular form.

**Tabulate,** *v. a.* See TABULARIZE.

**Tacamahac,** *n.* Balsam poplar (*Populus balsamifera*).

**Tace.** [L.] Be silent, silence.

**Tachygraphy,** *n.* Stenography, shorthand, brachygraphy, tacheography.

**Tacit,** *a.* Implied, understood, inferred, silent, unexpressed (*by words*), implicit, unspoken.

**Taciturn,** *a.* Silent (*by habit*), reserved, uncommunicative, close, unconversable, reticent, of few words, sparing of words, close-tongued.

**Taciturnity,** *n.* Reserve, closeness, reticence, habitual silence, uncommunicativeness.

**Tack,** *v. a.* I. Fasten (*slightly*), attach, append, affix, tag.
2. Nail (*with tacks*).
3. (*Naut.*) Put about, change the course of.

**Tack,** *v. n.* (*Naut.*) Go about, tack ship.

**Tack,** *n.* Small nail.

**Tackle,** *n.* I. Pulley.
2. Equipment, gear, rigging, tackling, furniture, implements, apparatus.
3. Harness, tackling.
4. Weapons, instruments of action.

**Tackle,** *v. a.* (*Local* and *Colloq.*) I. Harness.
2. Attack, seize, lay hold of, seize upon.

**Tackling,** *n.* I. Tackle, implements, equipment.
2. Sailing apparatus, sails and cordage, rigging.
3. Harness.

**Tact,** *n.* I. (*Rare.*) Touch, feeling, taction, sense of feeling.
2. Adroitness (*in appreciating circumstances and acting accordingly*), skill (*in saying* or *doing what is most appropriate to the occasion*), quick judgment, nice perception, cleverness, dexterity, knack, *savoir faire.*

**Tactician,** *n.* Manœuvrer, wire-puller, adroit manager.

**Tactics,** *n.* I. Strategy, military science, generalship, art of war.
2. Management, manœuvring, policy, diplomacy.

**Tactile,** *a.* Tangible, palpable.

**Taction,** *n.* Contact, tangency, touch.

**Tadorna,** *n.* (*Ornith.*) Sheldrake.

**Tadpole,** *n.* Polliwog, porwiggle, purwiggy, polliwig.

**Tædium,** *n.* [L.] Wearisomeness, irksomeness, tiresomeness, tediousness.

**Taffrail,** *n.* [Written also *Tafferel.*] Stern-rail.

**Tag,** *n.* I. Metal point (*at the end of a string*)
2. Label, card.
3. Cue, catchword.
4. Game of tag, tig.

**Tag,** *v. a.* I. Attach a tag to, fit with a tag.
2. Fasten, attach, append, affix, tack, join, add to.

**Tag after.** (*Colloq.*) Follow closely, keep at one's heels.

**Tag-tail,** *n.* Dependant, sycophant, parasite.

**Tail,** *n.* I. Caudal appendage, hinder part.
2. Back part, lower part, inferior part.
3. End, extremity, fag-end, conclusion.
4. Skirt, flap.
5. Catkin.
6. Train, retinue.
7. Horse-tail, Turkish standard.

8. (*Bot.*) Petiole *or* peduncle.
9. (*Law.*) Limitation, abridgment.
10. (*Mus.*) Stem (*of a note*).

**Tail,** *a.* (*Law.*) Limited, abridged, reduced, curtailed.

**Tailor,** *n.* Maker of men's clothes.

**Tail-piece,** *n.* Appendage.

**Taint,** *v. a.* 1. Imbue, impregnate.
2. Corrupt, infect, contaminate, defile, poison, make noxious, make putrid, pollute, disease, vitiate.
3. Tarnish, stain, sully, blot.

**Taint,** *n.* 1. Tincture, tinge, stain.
2. Infection, corruption, depravation, contamination, defilement.
3. Fault, blemish, defect, flaw, spot, stain.

**Take,** *v. a.* 1. Receive, accept.
2. Seize, grasp, gripe, clasp, lay hold of, get hold of.
3. Entrap, ensnare, circumvent.
4. Capture, catch, make prisoner of.
5. Come upon, befall, smite, fasten on, attack, seize.
6. Conquer, capture, cause to surrender.
7. Captivate, delight, please, interest, attract, allure, engage, fascinate, bewitch, enchant, charm.
8. Admit, allow, not dispute.
9. Understand, interpret.
10. Regard, consider, hold, suppose.
11. Choose, select, elect, espouse, be in favor of.
12. Turn to, have recourse to, betake one's self to.
13. Assume, adopt, put on.
14. Delineate, portray, figure, draw, paint, sketch, copy.
15. Get, procure, obtain.
16. Use, employ, make use of, avail one's self of.
17. Demand, require, need, be necessary.
18. Swallow, take down.
19. Experience, feel, perceive, be sensible of, be conscious of.
20. Bear, endure, tolerate, submit to.
21. Form, fix, adopt.
22. Draw, derive, deduce.
23. Discover, detect.
24. Conduct, lead, convey.
25. Carry, transfer.

**Take,** *v. n.* 1. Catch, be fixed, fix.
2. Please, be well received, be welcomed.
3. Succeed, have the intended effect.
4. Go, proceed, resort, direct one's course.

**Take,** *n.* Catch of fish, haul of fish.

**Take aback.** Astonish, surprise, take by surprise, startle.

**Take advantage of.** 1. Turn to account, make use of.
2. Impose upon (*by some advantage of superior knowledge* or *of opportunity*), catch by surprise.

**Take after.** 1. Copy, imitate.
2. Resemble, be like.

**Take a horn.** (*Colloq.*) Take a drink (*of spirituous liquor*).

**Take aim.** Aim.

**Take air.** Be made public, be disclosed, get abroad, become known.

**Take a liberty.** Make free, make bold, presume.

**Take along.** 1. Carry.
2. Lead, convey, conduct.

**Take arms.** Begin hostilities.

**Take aside.** Take by the button, talk to in private.

**Take away.** 1. Remove.
2. Subtract, deduct.

**Take back.** 1. Take again.
2. Recall, revoke, recant, withdraw, retract, disavow, abjure.

**Take breath.** Rest, stop to rest.

**Take care.** Be careful.

**Take care of.** Oversee, superintend, take charge of, care for.

**Take courage.** Be encouraged, take heart.

**Take down.** 1. Take from above.
2. Reduce, lower, depress.
3. Humble, abash, humiliate.
4. Pull to pieces, pull down.
5. Swallow, take.
6. Record, note, make a note of, write down.
7. Attack.

**Take effect.** 1. Be efficacious.
2. Go into operation.

**Take exception.** 1. Object, dissent, make objection.
2. Take it ill, be displeased, be offended

**Take fire.** 1. Be ignited, catch fire.
2. Be inflamed, be kindled.

**Take flight.** Fly, take to one's heels, run, flee, scamper off, make off.

**Take for.** Mistake for.

**Take for granted.** Admit, allow, concede.

**Take French leave.** Depart informally, take leave unceremoniously.

**Take from.** 1. Deduct from, subtract from, take away from.
2. Derogate from, detract from.
3. Deprive, dispossess.

**Take heart.** Be encouraged, take courage, gain confidence.

**Take heed.** Beware, be cautious, be careful.

**Take heed to.** Attend to, pay attention to.

**Take hold of.** Seize, fix on.

**Take horse.** 1. Set out to ride, mount and ride.
2. Be covered (*as a mare*).

**Take ill.** Take amiss, take in bad part, take exception to.

**Take in.** 1. Receive, admit.
2. Comprise, embrace, comprehend, include.
3. Comprehend, understand.
4. Lessen, contract, make smaller.

**Take-in,** *n.* (*Colloq.*). Fraud, deception, imposture, cheat.

**Taking,** *a.* 1. Pleasing, alluring, captivating, attractive.
2. Infectious, catching.

**Taking,** *n.* 1. Seizing, seizure, apprehension.
2. Agitation, excitement, distress.
3. Vexation, anger, pique.

**Take in good part.** Receive kindly, not be angry about, not be offended at.

**Take in hand.** 1. Undertake, engage in, set the hand to.
2. Deal with (*in the way of correction* or *discipline*).

**Take in sail.** (*Naut.*) Shorten sail, reduce sail.

**Take into account.** Consider, remember.

**Take into custody.** Arrest, take up, take prisoner.

**Take in tow.** Tow, draw, drag, haul, pull.

**Take it.** Think, suppose, presume, believe, imagine, conclude.

**Take it ill.** Be offended, be displeased, take exception.

**Take leave.** Bid adieu, bid farewell, take one's departure.

**Take notice.** Observe, remark, pay attention.

**Take oath.** Swear solemnly.

**Take-off,** *n.* Imitation, caricature.

**Take off.** 1. Remove, divest one's self of.
2. Remove, take away, carry off.
3. Cut off.
4. Withdraw, withhold.

5. Destroy, kill.
6. Swallow, drink.
7. Imitate, personate, mimic.
8. Copy, reproduce.
9. Remove, invalidate.

**Take on.** (*Neuter.*) Complain, lament, be much affected.

**Take on.** (*Active.*) Assume, be willing to bear, take upon, take up.

**Take one's chance.** Venture, tempt fortune, try one's fortune, try one's luck.

**Take one's choice.** Choose, select, pick and choose.

**Take one's fancy.** Please, afford pleasure, charm.

**Take one's own course.** Act one's pleasure, do as one chooses.

**Take out.** I. Remove, withdraw, draw out, extract.
2. Obliterate, efface, destroy, draw out, remove.

**Take part.** I. Share, partake.
2. Unite, join.

**Take place.** I. Happen, occur, come to pass.
2. Prevail, have effect.

**Take root.** Be rooted, be firmly established.

**Take sides.** Favor one side, take up the cause of one side.

**Take the air.** Breathe the open air, go abroad in the open air.

**Take the field.** (*Mil.*) Encamp, commence operations.

**Take the lead.** Lead the way, go before, go ahead, go in the van.

**Take the place of.** Supply the place of, be a substitute for, stand in the shoes of.

**Take time by the forelock.** Seize the occasion, let not the opportunity slip, make hay while the sun shines, strike the iron while it is hot.

**Take to.** I. Apply to, be fond of.
2. Have recourse to, betake one's self to.

**Take to do.** (*Colloq.*) Reprove, take to task.

**Take to flight.** Flee, fly, run away, take to one's heels.

**Take to heart.** Feel keenly, be greatly grieved at, be much affected by, take on about, be much troubled by, lay to heart.

**Take to one's heels.** Flee, fly, run away, take to flight.

**Take to task.** Reprove, reprimand, chide, take to do, call to account, rebuke.

**Take up.** I. Raise, lift.
2. Begin (*especially where another has left off*).
3. Fasten (*with a ligature*).
4. Engross, engage, employ.
5. Occupy, fill, cover.
6. Arrest, seize, catch, take prisoner, take into custody.
7. Assume, adopt.
8. Pay (*as a note*), discharge, settle.
9. Buy *or* borrow.
10. Answer by reproof, reprimand.
11. Comprise, include.
12. Collect, exact (*as a tax*).

**Take up arms.** Begin war, commence hostilities.

**Take up one's connection.** Terminate one's relations.

**Take upon one's self.** I. Assume, undertake.
2. Incur, appropriate to one's self.

**Take up the gauntlet.** Accept the challenge.

**Take up with.** Be contented with.

**Tale,** *n.* I. Oral relation, story, account, that which is told, rehearsal, narrative.
2. Story, fable, legend, narrative, relation, apologue, parable, novel, romance.
3. Information, anything disclosed.
4. Account, count, reckoning.

**Tale-bearer,** *n.* Tell-tale, tattler, mumble-news, gossip.

**Talent,** *n.* Gift, faculty, capacity, genius, endowment, ability, ableness, power, parts, cleverness, turn, aptitude, aptness, knack, forte.

**Talented,** *a.* Gifted, of talent, of brilliant parts.

**Tale-teller,** *n.* See TALE-BEARER.

**Talipes,** *n.* (*Surgery.*) Club-foot.

**Talisman,** *n.* Charm, amulet, phylactery.

**Talismanic,** *a.* Magical.

**Talk,** *v. n.* I. Speak, converse.
2. Confer, reason, deliberate.
3. Prattle, prate.

**Talk,** *v. a.* I. Speak, use for conversing.
2. Speak, utter, mention in speaking.

**Talk,** *n.* I. Conversation, converse, colloquy, discourse, conference, communication, dialogue, confabulation, chat, parley, oral intercourse.
2. Report, rumor, bruit, town talk.
3. Subject of discourse, theme.

**Talkative,** *a.* Loquacious, garrulous, chatty, conversable, cozy, long-tongued.

**Talk away.** Spend *or* pass in talking.

**Talk big.** (*Colloq.*) Boast, brag, vaunt, gasconade, bluster, vapor, exalt one's self, magnify one's self, *se faire valoir.*

**Talker,** *n.* I. Converser, conversationalist.
2. Prattler, loquacious person, chatterer, chatter-box, babbler, magpie, *moulin à paroles.*
3. Boaster, braggart, gascon.

**Talk of.** Speak of, relate, tell, recount.

**Talk over.** I. Talk about, discuss, confer concerning.
2. Persuade, convince, prevail upon.

**Talk to.** I. Speak befitting.
2. (*Colloq.*) Reprove gently, advise, exhort.

**Tall,** *a.* High (*in stature*), lofty, elevated, towering.

**Tallness,** *n.* Height (*of stature*).

**Tallow,** *n.* Suet (*freed from adhering membranes*).

**Tall talk.** Boasting, vaporing, bombast, exaggeration.

**Tally,** *n.* Mate, match, counterpart.

**Tally,** *v. n.* Match, agree, accord, conform, correspond, harmonize, square, coincide, suit.

**Talon,** *n.* Claw (*of a bird*), nail.

**Talus,** *n.* Ankle-bone.

**Tamarack,** *n.* Hackmatack, American larch, black larch (*Larix pendula* or *Americana*).

**Tame,** *a.* I. Domesticated, domestic, mild, gentle, docile, reclaimed.
2. Subdued, crushed, submissive, meek.
3. Spiritless, dull, flat, feeble, lean, vapid, insipid, jejune, barren, languid, prosing, prosy, prosaic, uninteresting, poor, tedious.

**Tame,** *v. a.* I. Domesticate, make tame, make docile, reclaim.
2. Subdue, repress, conquer, overcome, overthrow, subjugate.

**Tamper,** *v. n.* I. Meddle, intermeddle, dabble, have to do (*in a tentative way*).
2. Intrigue, deal secretly, use bribery, seduce, suborn.

**Tan,** *v. a.* I. Convert into leather, impregnate with tannin.
2. Imbrown, make tawny, imbrown by exposure.

**Tan-colored,** *a.* Leather-colored, tawny.

**Tang,** *n.* I. Smack, taste, flavor, savor.
2. Sting.
3. Twang.
4. Tangle, sea-tang, oar-weed, sea-girdles, edible sea-weed (*Laminaria digitata*).

**Tangency,** *n.* Contact, touching.

**Tangent,** *a.* Touching.

**Tangibility,** *n.* Tangibleness.
**Tangible,** *a.* I. Tactile, palpable, corporeal, material.
2. Real, certain, positive, substantial, solid, material, perceptible, sensible, open, plain, obvious.
**Tangle,** *v. a.* I. Interweave (*confusedly*), intertwine, complicate, perplex, snarl, entangle, mat.
2. Entrap, ensnare, catch.
3. Embroil, embarrass, perplex.
**Tangle,** *n.* I. Complication, intricacy, perplexity, snarl.
2. Perplexity, embarrassment.
3. Tang, sea-tang, oar-weed, sea-girdles (*Laminaria digitata*).
**Tank,** *n.* Cistern, reservoir.
**Tanned,** *a.* Imbrowned, sunburnt, ruddy, blowzy, blowzed, ruddy-faced.
**Tantalize,** *v. a.* Torment (*by exciting hopes and refusing to gratify them*), vex, tease, irritate, provoke, disappoint, balk, frustrate.
**Tantalum,** *n.* (*Min.*) [Called also *Tantalium.*] Columbian.
**Tantamount,** *a.* Equivalent, equal.
**Tantamount to.** The same as, equal to, as good as.
**Tantrum,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Burst of ill-humor, high freak, whim, affected air.
**Tap,** *v. a.* I. Broach.
2. Rap, strike (*lightly*).
**Tap,** *v. n.* Rap.
**Tap,** *n.* I. Gentle blow, light stroke,
2. Spigot, plug, stopper, stopple, spile.
3. Tap-room, bar, tap-house.
**Taper,** *n.* Light, small candle, *bougie.*
**Taper,** *a.* Conical, pyramidal, tapering.
**Taper,** *v. a.* Make taper, make conical.
**Taper,** *v. n.* Take a conical form, have a conical shape.
**Tapering,** *a.* Conical, taper.
**Tapestry,** *n* Arras.
**Tape-worm,** *n.* *Tænia.*
**Tap-house,** *n.* Ale-house, public-house, tavern, drinking-house.
**Tapioca,** *n.* Purified cassava, manioc.
**Tapis,** *n.* Carpet.
**Tapped,** *a.* Abroach, broached, on tap.
**Tap-room,** *n.* Tap, bar-room.
**Tar,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Sailor, seaman, mariner, seafarer, seafaring man, tarpaulin.
**Tardigrada,** *n. pl.* (*Zoöl.*) I. Sloths.
2. Water-bears.
**Tardiness,** *n.* Slowness, dilatoriness, delay, slackness, lateness.
**Tardy,** *a.* I. Slow, snail-like, sluggish, slow-paced.
2. Dilatory, slack, late, behindhand, backward, slow.
**Target,** *n.* Mark (*to be shot at*).
**Tariff,** *n.* Schedule of duties (*on imports* or *on exports*).
**Tarin,** *n.* (*Ornith.*) [Written also *Terin.*] Siskin, aberdevine (*Carduelis spinus*).
**Tarn,** *n.* I. Pool (*among mountains*), pond, lake, mere.
2. Bog, marsh, fen, swamp, morass, marish.
**Tarnish,** *v. a.* Soil, stain, sully, deface, dim, discolor, dull, blemish.
**Tarnish,** *n.* Soil, stain, spot, blemish, blot.
**Tarriance,** *n.* Stay, delay, tarrying, lateness.
**Tarry,** *v. n.* I. Wait, linger, delay, loiter, remain, stay, stop.
2. Delay, put off, defer.
3. Stay, sojourn, abide (*temporarily*), lodge, rest, take up one's quarters, pitch one's tent, have lodgings, take lodgings, continue, stop, halt.
**Tart,** *a.* I. Sour, acid, acidulous, sharp.
2. Severe, harsh, caustic, crabbed, sharp, snappish, testy, snarling, petulant, acrimonious, ill-tempered, ill-humored, keen.
**Tartan,** *n.* Plaid.
**Tartar,** *n.* I. Argol, bitartrate of potash (*crude*).
2. Ill-tempered person.
**Tartarean,** *a.* Infernal, hellish, tartareous.
**Tartar-emetic,** *n.* Tartarized antimony, tartrated antimony, tartrate of potash and antimony.
**Tartareous,** *a.* Tartarean.
**Tartarized antimony.** See TARTAR-EMETIC.
**Tartarus,** *n.* Hades, Erebus, hell, the lower world, the infernal regions, shades below, purgatory, pandemonium, realms of Pluto.
**Tartness,** *n.* I. Sourness, acidity.
2. Acrimony, harshness, asperity, sourness, severity, piquancy, sharpness, keenness, acerbity, crabbedness.
**Tartuffe,** *n.* Hypocrite, hypocritical devotee.
**Tartuffish,** *a.* Formal, hypocritical.
**Task,** *n.* I. Work, labor, toil, drudgery.
2. Employment, business, undertaking, enterprise, work, labor.
3. Lesson, exercise.
**Task,** *v. a* I. Impose a task on.
2. Burden, oppress, tax.
**Taskmaster,** *n.* Overseer, tasker.
**Taskwork,** *n.* Piece-work, job-work.
**Tastable,** *a.* Savory, relishing, gustable.
**Taste,** *v. a.* I. Try the flavor of, test by the tongue.
2. Experience, perceive, feel, undergo.
3. Partake of, participate in.
**Taste,** *v. n.* I. Try the flavor.
2. Smack, savor, be tinctured, have a smack *or* flavor.
3. Have perception, have experience.
4. Enjoy sparingly.
**Taste,** *n.* I. Gustation, act of tasting.
2. Flavor, relish, savor, *goût.*
3. Dash, infusion, admixture, sprinkling, tincture, *soupçon.*
4. Sense of taste.
5. Fondness, liking, partiality.
6. Discernment (*of beauty* or *excellence*), judgment (*of propriety*), nice perception.
7. Manner, style.
8. Bit, morsel, mouthful, sample.
9. Narrow ribbon.
**Tasteful,** *a.* I. Savory, toothsome, delicious, appetizing.
2. Tasty, elegant, in good taste.
**Tasteless,** *a.* I. Insipid, flat, without relish.
2. Dull, flat, insipid, uninteresting, vapid.
**Tasty,** *a.* Elegant, refined, tasteful.
**Tatterdemalion,** *n.* Ragamuffin, ragged fellow, wretch, *sans-culotte.*
**Tattered,** *a.* Torn, ragged.
**Tatters,** *n. pl.* Rags.
**Tattle,** *v. n.* I. Prate, prattle, chatter, chat, jabber, babble, talk idly *or* thoughtlessly, talk at random, spin a long yarn.
2. (*Colloq.*) Blab, gossip, tell tales, tell secrets.
**Tattle,** *n.* Prate, prattle, gossip, twaddle, twattle, gabble, idle talk.
**Tattler,** *n.* I. Prattler, babbler, chatterer, prater, gossip, gadabout, gadder, rattle-head, idle talker, news-monger.
2. Gossip, tale-bearer.
**Tattoo,** *n.* Beat of drum (*to summon soldiers to quarters at night*), tapto.
**Taught,** *a.* (*Naut.*) [Written also *Taut.*] Tight, tense, stretched, strained.
**Taunt,** *v. a.* Mock, flout, chaff, ridicule, revile, reproach, upbraid, censure, deride, jeer, twit, scoff at, sneer at, rail at, make game of, make

fun of, treat with scorn, make a butt of, make merry with.

**Taunt,** *n.* Ridicule, derision, scoff, censure, reproach, insult, jeer, gibe, quip, quirk, caustic remark.

**Tauromachy,** *n.* Bull-fighting.

**Taurus,** *n.* (*Astron.*) The Bull.

**Taut,** *a.* See TAUGHT.

**Tautog,** *n.* [Written also *Tautaug.*] Black-fish (*Labrus Americanus*).

**Tautological,** *a.* Repetitious, repetitional, redundant, pleonastic.

**Tautology,** *n.* Repetition (*of the same idea in different words*), redundancy, iteration, reiteration, pleonasm.

**Tavern,** *n.* Inn, public-house, hostelry, eating-house.

**Tavern-haunter,** *n.* Tippler, toper, tavern-man.

**Tawdry,** *a.* Showy (*without elegance*), gaudy, flashy, glittering, in bad taste, meretricious, tinsel.

**Tawny,** *a.* Fulvous, fulvid, yellowish-brown, dull yellow.

**Tax,** *n.* I. Impost, duty, custom, toll, excise, tribute, assessment, rate, levy.
2. Demand, burden, charge, requisition.
3. Charge, accusation, censure.

**Tax,** *v. a.* I. Put a tax upon, assess tribute upon.
2. Burden, load, task, make demands upon.
3. Accuse, charge, lay upon.

**Tea,** *n.* I. Infusion (*especially of the dried leaves of the tea-plant*), decoction.
2. (*Colloq.*) Supper, evening meal.

**Tea-berry,** *n.* Partridge-berry, deer-berry, box-berry, wintergreen, mountain-tea (*Gaultheria procumbens*).

**Teach,** *v. a.* I. Instruct, inform, educate, enlighten, train, discipline, drill, school, tutor, indoctrinate, initiate, give instruction to, give lessons to.
2. Communicate, impart, inculcate, instil, preach.
3. Admonish, counsel, show, tell, advise, signify, suggest to, indicate to, point out to.
4. Direct as an instructor, manage as a preceptor, guide the studies of.

**Teach,** *v. n.* Act as teacher, practise teaching.

**Teachable,** *a.* Docile, apt, apt to learn.

**Teacher,** *n.* I. Instructor, tutor, preceptor, master, school-master.
2. School-mistress, school-dame, mistress.
3. Preacher, minister of the gospel, pastor.

**Teaching,** *n.* Education, instruction, breeding.

**Teague,** *n.* Irishman (*in contempt*).

**Teak,** *n.* Indian oak (*Tectona grandis*).

**Tear,** *v. a.* I. Rend, pull apart, separate by pulling.
2. Lacerate, laniate, lancinate, mangle, rend, wound.
3. Sever, sunder.
4. Break away, force away, rend away, snatch away.
5. Shatter, rend.

**Tear,** *v. n.* I. Rush with violence, move with violence.
2. Rage, rave, fume, rant.

**Tear,** *n.* Rent, fissure.

**Tear from.** Separate, take away.

**Tearful,** *a.* Weeping, shedding tears.

**Tear off.** Strip, pull off with violence.

**Tear out.** Pull out, draw out by violence.

**Tear up.** Pull up, rip up.

**Tease,** *v. a.* Worry, vex, plague, annoy, torment, molest, irritate, harass, tantalize, badger, chafe, hector, harry, pester, bother, trouble, disturb, chagrin, provoke.

**Tea-service,** *n.* Tea-set.

**Tea-set,** *n.* Tea-service, tea-things.

**Teat,** *n.* Dug, nipple, pap.

**Tea-things,** *n. pl.* Tea-set.

**Techiness,** *n.* Peevishness, fretfulness, touchiness, frowardness.

**Techy,** *a.* [Written also *Tetchy.*] Peevish, fretful, irritable, touchy.

**Tedder,** *n.* Tether.

**Tedder,** *v. a.* Tether.

**Te Deum.** Hymn of thanksgiving.

**Tedge,** *n.* Ingate, runner, git.

**Tedious,** *a.* I. Wearisome (*in consequence of being prolonged*), tiresome, operose, irksome, fatiguing, too long, monotonous, trying.
2. Slow, sluggish, tardy, dilatory.

**Tediousness,** *n.* Wearisomeness, tiresomeness, irksomeness, tedium.

**Tedium,** *n.* See TEDIOUSNESS.

**Teem,** *v. n.* I. Bring forth, produce, bear.
2. Conceive, be pregnant, engender young.
3. Abound, be full, be prolific, be stocked.

**Teemful,** *a.* Pregnant, prolific.

**Teeming,** *a.* Fraught, replete, full, prolific, pregnant, overflowing.

**Teeter,** *v. n.* [*U. S.*] Seesaw, titter, titter-totter, tetter-totter.

**Teething,** *n.* Dentition.

**Teetotal,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Entire, complete, total.

**Teetotalism,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Total abstinence, strict temperance.

**Tegument,** *n.* I. Covering, cover, integument, capsule, case.
2. Skin.

**Tehee,** *v. n.* (*Colloq.*) Giggle, titter.

**Telamones,** *n. pl.* Atlantes.

**Teledu,** *n.* Stinkard (*Mydaus meliceps*).

**Telegram,** *n.* Telegraphic despatch.

**Telegraph,** *n.* Semaphore.

**Telegraph,** *v. a.* Convey by telegraph, announce by telegraph.

**Telescope,** *n.* Spyglass.

**Tell,** *v. a.* I. Number, count, enumerate, compute, reckon, run over, sum up, take an account of, mention one by one.
2. Relate, recount, rehearse, narrate, describe, report, give an account of.
3. Disclose, reveal, divulge, confess, betray, acknowledge, own, declare, make known.
4. Acquaint, teach, inform, apprise, make known to, explain to, instruct, communicate to.
5. Discern, discover, make out, distinguish, find out.
6. Express, utter, speak, state, mention, communicate, publish, speak of, make mention of.

**Tell,** *v. n.* I. Give account, make report.
2. (*Colloq.*) Take effect, be effective.

**Telling,** *a.* Effective, powerful.

**Tell of.** I. Speak of, mention, narrate *or* describe.
2. Inform against, disclose some fault of.

**Tell off.** Count off, detach, distribute.

**Tell-tale,** *n.* Tattler, talebearer, blabber.

**Tell-tale,** *a.* Babbling, tattling, blabbing.

**Telluric,** *a.* Terrestrial, earthly.

**Temerity,** *n.* Recklessness (*of disposition*), rashness, heedlessness, venturesomeness, hastiness, precipitancy, inconsiderateness, presumption, foolhardiness, precipitation, precipitancy, overconfidence, audacity.

**Temper,** *v. a.* I. Modify, qualify, mix in due proportion.
2. Soften, mollify, assuage, soothe, calm, moderate, restrain, pacify, attemper, appease.
3. Adapt, fit, suit, adjust, accommodate.
4. Bring to the right degree of hardness (*as iron, by sudden cooling*).
5. Anneal.

**Temper,** *n.* I. Due mixture, just combination.
2. Constitution, temperament, nature, organization.
3. Disposition, humor, frame, mood, grain.
4. Calmness, moderation, equanimity, composure, tranquillity.
5. Degree of hardness.
6. (*Colloq.*) Anger, passion, irritation, heat of mind.

**Tempera,** *n.* (*Painting.*) Distemper.

**Temperament,** *n.* Constitution, temper, nature, organization, idiosyncrasy, habit.

**Temperance,** *n.* I. Moderation, sobriety, soberness, self-control.
2. (*Rare.*) Patience, calmness, sedateness, contentment, moderation.

**Temperate,** *a.* I. Moderate.
2. Abstemious, moderate.
3. Chaste, continent.
4. Cool, calm, dispassionate, sedate, sober.

**Temperature,** *n.* Degree of heat.

**Tempest,** *n.* I. Storm, hurricane, gale, squall, tornado, violent wind (*usually accompanied with rain, hail,* or *snow, and sometimes with thunder and lightning*).
2. Excitement, tumult, disturbance, commotion, turmoil, perturbation, violent outbreak.

**Tempestuous,** *a.* I. Stormy, windy, breezy, squally, gusty, blustering, boisterous.
2. Violent, turbulent, tumultuous, impetuous, stormy.

**Temple,** *n.* I. Fane.
2. Church, house of worship, house of God, meeting-house.
3. Place of worship.

**Tempo,** *n.* (*Mus.*) Time, degree of movement.

**Temporal,** *a.* I. Worldly, terrestrial, mundane, secular, of this world, of this life.
2. Transient, fleeting, temporary, transitory.
3. Civil, political.

**Temporary,** *a.* Transitory, transient, fleeting, evanescent, ephemeral, short-lived, temporal, brief, for a time, of short duration.

**Temporize,** *v. n.* Trim, comply with occasions, yield to circumstances, fall in with current opinion, act the time-server, be on the fence, wait to see which way the cat will jump.

**Temporizer,** *n.* Trimmer, time-server.

**Tempt,** *v. a.* I. Try, test, prove, put to trial.
2. Entice (*especially to evil*), allure, seduce, decoy, induce, inveigle, persuade, prevail upon, draw on, bring over, lure.
3. Incite, instigate, provoke, incline, dispose, prompt, endeavor to persuade, lead.
4. Attempt, venture on, essay, try.

**Temptation,** *n.* I. Enticement (*especially to evil*), allurement.
2. Bribe, bait, lure ,decoy, golden apple, voice of the tempter, song of the sirens.

**Tempter,** *n.* I. Seducer, prompter, instigator, siren, Circe, Satan.
2. Satan, the Devil, Lucifer, Belial, Beelzebub, Prince of Darkness, the Arch-fiend, Apollyon, Abaddon, the Evil One, the Author of Evil, the Old Serpent, the Prince of this World, the Foul Fiend.

**Tempting,** *a.* Alluring, attractive, seductive, enticing.

**Tenable,** *a.* Defensible, maintainable, capable of being held *or* defended.

**Tenacious,** *a.* I. Retentive, apt to retain.
2. Adhesive, sticky, glutinous, viscous, cohesive, smeary, dauby, clinging.
3. Stubborn, obstinate, pertinacious, opinionated, opinionative, positive.

**Tenaciousness,** *n.* Retentiveness, firmness, adhesiveness.

**Tenacious of.** Persistent in holding, pertinacious in maintaining, holding fast, holding tight.

**Tenacity,** *n.* I. Retentiveness, tenaciousness.
2. Adhesiveness, cohesiveness, glutinousness, viscidity, toughness.
3. Stubbornness, pertinacity, obstinacy, firmness, persistency.

**Tenancy,** *n.* Holding tenure, temporary possession, occupancy.

**Tenant,** *n.* Occupier, occupant, resident, dweller, lessee, renter.

**Tenantable,** *a.* Habitable.

**Tend,** *v. a.* I. Watch, guard, keep, protect, attend, accompany, nurse, take care of, wait on, look after.
2. Attend to, be attentive to, note carefully, mind.

**Tend,** *v. n.* I. Attend, wait, serve, be attendant.
2. Incline, lean, verge, trend, make.
3. Be directed, aim, exert influence.
4. Conduce, contribute, lead.
5. Tend to, attend, mind.

**Tendency,** *n.* Inclination, leaning, direction-determination, bearing, bent, bias, drift, course, aim, scope, proclivity, aptitude, proneness, predisposition, propensity, turn, disposition, liability.

**Tender,** *a.* I. Soft, delicate.
2. Weak, feeble, young, infantile, youthful.
3. Effeminate, feminine, womanly, delicate.
4. Sensitive, easily pained.
5. Compassionate, kind, affectionate, sympathetic, pitiful, merciful, lenient, mild, tender-hearted.
6. Gentle, mild, lenient.
7. Pathetic, affecting, touching.
8. Painful (*to speak of* or *treat of*), unpleasant, disagreeable.
9. Dear, precious, valuable.

**Tender,** *v. a.* Offer, proffer, present, volunteer.

**Tender,** *n.* I. Attendant.
2. Offer, proffer, proposal.

**Tender-hearted,** *a.* Affectionate, kind, compassionate, sympathetic, merciful, tender, pitiful.

**Tenderly,** *ad.* Mildly, gently, softly, kindly.

**Tenderness,** *n.* I. Softness, delicacy, want of firmness.
2. Weakness, want of strength, feebleness.
3. Effeminacy, womanly quality.
4. Soreness, sensitiveness.
5. Sensibility, susceptibility.
6. Compassion, kindness, sympathy, affection, pity, love, gentleness, benevolence, leniency, clemency, sensibility, mildness, benignity, humanity, loving-kindness.
7. Pathos, softness.
8. Caution, carefulness, scrupulousness, cautious care.

**Tender of.** Careful not to injure, concerned about.

**Tendon,** *n.* Sinew.

**Tendril,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Filament, cirrus.

**Tenebrious,** *a.* See TENEBROUS.

**Tenebrous,** *a.* Dark, dusky, darksome, gloomy, tenebrious, caliginous, shady, shadowy, obscure, murky, sombre.

**Tenement,** *n.* House, dwelling, habitation, domicile.

**Tenement of clay.** Mortal body.

**Tenet,** *n.* Doctrine, dogma, opinion, notion, principle, position, belief, creed, way of thinking.

**Tenor,** *n.* I. Course, manner, fashion, mood, form, cast, cut, stamp, tone, tendency, character.
2. Meaning, intent, purport, import, sense, spirit, drift, gist, significance.
3. (*Mus.*) Highest part (*for a man's voice*).

**Tense,** *a.* Tight, stretched, strained, rigid, taught.
**Tensile,** *a.* Tensible, ductile.
**Tension,** *n.* 1. Stretching, straining.
2. Stiffness, tenseness, rigor, tensity.
3. Strain, rigor, severe effort.
4. Strain.
5. (*Phys.*) Expansive force, elastic force.
**Tent,** *n.* 1. Pavilion, portable lodge.
2. Tent-wine.
**Tentacle,** *n.* Feeler.
**Tentacula,** *n. pl.* [L.] Feelers, tentacles.
**Tentative,** *a.* Trying, essaying, experimental, empirical, probative.
**Tenth,** *n.* Tithe.
**Ten thousand.** Myriad.
**Tenuity,** *n.* 1. Thinness.
2. Slenderness, fineness.
3. Rarity, rareness, thinness.
**Tenuous,** *a.* 1. Thin, slender, small, minute.
2. Rare, thin, subtile.
**Tenure,** *n.* 1. (*Law.*) Manner *or* principle of holding (*lands and tenements*).
2. Holding, use, occupation, occupancy, possession (*for the time*).
**Tepid,** *a.* Lukewarm, slightly warm, moderately warm.
**Tepor,** *n.* Tepidness, lukewarmness, gentle heat, tepidity.
**Teredo,** *n.* Ship-worm.
**Tergal,** *a.* Dorsal.
**Tergiversation,** *n.* 1. Evasion, shift, subterfuge, shifting.
2. Vacillation, veering, fickleness, instability, inconstancy, change of mind.
**Term,** *n.* 1. Limit, boundary, bound, confine, bourn, mete, terminus.
2. Time, season, spell, space of time, period of time.
3. Word (*considered as having a definite meaning; particularly a technical word*), expression, name, denomination.
4. Member (*of a syllogism, of an equation, of a fraction, of a proportion, etc.*).
**Term,** *v. a.* Designate, denominate, name, style, entitle, call, phrase, dub, christen.
**Termagant,** *n.* Scold, shrew, vixen, virago, hag, beldam, Xantippe, brawling woman, turbulent woman.
**Termes,** *n.* [L. *pl. Termites.*] White ant, termite.
**Terminal,** *a.* 1. Limiting, bounding.
2. Final, ultimate.
3. (*Bot.*) Terminating.
**Terminal,** *n.* 1. Termination, extremity, end.
2. Termination, limit, bound.
**Terminate,** *v. a.* 1. Bound, limit, set bounds to.
2. End, conclude, complete, close, finish, bring to an end, put an end to.
3. Bring to completion, finish, complete.
**Terminate,** *v. n.* 1. End, cease, be limited, stop short, come to an end.
2. End, close, come to an end.
3. Eventuate, issue, prove, turn out.
**Termination,** *n.* 1. Ending.
2. Limit, bound, extent.
3. End, conclusion.
4. End, conclusion, completion, issue, result, consequence, effect.
**Terminative,** *a.* Terminating, determining, absolute, definitive.
**Terminatory,** *a.* Terminating, limiting.
**Terminology,** *n.* Nomenclature.
**Terminus,** *n.* [L. *pl. Termini.*] 1. Boundary, border, limit, term, mete.
2. Term, terminal figure.
3. End
**Termite,** *n.* Termes, white ant.
**Terms,** *n. pl.* Conditions, stipulations, provisions, articles of agreement.
**Tern,** *n.* Sea-swallow.
**Ternary,** *a.* Triplicate, threefold.
**Ternary,** *n.* Ternion, number three, three.
**Terrace,** *n.* Plateau, esplanade.
**Terra cotta.** [It.] Baked clay.
**Terra firma.** [L.] Firm earth, solid ground.
**Terra incognita.** [L.] Unknown ground, unexplored ground.
**Terra Japonica.** [L.] Catechu, gambier, cutch, Japan earth.
**Terra ponderosa.** [L.] Barytes, heavy spar.
**Terra Sienna.** [It.] Sienna, silicate of iron and alumina.
**Terrene,** *a.* 1. Earthy, of earth.
2. Earthly, terrestrial, worldly.
**Terrestrial,** *a.* Earthly, sublunary, mundane, worldly, terrene, subastral, subcelestial.
**Terrible,** *a.* 1. Frightful, horrible, dreadful, formidable, fearful, terrific, dire, tremendous, shocking, grewsome, horrid, hideous.
2. Awful, awe-inspiring, dreadful, dread.
3. (*Colloq.*) Excessive, extreme, severe, great.
**Terribly,** *ad.* 1. Dreadfully, horribly, formidably.
2. (*Colloq.*) Violently, very much.
**Terrific,** *a.* Frightful, tremendous, fearful, dreadful, formidable, terrible.
**Terrify,** *v. a.* Frighten, fright, affright, alarm, scare, horrify, appall, daunt, strike with terror, petrify with terror, shock, dismay.
**Territory,** *n.* Country, domain, district, quarter, province, land.
**Terror,** *n.* 1. Consternation, fright, alarm, affright, panic, horror, dismay, intimidation, terrorism, great fear, extreme dread.
2. Cause of fear.
**Terrorism,** *n.* 1. Government by terror.
2. State of terror, reign of terror.
**Terse,** *a.* Concise (*with elegance*), brief, compact, neat, pithy, sententious, succinct, free from superfluity, polished, smooth.
**Tertium quid.** [L.] A third something.
**Terzetto.** [It.] Trio.
**Tessellated,** *a.* Checkered, inlaid, mosaic.
**Test,** *n.* 1. Experiment, trial, proof, ordeal.
2. Criterion, standard, touchstone.
3. Proof, exhibition, example.
4. Discriminative characteristic, ground of admission *or* exclusion.
5. Judgment, distinction, discrimination.
6. (*Chem.*) Reagent.
**Test,** *v. a.* 1. Try, prove, subject to trial, put to the proof, experiment upon, make trial of, make an experiment with, give a trial to.
2. Assay.
**Testacea,** *n. pl.* See TESTACEANS.
**Testaceans,** *n. pl.* Shell-fish (*with thick entire shells like the clam*), mollusks.
**Testaceology,** *n.* Conchology.
**Testament,** *n.* Will, last will and testament.
**Tested,** *a.* Tried, pure, assayed.
**Testify,** *v. n.* 1. Depose, state, affirm, declare, bear witness, depone.
2. (*Law.*) Declare under oath *or* affirmation.
**Testify,** *v. a.* 1. Attest, depose, state, declare, affirm, bear witness to, vouch for, asseverate.
2. (*Law.*) Declare under oath *or* affirmation.
**Testify against.** Declare a charge, protest.
**Testimonial,** *n.* 1. Credential, certificate, recommendation, voucher.
2. Monument, remembrancer, record.
**Testimony,** *n.* 1. Affirmation, declaration, deposition, attestation.

2. Affirmation, confirmation, declaration, corroboration.
3. Profession, open attestation.
4. Proof (*by a witness*), evidence, witness, ground of belief.
5. Manifestation, expression.
6. Sacred Scriptures, divine revelation.

**Testiness,** *n.* Fretfulness, peevishness, petulance, irascibility, irritability, hastiness, techiness, touchiness.

**Testudinated,** *a.* Vaulted, roofed, arched.

**Testy,** *a.* Peevish, petulant, fretful, pettish, touchy, cross, waspish, snappish, choleric, splenetic, irascible, irritable, captious, hasty, quick, peppery.

**Tetanus,** *n.* [L.] (*Med.*) Spasm, spasmodic contraction of the muscles.

**Tête-à-tête.** [Fr.] I. (*Adverbially.*) Face to face, cheek by jowl, privately, confidentially, familiarily, *vis-à-vis.*
2. (*As a noun.*) Close conversation, private conversation, familiar conference, private interview.

**Tether,** *n.* Tedder.

**Tetrachord,** *n.* (*Mus.*) Diatessaron, fourth.

**Tetrad,** *n.* Four, quaternion.

**Tetrahedral,** *a.* Four-sided.

**Tetter,** *n.* Herpes, fret, ringworm.

**Tetter-totter,** *v. n.* See-saw, teeter, titter, titter-totter, titter-cum-totter.

**Text,** *n.* I. Body (*of a literary work, as distinguished from comments*), true copy.
2. Verse (*of Scripture*), passage, sentence, clause, paragraph.
3. Topic, subject, theme, thesis.

**Text-book,** *n.* Manual of instruction, educational treatise, school-book.

**Textile,** *a.* I. Woven.
2. Textorial, pertaining to textrine weaving.

**Textuary,** *a.* I. Textual, contained in the text.
2. Authoritative.

**Texture,** *n.* I. Fabric, web, weft.
2. Manner of weaving, make, intertexture.
3. Structure, make, organization, constitution, tissue, grain, contexture.

**Thank,** *v. a.* Return thanks to, make acknowledgments to, express gratitude.

**Thankful,** *a.* Grateful (*with a desire to give thanks*), obliged, beholden, indebted, under obligation.

**Thankfulness,** *n.* Gratitude (*with a desire to acknowledge it*), sense of obligation, feeling of obligation.

**Thankless,** *a.* I. Ungrateful, unthankful.
2. Unpleasant (*as a service not likely to be repaid by thanks*), disagreeable, undesirable, unacceptable, ungracious

**Thanks,** *n. pl.* Acknowledgments (*for favors*), expressions of gratitude.

**Thank-worthy,** *a.* Meritorious.

**Thaumaturgics,** *n.* Legerdemain, prestidigitation, sleight of hand.

**Thaumaturgist,** *n.* Necromancer, sorcerer, magician, conjurer, juggler, seer, wizard, prestidigitator, wonder-worker.

**Thaumaturgy,** *n.* Necromancy, magic, sorcery, witchcraft, theurgy, wonder-working, the black art, feats of magic, occult art.

**Thaw,** *v. n.* Melt (*after freezing*), dissolve, liquefy, become fluid.

**Thaw,** *v. a.* Melt (*something frozen*), dissolve.

**Thawing,** *n.* Melting, dissolving, liquefaction.

**Thawy,** *a.* Melting, thawing.

**Thea,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Tea-plant.

**The Advocate.** See CHRIST.

**The Almighty.** God, Jehovah.

**The Anointed.** See CHRIST.

**The Arch-enemy.** See SATAN.

**The Arch-fiend.** See SATAN.

**Theatre,** *n.* I. Playhouse.
2. Scene, stage, field, arena, seat.

**Theatrical,** *a.* I. Dramatic, scenic, histrionic.
2. Ostentatious, showy, pompous, ceremonious.

**Theatricals,** *n. pl.* Dramatic performances.

**The Bible.** The Scriptures, the Old and New Testaments, the sacred volume, the Word, the Word of God, Holy Writ, inspired writings.

**The blues.** Melancholy, dejection, depression, gloominess, sadness, despondency, hypochondria, dumps, megrims, vapors, low spirits, blue devils, depression of spirits, the dismals, doldrums.

**The boards.** The stage (*of a theatre*).

**The community.** Men, persons, folk, society, the people, the public, the world, the general public.

**The Deity.** God, the Almighty.

**The dismals.** See THE BLUES.

**The Dove.** Paraclete, Comforter, the Holy Ghost, the Holy Spirit, the Spirit, the Spirit of God, the Sanctifier, the Spirit of Truth.

**The Eternal.** See GOD.

**The Evil One.** See SATAN.

**The fair.** Women, the fair sex, the female sex, womankind, the sex, the softer sex.

**The Father.** See GOD.

**The Foul Fiend.** See SATAN.

**Theft,** *n.* I. Larceny, robbery, stealing, pilfering, purloining, thievery.
2. Peculation, embezzlement, fraud, swindling, thievery, thieving.

**The great.** Great persons, persons of rank, people of distinction.

**The Great Bear.** Charles's Wain, the Wain, Ursa Major.

**The Holy Spirit.** The Sanctifier, the Holy Ghost, Paraclete, Comforter, the Spirit, the Spirit of God.

**The horrors.** Delirium tremens, *mania a potu.*

**The humanities.** Belles-lettres, polite literature, elegant literature.

**Theine,** *n.* Caffeine.

**The Infinite.** See GOD.

**The Intercessor.** See CHRIST.

**Theism,** *n.* Belief in God.

**The Lesser Bear.** See THE LITTLE BEAR.

**The Little Bear.** The Lesser Bear, Ursa Minor.

**The Logos.** Christ.

**The Lord's Day.** Sunday, the Christian Sabbath, the day of rest.

**Theme,** *n.* I. Subject, topic, text, thesis.
2. Short dissertation, essay, composition (*as a school exercise*).
3. (*Gram.*) Radical verb.

**The Mediator.** See CHRIST.

**The Messiah.** See CHRIST.

**The Muses.** The tuneful Nine, the tuneful quire.

**Then,** *ad.* I. At that time.
2. Afterwards, afterward, soon afterward.
3. Therefore, for this reason, on that account.
4. At another time, hereafter, sooner or later.
5. That time.

**Then,** *conj.* In that case, in consequence, therefore.

**Thence,** *ad.* I. From that place.
2. Thenceforth, from that time.
3. Therefore, then, for that reason, on that account.

**Thenceforth,** *ad.* Thence, thenceforward, from that time.

**Thenceforward,** *ad.* From that time onward.

**Theocracy,** *n.* Thearchy, government by God.

**The Old Serpent.** See SATAN.

**Theologian,** *n.* Divine, theologist.

**Theology,** *n.* Divinity, theologics, true doctrine

concerning God and His relations to man, scientific statement of the facts of religion.

**Theorem,** *n.* Proposition (*to be demonstrated*), position, dictum, thesis.

**Theoretic,** } *a.* Speculative, conjectural, hypo-
**Theoretical,** } thetical.

**Theorist,** *n.* See THEORIZER.

**Theorize,** *v. n.* Speculate, form theories.

**Theorizer,** *n.* Speculator, theorist, man of abstractions, philosopher.

**Theory,** *n.* I. Speculation, hypothesis, assumption, conjecture, postulate, plan, scheme, system.
2. Science, philosophy, doctrine, abstract principles.
3. Exposition, rationale.
4. Philosophical explanation.

**The people.** See THE PUBLIC.

**The poor.** The indigent, beggars, paupers, mendicants.

**The Porch.** The Stoic philosophy, philosophy of Zeno, stoicism.

**The Preserver.** See GOD.

**The Prince of Darkness.** See SATAN.

**The public.** Persons, men, society, the people, the community, the world.

**The quality.** Nobility, gentry, aristocracy, persons of rank, *noblesse*.

**Therapeutic,** } *a.* Curative.
**Therapeutical,** }

**There,** *ad.* In that place.

**Thereabout,** } *ad.* I. Nearly, about that, some-
**Thereabouts,** } where about that.
2. Near that place.

**Thereafter,** *ad.* I. Afterward, subsequently, after that.
2. Accordingly, according to that.

**Thereby,** *ad.* By that means, in consequence of that.

**The Redeemer.** See CHRIST.

**Therefor,** *ad.* For that *or* this *or* it.

**Therefore,** *conj.* and *ad.* I. Thence, then, for that reason, on that account, for that.
2. Consequently, accordingly, by consequence.
3. In return *or* recompense for this *or* that, in consideration of.

**Therefrom,** *ad.* From this *or* that.

**Therein,** *ad.* In that, in this, in that particular.

**Thereof,** *ad.* Of that, of this.

**Thereon,** *ad.* On that, on this.

**Thereto,** *ad.* To that, to this.

**Thereupon,** *ad.* I. Upon that, upon this.
2. In consequence of that, on account of that.
3. Immediately, at once, without delay.

**Therewith,** *ad.* With that, with this.

**Theriac,** *n.* See THERIACA.

**Theriaca,** *n.* (*Med.*) Treacle, theriac, Venice treacle (*Theriaca Andromachi*).

**Thermal,** *a.* I. Warm, hot.
2. As respects heat.

**The Sabbath.** The Lord's day, the seventh day, the day of rest.

**The Sanctifier.** See THE SPIRIT.

**Thesaurus,** *n.* [L.] I. Treasury, storehouse.
2. Repository (*especially of knowledge*).

**The Saviour.** See CHRIST.

**Thesis,** *n.* I. Proposition, position, dictum, doctrine.
2. Theme, subject, topic, text.
3. Essay, dissertation, composition.
4. (*Log.*) Affirmation.

**The Spirit.** Holy Spirit, Holy Ghost, the Spirit of God, the Sanctifier, the Paraclete, the Comforter.

**The subscriber.** The undersigned.

**The Tempter.** See SATAN.

**The Trinity.** God, the Almighty, the Godhead, the Holy Trinity, the Triune God.

**The Twins.** (*Astron.*) Gemini.

**The undersigned.** The subscriber *or* subscribers.

**Theurgy,** *n.* Necromancy, witchcraft, sorcery, magic, thaumaturgy, wonder-working, the black art.

**The vulgar.** The populace, the multitude, the rabble, the crowd, the common people.

**The Wain.** Charles's Wain, the Great Bear, Ursa Major.

**The Wicked One.** See SATAN.

**The Word.** I. Christ, the Logos.
2. The Bible, the Word of God.

**Thews,** *n. pl.* Muscles, sinews, brawn, muscular strength, nerve.

**Thewy,** *a.* Muscular, sinewy, brawny, strong.

**Thick,** *a.* I. Not thin (*in measure*).
2. Dumpy, squab, squat, plump, bulky, solid.
3. Dense.
4. Dense, gross, inspissate, inspissated, grumous.
5. Misty, cloudy, foggy, hazy, dirty, vaporous, vapory.
6. Turbid, muddy, roiled.
7. Abundant, frequent, numerous, multitudinous.
8. Compact, crowded, close, closely set, dense.
9. Indistinct, inarticulate, confused.
10. Dull, not quick.
11. Dim, indistinct, weak.
12. (*Colloq.*) Intimate, familiar, neighborly, well-acquainted, friendly, hand and glove.

**Thick,** *n.* Thickest part.

**Thick,** *ad.* I. Frequently, fast, quick.
2. Densely, closely, thickly.
3. To a great depth.

**Thick and thin.** Whatever is in the way, all obstacles, impediments.

**Thicken,** *v. a.* I. Inspissate, make dense.
2. Make close, make compact.
3. Make frequent.

**Thicken,** *v. n.* I. Grow thick, become inspissated.
2. Concrete, become solid, be consolidated, condense, solidify.
3. Become obscure, become dark, become dim.
4. Press, crowd, become close, become compact, increase.
5. Become animated, grow quick, become confused.

**Thicket,** *n.* Grove, copse, wood, forest, coppice, jungle, brake, *bocage*.

**Thick-head,** *n.* See THICK-SKULL.

**Thick lip.** Blobber-lip.

**Thick-lipped,** *a.* Blobber-lipped.

**Thickly,** *ad.* I. Closely, densely, compactly.
2. Deeply, to a great depth.
3. Quickly.

**Thickness,** *n.* I. The third dimension.
2. Denseness, density, compactness.
3. Consistence, grossness, spissitude.
4. Indistinctness.

**Thickset,** *a.* I. Close-planted, dense.
2. Stout, massive, strongly built.

**Thick-skinned,** *a.* Dull, obtuse, insensible, unsusceptible, callous.

**Thick-skull,** *n.* Blockhead, dunce, dullard, dolt, numskull, thick-head.

**Thick-skulled,** *a.* Stupid, dull, heavy, thick-headed, doltish, foolish.

**Thief,** *n.* I. Pilferer, petty robber, filcher.
2. Swindler, peculator, embezzler, defrauder, sharper, defaulter.
3. Pickpocket, cutpurse, pick-purse.
4. Burglar, house-breaker, cracksman (*cant*).
5. Footpad, highwayman.

**Thieve,** *v. n.* I. Steal, pilfer, purloin.
2. Swindle, peculate, shark.

3. Plagiarize.

**Thievery,** *n.* 1. Theft, larceny, stealing, thieving, pilfering, filching, petty robbery, petty larceny.

2. Peculation, embezzlement, theft, fraud, swindling.

3. Plagiarism.

**Thieving,** *n.* See THIEVERY.

**Thievish,** *a.* 1. Given to stealing, inclined to theft, light-fingered.

2. Sly, secret, stealthy, underhand, like a thief.

**Thievishness,** *n.* Cleptomania, klopemania, propensity to steal, mania for stealing.

**Thigh-bone,** *n.* Femur.

**Thill-horse,** *n.* Shaft-horse, thiller.

**Thills,** *n. pl.* Shafts.

**Thimble-berry,** *n.* Black raspberry (*Rubus occidentalis*).

**Thimbleful,** *n.* 1. As much as a thimble holds.

2. Sip, sup, drop, swallow, mouthful, spoonful, taste.

**Thin,** *a.* 1. Not thick (*in measure*).

2. Slender, slim, meagre, lean, poor, gaunt, scraggy, skinny, lank, scrawny, shrunk, emaciated.

3. Meagre, poor, slender, not well-grown.

4. Fine, slender, small, tenuous, delicate, thread-like, fine-spun.

5. Rare, subtile, attenuated, dilute, tenuous.

6. Sparse, scanty.

7. Slight, flimsy, light, gossamery, delicate, unsubstantial.

8. Small, fine, faint, low, feeble, slight, light.

**Thin,** *v. a.* 1. Make thin.

2. Rarefy, attenuate, dilute, make less dense.

**Thing,** *n.* 1. Being (*animate* or *inanimate*), creature, substance, body, object, created being.

2. Inanimate object, lump of matter, lifeless substance.

3. Event, transaction, deed, act, action, occurrence, circumstance, matter.

4. Part, portion, something.

5. [*pl.*] Clothes (*colloq.*).

6. [*pl.*] Furniture, appurtenances, chattels, goods, effects, movables (*colloq.*).

**Think,** *v. n.* 1. Cogitate, reflect, meditate, ponder, muse, contemplate, exercise the mind, ruminate, speculate.

2. Deliberate, consider, reason.

3. Conclude, determine, judge, suppose, imagine, fancy, believe, deem, opine, ween, have an opinion, be of opinion, take it, conceive, apprehend.

4. Remember, call to mind.

5. Purpose, intend, design, mean, have in mind.

6. Presume, venture, dare.

**Think,** *v. a.* 1. Imagine, conceive, entertain an idea of, cherish a thought of.

2. Consider, regard, hold, believe, judge, suppose, esteem, deem, account, count, reckon, look upon.

3. Plot, plan, compass, contrive, design.

**Thinkable,** *a.* Cogitable, conceivable.

**Think ill of.** Disapprove of, object to, take exception to, view with disfavor.

**Thinking,** *a.* Reasoning, rational, cogitative, reflecting.

**Thinking,** *n.* 1. Reflection, meditation, cogitation, musing, contemplation.

2. Judgment, opinion, thought, belief, mind.

**Think likely.** Dare say, expect, consider probable.

**Think no more of.** 1. Forget, discard from one's mind.

2. Forgive, forgive and forget, overlook, pardon, condone, let bygones be bygones.

**Think of.** Intend, purpose, design, propose, have in mind.

**Think well of.** 1. Esteem, have a good opinion of, have a high opinion of, think much of, think highly of.

2. Approve, commend, think favorably of.

**Thinness,** *n.* 1. Slenderness, slimness, meagreness, leanness, gauntness, emaciation, lankness.

2. Meagreness, poorness, slenderness.

3. Tenuity, fineness, slenderness, delicacy, exiguity.

4. Tenuity, rareness.

5. Rarity, rareness, tenuity, subtilty, etherealness.

6. Sparseness, scantiness, paucity, fewness, scarcity.

7. Flimsiness, lightness, delicacy.

**Thin-skinned,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Sensitive, irritable.

**Third,** *n.* Third part.

**Third estate.** Commons, commonalty.

**Thirst,** *n.* 1. Desire for drink.

2. Desire, longing, craving, hankering, yearning, appetite, hunger.

3. Dryness, drought, aridity.

**Thirst,** *v. n.* 1. Desire to drink.

2. Desire, long, crave, hanker, yearn.

**Thirsty,** *a.* 1. Suffering from thirst.

2. Dry, parched, arid, without moisture.

3. Longing, craving, greedy, eager.

**Thistle-finch,** *n.* Goldfinch (*Carduelis elegans* or *Fringilla carduelis*).

**Thither,** *ad.* 1. To that place, there.

2. To that point, to that end, to that result.

**Thole,** *n.* Dome, cupola, tholus.

**Thong,** *n.* Strap, strip of leather, leathern string.

**Thorax,** *n.* 1. Chest, trunk (*of the body*).

2. Breast-plate, corselet, cuirass.

**Thorn,** *n.* 1. Spine, prickle.

2. Annoyance, plague, nuisance, care, infliction, trouble, scourge, torment, bitter pill, curse, gall and wormwood, evil, bane, nettle.

**Thorn-apple,** *n.* Stramonium, stramony, apple-Peru, Jamestown weed (*Datura stramonium*)

**Thorn-back,** *n.* (*Ich.*) Rough ray (*Raia clavata*).

**Thorny,** *a.* 1. Spiny, spinose, spinous, prickly, briery.

2. Pricking, sharp, pointed, acuminated, picked, spiky, barbed.

3. Troublesome, vexatious, annoying, harassing, perplexing, difficult, rugged, trying.

**Thorough,** *a.* Complete, entire, total, perfect, finished.

**Thorough-bass,** *n.* (*Mus.*) Harmony, science of harmony.

**Thorough-bred,** *a.* 1. Instructed, accomplished, finished, practised, qualified, trained, proficient, able, well-educated, well-versed, *au fait*.

2. Of full blood (*as horses*).

**Thoroughfare,** *n.* Passage (*free from obstruction*), street, road, way.

**Thorough-going,** *a.* 1. Very thorough, complete, radical.

2. Extreme, thorough-paced.

**Thoroughwort,** *n.* Boneset, ague-weed, Indian sage, feverwort (*Eupatorium perfoliatum*).

**Thorp,** *n.* Hamlet, small village, dorp.

**Though,** *conj.* 1. Although, granting, admitting, allowing, notwithstanding that.

2. However, yet, nevertheless.

**Thought,** *n.* 1. Cogitation, reflection, meditation, musing, contemplation, thinking, notion.

2. Idea, conception, consideration, speculation, study, deliberation, pondering.

3. Imagination, conceit, fancy, notion.

4. Judgment, conclusion, opinion, notion, supposition, idea, view.

5. Deliberation, consideration, reasoning, meditation
6. Design, purpose, intention.

**Thoughtful,** *a.* I. Contemplative, reflective, pensive, speculative, deliberative, studious, sedate, reflecting.
2. Careful, heedful, regardful, mindful, attentive, considerate, circumspect, wary, discreet, prudent.
3. Studious, serious, sober, quiet, promoting thought.

**Thoughtfulness,** *n.* I. Deep meditation.
2. Serious attention, anxiety, solicitude.

**Thoughtless,** *a.* I. Heedless, regardless, careless, neglectful, negligent, inattentive, inconsiderate, unmindful, unobservant, remiss, unwatchful, inadvertent, flighty, reckless, hare-brained, giddy-brained, light-headed, giddy.
2. Stupid, dull, insensate, unthinking, blockish.
3. Dissipated, gay, giddy, loose.

**Thoughtlessness,** *n.* Inattention, heedlessness, carelessness, absence of mind, inadvertence, neglect, oversight.

**Thousand,** *n.* I. Ten hundred.
2. Great number, many, multitude, myriad.

**Thraldom,** *n.* Slavery, servitude, subjection, bondage, vassalage, serfdom, enslavement, enthralment, thrall.

**Thrall,** *n.* I. Slave, bondman, vassal, serf.
2. See THRALDOM.

**Thrall,** *v. a.* Enslave, enthrall.

**Thrash,** *v. a.* I. Thresh.
2. Drub, maul, pommel, beat, flog, bruise, thwack, wallop.

**Thrashel,** } *n.* Flail.
**Thrashle,** }

**Thrasher,** *n.* I. Thresher.
2. Fox-shark, sea-fox, sea-ape (*Carcharias vulpes*).
3. Brown thrush, French mocking-bird, brown thrasher (*Turdus rufus*).

**Thrasonical,** *a.* I. [*Said of things.*] Boasting, bragging, gasconading.
2. [*Said of persons.*] Boastful, bragging, vainglorious, ostentatious, pretentious.

**Thread,** *n.* I. Filament, fibre, small string, slender cord.
2. Filament, fibre, pile, staple.
3. Course, tenor, drift.

**Thread,** *v. a.* Thrid, go through, pass through

**Threadbare,** *a.* I. Napless, worn, seedy.
2. Trite, hackneyed, stale, worn out, common, commonplace.

**Thread-shaped,** *a.* Filiform, filamentous.

**Threat,** *n.* Menace, denunciation.

**Threaten,** *v. a.* I. Menace, denounce.
2. Portend, presage, forebode, augur, foreshadow, prognosticate, indicate.

**Threaten,** *v. n.* I. Use threats, use menaces.
2. Impend, be near at hand, be imminent, stare one in the face.

**Threatening,** *a.* I. Menacing, minatory, minacious, comminatory.
2. Impending, impendent, imminent.

**Threatening,** *n.* Commination, threat, denunciation, menace, menacing.

**Three-capsuled,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Tricapsular.

**Three-celled,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Trilocular.

**Three-cleft,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Trifid.

**Three-grained,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Tricoccous.

**Three-leaved,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Triphyllous, trifoliate.

**Threescore,** *a.* Sixty, thrice twenty.

**Three sheets in the wind.** (*Sailor's phrase.*) Tipsy, fuddled, somewhat intoxicated, the worse for liquor, having had a drop too much, half-seas-over.

**Three-valved,** *a.* Trivalvular.

**Threnetic,** *a.* Sorrowful, mournful, dirge-like.

**Threnody,** *n.* Song of lamentation, lament, requiem, dirge.

**Thresh,** *v. a.* See THRASH.

**Threshold,** *n.* I. Doorsill.
2. Entrance, gate, door.
3. Entrance, outset, beginning, commencement, start, opening.

**Thrice,** *ad.* Three times.

**Thrid,** *v. a.* Thread, go through, pass through.

**Thrift,** *n.* I. Success, prosperity, gain, profit, luck, good fortune.
2. Frugality, thriftiness, economy, good-husbandry, economical management, savingness.

**Thriftiness,** *n.* See THRIFT.

**Thriftless,** *a.* Extravagant, profuse, lavish, prodigal, wasteful, unthrifty, too free, over-liberal, improvident.

**Thrifty,** *a.* I. Frugal, sparing, economical, saving, careful, provident.
2. Thriving, prosperous.
3. Vigorous, growing well, flourishing, thriving.

**Thrill,** *v. a* I. Pierce, bore, perforate, drill.
2. Penetrate, pierce, move, touch, affect, strike, agitate, stir, inspire.

**Thrill,** *v. n.* I. Penetrate, pierce.
2. Pass with a tremulous motion, tremble, vibrate.
3. Tingle.

**Thrive,** *v. n.* I. Prosper, succeed, get on, come on, become wealthy, get rich.
2. Grow, increase, advance, flourish, improve, make improvement.
3. Grow, flourish, increase in bulk.

**Thriving,** *a.* I. Prosperous, successful, thrifty, flourishing.
2. Growing, flourishing.

**Throat,** *n.* I. Pharynx, swallow, gullet, œsophagus.
2. (*Bot.*) Faux.

**Throat-pipe,** *n.* Wind-pipe, weasand, trachea.

**Throb,** *v. n.* Beat, palpitate, pulsate.

**Throb,** *n.* Beat, beating, pulsation, palpitation, throbbing.

**Throbbing,** *n.* Beating, pulsating, palpitating, act of pulsating.

**Throe,** *n.* Paroxysm (*of extreme pain, especially in childbirth*), fit, spasm, anguish, pang, agony.

**Throne,** *n.* I. Chair of state.
2. Sovereignty, sovereign power, sway.

**Throne,** *v. a.* I. Enthrone, place on a royal seat
2. Exalt, give an elevated place.

**Throng,** *n.* Crowd, multitude, horde, press, host.

**Throng,** *v. n.* Crowd, press, flock.

**Throng,** *v. a.* Crowd, fill.

**Throstle,** *n.* Mavis, song-thrush (*Turdus musicus*).

**Throttle,** *n.* Windpipe, trachea, throat, weasand.

**Throttle,** *v. a.* Choke, strangle, suffocate.

**Throttle,** *v. n.* Choke, suffocate.

**Through,** *prep.* I. From one side, end, *or* part of to the other.
2. Between the sides of, between the walls of, within.
3. By means of, by the agency of, in consequence of, by the aid of.
4. Over the whole surface of
5. Among, in the midst of.
6. From beginning to end, to the end, throughout.

**Through,** *ad.* I. From one side *or* part to the other.

2. From beginning to end.
3. To the end.

**Throughout,** *prep.* Over, completely through, quite through, through every part of, from one extremity to the other of.

**Throughout,** *ad.* From beginning to end, from first to last, in every part, everywhere, from end to end, from head to foot, from top to toe.

**Throw,** *v. a.* I. Whirl, cast in a winding direction, hurl.
2. Cast, hurl, launch, fling, send, toss, pitch, sling, dart, lance, propel, jaculate, project, let fly.
3. Wind, twist, twist together.
4. Put, spread.
5. Overturn, prostrate, throw down, lay flat.
6. Put off, divest one's self of.
7. Cast, send.
8. Drive by violence.
9. Cast (*at dice*).

**Throw,** *v. n.* Make a cast, cast dice.

**Throw,** *n.* I. Fling, cast, toss.
2. Jigger, potter's wheel.

**Throw away.** I. Lose, spend in vain, waste.
2. Relinquish, give up, cast off, throw by, throw *or* heave overboard, cast to the winds.
3. Reject.

**Throw back.** I. Reject, refuse.
2. Retort, rebuff, cast back.

**Throw by.** Reject, lay aside, cast off, throw away.

**Throw cold water on.** Chill, damp, discourage, cool, quench.

**Throw down.** I. Prostrate, lay flat.
2. Subvert, overthrow, destroy, demolish, do away with.

**Throw in.** I. Inject.
2. Put in.
3. Relinquish, give up.

**Throw off.** I. Discard, reject, repudiate, renounce.
2. Expel, drive off, drive away, clear from.
3. Put off, lay aside, cast off.

**Throw on.** Cast on, load.

**Throw one's self down.** Lie down.

**Throw one's self on.** } Repose upon, resign
**Throw one's self upon.** } one's self to the favor, clemency, *or* power of.

**Throw out.** I. Reject, exclude, cast out, discard, expel.
2. Speak, utter, express.

**Throw up.** I. Resign, lay down, give up, demit.
2. Emit, eject, send up.
3. Vomit, disgorge.

**Thrum,** *v. a* I. Play (*as an instrument*), strum, play upon.
2. Fringe, knot, tuft.

**Thrust,** *v. a.* Push, drive, impel, force, clap, poke, shove.

**Thrust,** *v. n.* Make a thrust.

**Thrust,** *n.* I. Push, shove, pass, stab, allonge, lunge, tilt.
2. Assault, attack, charge.

**Thrust away.** } Push away, reject.
**Thrust from.** }

**Thrust in.** I. Push in, drive in.
2. Insert.
3. Interpose.

**Thrust off.** Push away.

**Thrust on.** Impel, urge.

**Thrust one's nose in.** (*Colloq.*) Interfere, meddle, intermeddle, put in one's oar.

**Thrust one's self.** Obtrude, intrude.

**Thrust out.** Drive out, drive away, expel.

**Thrust through.** Pierce, stab.

**Thrust together.** Compress.

**Thrust upon.** Force upon.

**Thud,** *n.* I. Shock, impetus.
2. Stroke, blow, thump, knock.

**Thuja,** *n.* [Written also *Thuya.*] Arbor vitæ.

**Thumer-stone,** } *n.* (*Min.*) Axinite.
**Thumite,** }

**Thump,** *n.* Blow, knock, stroke.

**Thump,** *v. a.* Beat, knock, strike, belabor, thwack, punch, whack, batter.

**Thumping,** *a.* I. Heavy.
2. (*Colloq.*) Stout, fat, large, big, overgrown.

**Thunder,** *n.* I. Reverberating report (*of a discharge of atmospheric electricity*).
2. Loud noise, roar, rumbling, boom, detonation.
3. Alarming threat, startling denunciation, fulmination.

**Thunder,** *v. n.* I. Sound, rattle, roar, roll, boom.
2. Make a loud noise, detonate.

**Thunder,** *v. a.* Utter threateningly, fulminate, hurl.

**Thunderbolt,** *n.* I. Lightning-flash.
2. Fulmination, denunciation.
3. (*Geol.*) Thunder-stone, belemnite.

**Thunder-clap,** *n.* Thunder-stroke.

**Thunder-shower,** *n.* See THUNDER-STORM.

**Thunder-storm,** *n.* Tempest (*accompanied with thunder and lightning*), thunder-shower.

**Thunder-stroke,** *n.* Thunder-clap.

**Thunder-struck,** *a.* Astonished, amazed, astounded, dumfoundered.

**Thunder-tube,** *n.* Fulgurite.

**Thurible,** *n.* Censer.

**Thus,** *ad.* I. In this manner, in this wise.
2. So, to this degree.

**Thwack,** *v. a.* (*Colloq.*) Strike, beat, thump, belabor, whack, rap, bang, thrash.

**Thwack,** *n.* Blow, stroke, thump, pat, knock, rap.

**Thwart,** *v. a.* I. Traverse, cross, intersect, lie across, move across.
2. Hinder, oppose, oppugn, obstruct, contravene, counteract, disconcert, cross.
3. Frustrate, defeat, balk.

**Thwartness,** *n* Untowardness, perverseness.

**Tiara,** *n.* Triple-crown (*of the Pope*).

**Tibia,** *n.* [L.] Shin-bone.

**Tic,** *n.* Twitching, vellication.

**Tic douloureux.** [Fr.] Neuralgia in the face, facial neuralgia.

**Tick,** *n.* I. Click, beat.
2. Bed-tick, ticking.
3. Trust, credit.

**Tick,** *v. n.* Click, beat.

**Tick,** *v. a.* Score, check, check off.

**Ticking,** *n.* Bed-ticking, tick, ticken.

**Tickle,** *v. a.* I. Titillate
2. Please (*by trifles*), delight, gladden, rejoice, gratify, make glad, give joy to, take one's fancy, do one's heart good.

**Tickling,** *n.* Titillation.

**Ticklish,** *a.* I. Easily tickled.
2. Unsteady, unstable, tottering, uncertain, precarious.
3. Delicate, nice, critical, difficult.

**Tidbit,** *n.* Titbit, dainty, delicacy, nice bit, choice morsel, delicate morsel, delicious mouthful.

**Tide,** *n.* I. Rise and fall of the sea.
2. Current, stream.
3. Course, current, stream, tendency of events, direction of influences, concurrence of influences.

**Tide-lock,** *n.* Guard-lock.

**Tide over.** I. Float over, get over by waiting, surmount *or* pass by caution and patience, escape *or* evade by the favor of circumstances, avoid by delay.

2. Escape the shoals, avoid by a little, get over without scraping *or* sinking, keep one's head above water.

**Tide-waiter,** *n.* Land-waiter.

**Tidily,** *ad.* Neatly.

**Tidiness,** *n.* Neatness

**Tidings,** *n. pl.* News (*of special interest*), intelligence, word, advice, information.

**Tidy,** *a.* Neat, orderly, trim.

**Tie,** *v. a.* I. Bind, fasten (*with a cord* or *string*), manacle, shackle, fetter.
2. Knit, interlace, complicate, knot, entangle.
3. Unite, join, connect, link, fasten, hold, bind, knit, lock, yoke.
4. Oblige, constrain, restrain, confine.

**Tie,** *n.* I. Knot, fastening, band, ligature.
2. Bond, obligation.
3. Equal number (*on both sides, as of votes*).

**Tie down.** I. Fasten down.
2. Restrain, confine, hinder from action, shackle, restrict, hamper.

**Tier,** *n.* I. Row, rank, series.
2. [Written also *Tire.*] Pinafore.

**Tiercel,** / **Tiercelet,** } *n.* Goshawk, male hawk.

**Tiers état.** [Fr.] The commonalty (*as distinguished from the nobility and clergy*), third estate.

**Tie up.** Confine, restrain, hinder from motion.

**Tiff,** *n.* Pet, miff, rage, passion, fume, fit of anger, angry mood.

**Tiff,** *v. n.* (*Rare*) Quarrel, wrangle, bicker, spar, jangle, have words, fall out, have an altercation, be at variance, be in a pet.

**Tiffin,** *n.* Luncheon.

**Tig,** *n.* Tag.

**Tigella,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Radicle.

**Tiger-wolf,** *n.* Hyena.

**Tight,** *a.* I. Compact, firm, firmly held together.
2. Close, fast, not open, not leaky.
3. Close-fitting, not loose.
4. Tense, stretched, taught.
5. Close.
6. Whole, neat.
7. (*Colloq.*) Fuddled, boozy, disguised, mellow, in liquor, high, in one's cups, somewhat intoxicated.
8. (*Colloq., U. S.*) Stringent (*as the money market*).
9. (*Colloq., U. S.*) Parsimonious, stingy, penurious, hard, close-fisted.

**Tighten,** *v. a.* Make tight, straiten.

**Tights,** *n. pl* Close-fitting pantaloons.

**Tike,** *n.* I. Tick.
2. Countryman, clown, boor, peasant, hind, churl, rustic.
3. Cur, dog.

**Till,** *n.* Money-drawer.

**Till,** *v. a.* Cultivate, dress the ground.

**Till,** *prep.* Until, to the time of, up to.

**Till,** *conj.* or *ad.* Until, to the time when.

**Tillable,** *a.* Arable.

**Tillage,** *n.* Culture (*of land*), cultivation, husbandry, agriculture, farming, geoponics.

**Tillage land.** Plough land, arable land.

**Tillandsia,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Long moss, black moss.

**Tiller,** *n.* I. Husbandman, cultivator, ploughman.
2. Rudder-bar.
3. Cross-bow handle.
4. Till, small drawer, money-box.

**Till now.** To the present time, up to the present time.

**Till then.** To that time, up to that time.

**Tilmus,** *n.* (*Med.*) Floccillation, carphology, picking of the bed-clothes.

**Tilt,** *n.* I. Covering overhead, tent.
2. Awning, canopy.
3. Thrust, pass, allonge, lunge.
4. Encounter, combat (*as a practice of arms*), joust.
5. Slant (*as of a barrel for discharging a liquor*), slope, inclination, cant.
6. Tilt-hammer.

**Tilt,** *v. a.* I. Slant, slope, incline, cant, tip.
2. Forge (*with a tilt-hammer*), hammer.
3. Point, thrust.

**Tilt,** *v. n.* I. Joust, rush (*as in combat*), make a rush, make a tilt.
2. Lean, incline, tip.
3. Float, toss, ride unsteadily.

**Tilt-hammer,** *n.* Trip-hammer.

**Timber,** *n.* I. Wood (*for building*).
2. Beam, squared stick.
3. Rib (*of a ship's frame*).
4. Trunk, stem, body (*of a tree*).
5. Material, stuff, stock.
6. [*Western U. S.*] Woods, forest-trees.

**Timbered,** *a.* I. Wooded.
2. Furnished with timber.

**Timber-head,** *n.* (*Naut.*) Kevel-head.

**Timbre,** *n.* (*Mus.*) Quality (*of tone*).

**Time,** *n.* I. Duration.
2. Spell, season, interval, term, while, span, space of time.
3. Period, age, era, epoch, date, term.
4. Delivery, parturition, confinement, hour of travail, period of childbirth.
5. Fit season, proper time, opportunity, season.
6. Allotted period, appropriated time.
7. Occasion, particular period.
8. Life, lifetime, duration of one's life.
9. Present life, existence in this world.
10. Leisure, vacant time, unoccupied time.
11. (*Mus.*) Measure.

**Time,** *v. a.* I. Adapt to the occasion.
2. Regulate (*as to time*)
3. Note the rate of (*with respect to speed*).
4. (*Mus.*) Measure.

**Time-honored,** *a.* Venerable, worthy of honor by reason of antiquity, ancient, old, of long standing.

**Time-keeper,** *n.* See TIMEPIECE.

**Timeliness,** *n.* Seasonableness.

**Timely,** *a.* Seasonable, opportune, early, punctual, prompt.

**Timely,** *ad.* Early, soon, in good season.

**Time of day.** Customary salutation (*as Good-morning* or *Good-evening*).

**Time past.** The past, past time, bygone days, former times.

**Timepiece,** *n.* Clock, watch, chronometer, time-keeper, horologue.

**Times,** *n. pl.* I. Seasons, spells.
2. Periods, epochs, ages.
3. State of things (*at a particular period*), general condition of affairs.

**Time-server,** *n.* Trimmer, temporizer, time-pleaser.

**Time-serving,** *a.* Trimming, temporizing, truckling, obsequious, fawning, servile, supple, mean, selfish, ambidextrous, tricky, worldly-wise, self-seeking, pliant, unscrupulous, crooked, slippery, untrustworthy.

**Time to come.** Future, hereafter

**Time-worn,** *a.* Impaired by time, superannuated, old, antiquated, dilapidated.

**Timid,** *a.* I. Timorous, fearful, skittish, shy, cowardly, pusillanimous, faint-hearted, chicken-hearted, easily frightened.
2. Diffident, bashful, retiring, coy, shrinking, blushing, shame-faced, over-modest.

**Timidity,** *n.* I. Timorousness, fearfulness, skittishness, shyness, cowardice, pusillanimity, want of courage, timidness.

2. Diffidence, bashfulness, coyness, sheepishness, shamefacedness.

**Timorous,** *a.* 1. Fearful, timid, destitute of courage.
2. Scrupulous, full of scruples, indicating fear.

**Timorousness,** *n.* See TIMIDITY.

**Timothy-grass,** *n.* Cat's-tail, cat's-tail grass, meadow cat's-tail grass, herdsgrass (*Phleum pretense*).

**Tin,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Tin-plate, tinned iron, white iron.

**Tincal,** *n.* Crude borax (*as imported from the East Indies*), bi-borate of soda.

**Tinct,** *n.* Stain, color, tinge, tincture.

**Tincture,** *n.* 1. Tinge, stain, tint, hue, shade, grain.
2. Flavor, taste, smack, spice.
3. Infusion, admixture, touch, dash, tinge, spice, seasoning, sprinkling, *soupçon*.
4. Alcoholic solution.

**Tincture,** *v. a.* 1. Tinge, stain, dye, color, tint, shade.
2. Flavor, season.
3. Imbue, impress, infuse, impregnate.

**Tine,** *n.* Spike of a fork, prong.

**Tinea,** *n.* (*Med.*) Scald-head.

**Ting,** *n.* Tinkling, tinkle.

**Tinge,** *v. a.* 1. Dye, stain, color, tint, tincture.
2. Imbue, impress, infuse, impregnate.

**Tinge,** *n.* 1. Tint, stain, color, dye, tincture, shade (*of color*), cast, hue.
2. Taste, flavor, smack, spice.

**Tin-glass,** *n.* Bismuth.

**Tingle,** *v. n.* Have a pricking sensation.

**Tinker,** *n.* Mender (*of old pans, kettles, etc.*).

**Tinker,** *v. a.* Mend (*as old pans, kettles, etc.*), cobble, patch up, repair, vamp, put in repair.

**Tinkle,** *v. n.* Jingle, clink, ring.

**Tinkle,** *n.* See TINKLING.

**Tinkling,** *n.* Tinkle, jingle, jingling, clinking, tintinnabulation, ringing.

**Tin-plate,** *n.* Tin, tinned iron, white iron.

**Tinsel,** *n.* Frippery, finery, gewgaw, tawdriness, spangle, glitter, paste, pinchbeck, worthless ornament.

**Tinsel,** *a.* Showy, glittering, gaudy, specious, garish, flaunting, flashy, superficial, worthless.

**Tinsmith,** *n.* Tinner, tinman, worker in tin.

**Tint,** *n.* Tinge, color, hue, tincture, stain, dye, shade, grain.

**Tint,** *v. a.* Dye, stain, tinge.

**Tintinnabulation,** *n.* (*Rare.*) See TINKLING.

**Tiny,** *a.* Little, small, diminutive, minikin, pygmean, pygmy, puny, Liliputian, dwarfish.

**Tip,** *n.* 1. End, point, extremity.
2. Donation, gift, *douceur*.

**Tip,** *v. a.* 1. Top, cap, put a point on.
2. Tap, strike (*lightly*).
3. Incline (*to one end, as a cart*), cant, tilt.

**Tip,** *v. n.* Lean, incline, tilt.

**Tip over.** (*Active.*) Overturn, turn over.

**Tip over.** (*Neuter.*) Fall over.

**Tipple,** *v. n.* Tope, guzzle, drink hard, be addicted to strong drink.

**Tippled,** *a.* See TIPSY.

**Tippler,** *n.* Toper, hard drinker.

**Tipsy,** *a.* 1. Intoxicated, inebriated, drunk, drunken, in one's cups, boozy, fuddled, muddled, disguised, mellow, in liquor.
2. Reeling, staggering.

**Tip-top,** *n.* The very top, the highest degree.

**Tip-top,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Perfect, first-rate, excellent, capital, picked, choice, first-class, superfine, very best.

**Tirade,** *n.* Strain of invective, series of violent declamation, diatribe.

**Tirailleur,** *n.* [Fr.] (*Mil.*) Skirmisher.

**Tire,** *v. a.* 1. Fatigue, weary, jade, fag, exhaust, knock up, tire out.
2. Irk, bore, weary, fatigue.

**Tire,** *v. n.* Be fatigued, become weary, grow weary.

**Tiresome,** *a.* 1. Wearisome, fatiguing, irksome, tedious, humdrum, dull.
2. Laborious, arduous, hard, toilsome, troublesome, difficult, uphill.

**Tirwit,** *n.* (*Ornith.*) Lapwing, pewit (*Tringa vanellus*).

**Tissue,** *n.* 1. Fabric, cloth, woven stuff (*especially cloth interwoven with gold* or *silver* or *figured colors*).
2. Texture, structure, web.
3. Combination, series, accumulation, conglomeration, mass, network, chain.

**Tit,** *n.* 1. Small horse, pony.
2. Titmouse, tomtit.

**Titanic,** *a.* Gigantic, huge, Herculean, Cyclopean, enormous, monstrous, stupendous, vast, immense, colossal, prodigious, mighty.

**Titbit,** *n.* Tidbit, dainty, delicacy, nice bit, delicate morsel, choice morsel.

**Tit for tat.** Give and take, blow for blow, a Roland for an Oliver, measure for measure, diamond cut diamond, equivalent (*in retaliation*), *quid pro quo*.

**Tithe,** *n.* Tenth, tenth part.

**Tithe,** *v. a.* Tax (*to the amount of one tenth*).

**Titillate,** *v. a.* Tickle

**Titillation,** *n.* 1. Tickling.
2. Slight pleasure, pleasurable sensation.

**Title,** *n.* 1. Inscription.
2. Inscription in the beginning of a book, name.
3. Name, appellation, designation, epithet, cognomen, compellation, denomination.
4. Appellation of dignity.
5. Right, ground of claim, claim.

**Title,** *v. a.* (*Rare.*) Denominate, name, entitle, call, term, designate, style.

**Titling,** *n.* 1. Hedge-sparrow.
2. Stock-fish.

**Titmouse,** *n* Tit, tomtit.

**Titter,** *v. n.* 1. Laugh (*under restraint*), snicker, giggle, chuckle.
2. Teeter, see-saw.

**Tittering,** *n.* Suppressed laughter, giggling.

**Titter-totter,** *v. n.* See-saw, tetter-totter.

**Tittle,** *n* Jot, iota, whit, bit, particle, atom, grain, scrap, mite, ace, corpuscle, scintilla, speck.

**Tittle-tattle,** *n.* Prate, prattle, gabble, chatter, idle talk, trifling discourse, babble, cackle, gossip, prittle-prattle.

**Titular,** *a.* Nominal, titulary, only in name.

**Titulary,** *a.* Nominal, titular.

**Toad-flax,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Butter-and-eggs (*Linaria vulgaris*).

**Toad-spit,** *n.* Froth-spit, cuckoo-spittle.

**Toad-stool,** *n.* Mushroom.

**To and fro.** Backward and forward.

**Toast,** *v. a.* 1. Scorch (*in order to make more palatable, as bread* or *cheese*).
2. Warm (*thoroughly*), heat.
3. Pledge, drink a health to, drink the health of, drink in honor of, drink to.

**Toast,** *n.* 1. Toasted bread.
2. Health (*in drinking*), pledge.
3. Sentiment (*uttered at a convivial meeting*).

**To boot.** Besides, in addition, over and above.

**Tocology,** *n.* Midwifery, obstetrics.

**Tocsin,** *n.* Alarm, alarum, alarm-bell.

**To-day,** *n.* This day, the present day.

**To-day,** *ad.* On this day.

**Toddle,** *v. n.* Tottle, walk unsteadily (*as a child*).

**Toddy,** *n.* Spirit and water (*sweetened*).

**To-do,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Ado, bustle, commotion, tumult, turmoil, confusion, stir, flurry, pother, noise, fuss.

**Together,** *ad.* 1. Unitedly, in union, in company, in concert.
2. Simultaneously, in the same time, contemporaneously.
3. Hand in hand, side by side, cheek by jowl, arm in arm.
4. Into junction, into union.
5. In the same place.
6. In concert.

**Toil,** *v. n.* Labor (*hard*), work, strive, drudge, moil, exert one's self, take pains.

**Toil,** *n.* 1. Labor (*that fatigues*), work, exertion, pains, effort, drudgery, hard work, travail.
2. Snare, net, trap, springe, noose, gin.

**Toiler,** *n.* Drudge, laborer, hard worker.

**Toilet,** *n.* 1. Dressing-table, toilet-table.
2. Dress, attire, costume, mode of dressing.

**Toilet-table,** *n.* Toilet, dressing-table.

**Toilsome,** *a.* Laborious, fatiguing, wearisome, onerous, operose, tedious, hard, difficult, painful, severe.

**Token,** *n.* 1. Mark, sign, indication, note, symbol, index, manifestation.
2. Memorial (*of friendship*), souvenir.
3. Ten quires (*of paper*).

**Tolbooth,** *n.* [*Scotland.* Written also *Tollbooth.*] Prison, jail.

**Tole,** *v. a.* [Written also *Toll.*] Allure, draw, draw on.

**Tolerable,** *a.* 1. Endurable, sufferable, bearable, supportable.
2. Passable, ordinary, middling, so-so, indifferent, pretty good, not very bad.

**Tolerably,** *ad.* 1. Supportably.
2. Passably, moderately, indifferently, so-so, passably well, tolerably well, pretty well.

**Tolerance,** *n.* Endurance, sufferance, toleration.

**Tolerant,** *a.* Forbearing, indulgent.

**Tolerate,** *v. a.* 1. Permit (*as something unpleasant*), allow, admit, indulge, receive.
2. Suffer, endure, abide, brook, put up with, bear with, take patiently *or* easily.

**Toleration,** *n.* 1. Endurance, sufferance, tolerance.
2. License (*for free opinion in religious matters*), permission, allowance.
3. Catholicity, liberality, impartiality, candor, magnanimity, high-mindedness, largeness of mind.

**Toll,** *n.* Tax (*especially on travellers, as in crossing bridges, ferries, etc.*), duty, impost, custom.

**Toll,** *v. a.* [Written also *Tole.*] Allure, draw, draw on.

**Tollbooth,** *n.* [*Scotland.* Written also *Tolbooth.*] Prison, jail.

**Tolu,** *n.* Balsam of tolu, tolu balsam.

**Tomahawk,** *n.* Indian hatchet.

**Tomato,** *n.* Love-apple (*Lycopersicum esculentum* or *Solanum esculentum*).

**Tomb,** *n.* Sepulchre, vault, crypt, catacomb, grave, house of death, narrow house, long home.

**Tomb-norry,** *n.* (*Ornith.*) Puffin, tom-noddy.

**Tomboy,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Romp, hoiden, romping girl, tomrig.

**Tomcod,** *n.* Frost-fish (*Morrhua pruinosa*).

**Tome,** *n.* 1. Volume.
2. Book, work.

**Tomentous,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Downy, nappy, hairy.

**Tomfoolery,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Nonsense, folly, vagary, mummery, buffoonery, absurd trifling, monkey-tricks.

**Tom-noddy,** *n.* 1. (*Ornith.*) Puffin, tomb-norry.
2. Fool, dunce, dolt, noddy, simpleton, block-head.

**To-morrow,** *n.* The day after the present, the next day.

**Tomtit,** *n.* Tit, titmouse.

**Ton,** *n.* [Fr.] Fashion, mode, vogue.

**Ton,** *n.* (*Com.*) 1. Twenty hundred gross, 2,240 pounds.
2. Forty cubic feet
3. Forty solid feet (*round*), fifty-four feet (*square*).
4. Eight sacks *or* ten barrels of flour.
5. Ten bushels of potatoes.

**Tone,** *n.* 1. Sound, note.
2. Accent, intonation, emphasis, cadence, modulation, inflection.
3. Temper, mood, state of mind.
4. Vigor, strength, energy, force, tension, elasticity.
5. Prevailing color (*of a picture*), general effect, style, manner, cast.
6. Tenor, drift, prevailing character, spirit.

**Tone down.** 1. Give a lower tone to.
2. Moderate, relax, diminish, weaken, soften.
3. (*Painting.*) Soften, bring colors into harmonious relations.

**Toneless,** *a.* Unintonated, aspirated, atonic, surd, pronounced with a simple breathing, without a tone, without vocality, not sonant.

**Tone up.** Make more intense, heighten, strengthen, give a higher tone to.

**Tong,** *n.* Tongue, catch of a buckle.

**Tongo,** *n.* Mangrove (*Rhizophora*).

**Tongue,** *n.* 1. Language, dialect.
2. Talk, discourse, speech.
3. Nation, race.
4. Tong, catch of a buckle.
5. Projection, projecting part.

**Tongue-shaped,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Linguiform.

**Tonic,** *n.* 1. Strengthening medicine.
2. (*Mus.*) Key, key-note, first note of the scale, fundamental note.

**To-night,** *n.* The present night, the night after the present day.

**Tonnish,** *a.* Fashionable, modish.

**Tonsilitis,** *n.* Quinsy, inflammation of the tonsils.

**Tonsils,** *n. pl.* Almonds, *amygdalæ.*

**Tonsor,** *n.* Barber.

**Tonsured,** *a.* 1. Having the tonsure, shaven, shorn, clipped.
2. Bald.

**Tony,** *n.* (*Ludicrous.*) Dunce, simpleton, block-head, fool, donkey, ass, dolt, dullard, dunderhead, loggerhead, numskull, noodle, goose, thick-head.

**Too,** *ad.* 1. Overmuch, over.
2. Also, likewise, moreover, in addition.

**Tool,** *n.* 1. Instrument, implement, utensil.
2. Hireling, instrument, cat's-paw.

**Toon-wood,** *n.* Indian mahogany, Indian cedar, bastard cedar (*Cedrela Toona*).

**Toot,** *v. a.* Blow (*as a horn*), sound.

**Toothache,** *n.* See ODONTALGIA.

**Tooth and nail.** (*Colloquial expression used adverbially.*) 1. Biting and scratching, using every means of attack and defence.
2. Strenuously, vigorously, earnestly, resolutely, energetically, with all one's might, with might and main, through thick and thin, through fire and water, hammer and tongs, *pugnis et calcibus.*

**Tooth-ornament,** *n.* (*Arch.*) Dog-tooth, nail-head.

**Tooth-powder,** *n.* Dentifrice.

**Tooth-rash,** *n.* Red-gum, milk-spots.

**Toothsome,** *a.* Palatable, delicious, savory, nice, luscious, dainty, agreeable to the taste.

**Top,** *n.* 1. Summit, apex, acme, pinnacle, zenith, vertex, utmost height, culminating point, meridian.

2. Surface, upper side, superficies.
3. Utmost degree.
4. Highest part, upper end, apex.
5. Head, highest rank, most honorable position, highest place.
6. Chief, most prominent one.
7. Head, crown of the head.
8. Head, upper part of a plant.

**Top,** *a.* Highest, uppermost, topmost.

**Top,** *v. a.* 1. Cap, tip, cover on the top.
2. Rise above, surmount.
3. Rise to the top of, reach the summit of.
4. Outgo, surpass.
5. Crop, lop, take the top off.

**Top,** *v. n.* 1. Rise aloft, be eminent.
2. Predominate, overpower.
3. Excel, rise above others, surpass, be superior.

**Topau,** *n.* (*Ornith.*) Horn-bill, Indian raven (*Buceros rhinoceros*).

**Top-coat,** *n.* [*Eng.*] Overcoat, outer coat, upper coat.

**Tope,** *v. n.* Tipple, drink hard, be addicted to strong drink.

**Toper,** *n.* Tippler, drunkard, sot, dram-drinker, wine-bibber, toss-pot, hard drinker.

**Topet,** *n.* (*Ornith.*) Toupet, toupet-tit, crested titmouse (*Parus bicolor*).

**Topiary,** *n.* Ornamental (*as the trimming of hedges, trees, paths, etc., in a garden*).

**Topic,** *n.* 1. Subject, theme, thesis, question, point, matter, subject-matter, matter in hand.
2. Head, division, subdivision.
3. Commonplace (*of argument* or *oratory*), general truth, general idea, maxim, dictum, rule, precept, principle, general statement.
4. Scheme, arrangement, method of arrangement, principle of arrangement.
5. (*Med.*) External local remedy, plaster, blister, poultice, vesicatory, epispastic.

**Topical,** *a.* 1. Local, limited.
2. Probable, not demonstrative.
3. Consisting of topics.

**Topin-amber,** *n.* Jerusalem artichoke (*Helianthus tuberosus*).

**Topmost,** *a.* Uppermost, highest.

**Top off.** Complete, finish.

**Topographer,** *n.* Topographist.

**Topographist,** *n.* Topographer.

**Topping,** *a.* 1. Surpassing, rising above, eminent.
2. Fine, gallant.

**Topple,** *v. n.* Fall (*top foremost*), tumble down, topple over, topple down, tumble over.

**Top-shaped,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Cone-shaped, turbinate, inversely conical.

**Topsy-turvy,** *ad.* Upside down, bottom upward, the wrong side up, top side t' other way, keel upward.

**Torch,** *n.* Flambeau, blazing brand, link.

**Torment,** *n.* Anguish, agony, torture, rack, pang, extreme pain, excruciating pain, acute distress.

**Torment,** *v. a.* 1. Torture, distress, agonize, rack, excruciate, pain extremely, put to the rack, put to torture, harass with anguish.
2. Pain, distress, afflict.
3. Tease, vex, plague, harass, worry, harry, badger, fret, irritate, nettle, provoke, tantalize, trouble, annoy.

**Tormentor,** *n.* Torturer.

**Tormina,** *n. pl.* Gripes, colicky pains.

**Torminous,** *a.* Griping, colicky.

**Tornado,** *n.* Storm (*of great violence and with a whirling motion*), hurricane, whirlwind, tempest, cyclone, blizzard.

**Torose,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Knobby, torous.

**Torous,** *a.* See TOROSE.

**Torpedinous,** *a.* Stupefying, torporific, dull, torpid, benumbing.

**Torpedo,** *n.* 1. Cramp-fish, electric ray (*Torpedo vulgaris*).
2. Explosive engine for blowing up ships.

**Torpescence,** *n.* Torpidness, numbness, insensibility, stupidity, torpidity.

**Torpid,** *a.* 1. Numb, benumbed, motionless, lethargic.
2. Sluggish, inert, dull, inactive, indolent, stupid.

**Torpidity,** *n.* 1. Numbness, torpidness, torpor, lethargy, torpitude.
2. Sluggishness, inertness, dulness, inactivity, stupidity, indolence.

**Torpidness,** *n.* See TORPIDITY.

**Torpify,** *v. a.* Numb, benumb, make torpid.

**Torpor,** *n.* 1. Numbness, torpidity, lethargy, insensibility.
2. Sluggishness, inertness, dulness, inactivity, stupidity, inaction.

**Torrefy,** *v. a.* 1. Dry (*by fire*).
2. Roast, scorch.
3. Dry, parch, partially toast (*as drugs*)

**Torrent,** *n.* 1. Rapid stream, strong current.
2. Rapid flow.

**Torrid,** *a.* 1. Dried, parched, scorched.
2. Burning, parching, scorching, violently hot, fiery.

**Torsion,** *n.* Twisting.

**Torso,** *n.* Trunk (*of a statue*).

**Tort,** *n.* (*Law.*) Wrong, injury, wrongful act.

**Torticollis,** *n.* (*Med.*) Wry-neck.

**Tortoise-shell,** *n.* Turtle-shell.

**Tortuosity,** *n.* Crookedness, sinuosity, curvature, bend, crook, winding, tortuousness.

**Tortuous,** *a.* 1. Crooked, sinuous, curved, curvilinear, curvilineal, sinuate, sinuated, winding, serpentine, bending in and out, wreathed, twisted, mazy, flexuous
2. Perverse, circuitous, roundabout, indirect, deceitful, wrong, erroneous, mischievous, crooked, ambiguous.

**Tortuousness,** *n.* See TORTUOSITY.

**Torture,** *n.* Anguish, agony, torment, rack, pang, extreme pain, excruciating pain, acute distress

**Torture,** *v. a.* Torment, distress, agonize, rack, excruciate, pain extremely, put to extreme pain.

**Torturer,** *n.* Tormentor.

**Tory,** *n.* (*Eng. Politics.*) Conservative, adherent of the crown, supporter of royal and ecclesiastical authority.

**Toss,** *v. a.* 1. Throw (*by the hand and upward*), throw up.
2. Lift up suddenly, throw up, raise violently.
3. Fling, pitch, cast, hurl, throw.
4. Agitate, shake, rock.
5. Try, harass, disquiet, make restless.
6. Keep in play, tumble over.

**Toss,** *v. n.* 1. Roll, writhe, fling, tumble about, be uneasy, be in violent commotion.
2. Be agitated, be tossed, be moved tumultuously.

**Tossel,** *n.* See TASSEL.

**Toss for.** Gamble for.

**Toss off.** Drink hastily, gulp down.

**Toss-pot,** *n.* Toper, drunkard, tippler, sot, dram-drinker, soaker, devotee to Bacchus.

**Total,** *a.* 1. Whole, complete, full, entire
2. Integral, entire, undivided.

**Total,** *n.* Whole, totality, aggregate, gross, lump, mass, amount, sum, sum total, gross amount.

**Totality,** *n.* Whole, total, entirety.

**Tote,** *v. a.* (*Local, Southern U. S.*) Carry, bear, transport, lead.

**Toto cœlo.** [L.] Totally, wholly, utterly, very

much, very far, by the whole heavens, as widely as are the poles apart.

**Totter,** *v. n.* I. Stagger, reel, vacillate, falter.
2. Shake, tremble, oscillate, rock, threaten to fall, reel, lean, waver.

**Tottle,** *v. n.* (*Colloq.*) Toddle, totter, walk unsteadily (*as a child*).

**Touch,** *v. a.* I. Hit (*lightly*), strike against.
2. Perceive by the sense of feeling.
3. Meet, be contiguous to, abut on.
4. Graze, come in contact with (*in passing over*).
5. Reach, come to, arrive at, attain to.
6. Delineate (*lightly*), sketch, mark out, touch off.
7. Handle, feel, feel of.
8. Handle, speak of, deal with, treat of slightly.
9. Interfere with, meddle with.
10. Concern, regard, relate to, refer to, pertain to, appertain to, belong to, affect, bear upon, have to do with.
11. Affect, impress, strike, come home to, smite, stir.
12. Affect, move, melt, work upon, soften, strike mentally.
13. Make an impression on, act on, have an effect on.
14. Strike, play on.
15. Perform, play.
16. Distress, hurt, injure, afflict, molest.

**Touch,** *v. n.* Meet, hit, be contiguous, be in contact, abut on one another.

**Touch,** *n.* I. Contact.
2. Feeling, tact, sense of feeling.
3. Power of exciting the affections.
4. Emotion, affection.
5. Stroke.
6. Animadversion, censure, reproof.
7. Stroke (*with a pen, etc.*, or *on a musical instrument*).
8. Tinge, tincture, cast, shade, grain, smack, taste, savor, flavor, spice, dash, sprinkling, seasoning, infusion, little, small quantity, *soupçon*.
9. Hint, suggestion, slight notice.
10. (*Rare.*) Test, criterion, touchstone, proof, assay, ordeal.
11. Examination, trial.

**Touch at.** Arrive at (*without tarrying*).

**Touchhole,** *n.* Vent (*of a gun*).

**Touchiness,** *n.* Peevishness, snappishness, testiness, irritability, irascibility, petulance, fretfulness, spleen, pettishness.

**Touching,** *a.* Affecting, moving, melting, pathetic, tender.

**Touching,** *prep.* Concerning, regarding, respecting, with regard to, with respect to, in relation to, relating to.

**Touch-me-not,** *n.* Jewel-weed, snap-weed, common balsam.

**Touch off.** I. Delineate lightly, touch, sketch, mark out hastily.
2. Discharge, apply the match to.

**Touch on.** } Mention *or* treat of (*slightly*),
**Touch upon.** } glance at, speak of in passing, allude to.

**Touchstone,** *n.* I. Basanite, black jasper, Lydian stone.
2. Test, criterion, proof, ordeal, assay, touch.

**Touch up.** I. Repair, improve by slight touches, mend, rub up.
2. Excite, arouse.

**Touchwood,** *n.* Spunk, punk, agaric, German tinder.

**Touchy,** *a.* Peevish, snappish, waspish, cross, testy, irritable, fretful, splenetic, techy, irascible, petulant, choleric, peppery, hot-tempered, quick-tempered, like tinder, like touchwood.

**Tough,** *a.* I. Adhesive, tenacious, cohesive, flexible, without brittleness.
2. Coriaceous, leathery.
3. Viscous, clammy, tenacious, ropy, stringy, sticky.
4. Stiff, rigid, inflexible.
5. Strong, firm, hardy.
6. Refractory, stubborn, obdurate, callous, hard.
7. (*Colloq.*) Difficult, hard, hard to deal with, troublesome, formidable.
8. (*Colloq.*) Severe (*as a storm*), violent.

**Toupet,** *n.* See TOPET.

**Toupet-tit,** *n.* See TOPET.

**Tour,** *n.* Journey (*in a circuit*), excursion, trip, expedition, pilgrimage, circuit, round, perambulation, course.

**Tourist,** *n.* Traveller, voyager, wayfarer, pilgrim.

**Tournament,** *n.* Tourney.

**Tourney,** *n.* Tournament.

**Tournure,** *n.* [Fr.] I. Shape, figure, form, turn, contour.
2. Bishop, bustle.

**Tout ensemble.** [Fr.] The whole (*in one view, omitting details*), general effect.

**Touzer,** } *n.* Dog.
**Towzer,** }

**Tow,** *n.* Refuse flax, hards.

**Tow,** *v. a.* Draw (*as a vessel, through the water*), haul, drag, draw, pull, take in tow, tug.

**Toward,** } *prep.* I. In the direction of.
**Towards,** }
2. Regarding, respecting, with respect to, with regard to.
3. Nearly, almost, near about, nigh, about, near.

**Toward,** } *ad.* Near at hand, advancing, in a
**Towards,** } state of preparation.

**Toward,** *a.* Ready, docile, apt, towardly.

**Towardly,** *a.* Docile, apt, tractable, toward, compliant with duty, ready to do, manageable, pliant.

**Towboat,** *n.* Tug, steam-tug.

**Tower,** *n.* I. Turret.
2. Citadel, fortress, castle, stronghold.
3. Minaret, spire, steeple, belfry, bell-tower, *campanile*.

**Tower,** *v. n.* Soar, mount, rise.

**Towering,** *a.* I. Lofty, elevated, very high.
2. Extreme, violent, very great, excessive, prodigious.

**To wit.** To know, namely, *videlicet*.

**Tow-line,** *n.* (*Naut.*) Small hawser, tow-rope.

**Town,** *n.* I. Place, borough, burgh, village, hamlet, thorp.
2. City, metropolis.
3. Court end (*of London*).
4. (*Local, U. S.*) Township.

**Town-hall,** *n.* Town-house.

**Town-house,** *n.* I. Town-hall.
2. City residence.

**Township,** *n.* Town territory, district of a town.

**Townsman,** *n.* I. Inhabitant of a town, burgher, burgess.
2. [*New Eng.*] Selectman.

**Towns-people,** *n. pl.* Towns-folk, dwellers in towns.

**Town-talk,** *n.* Topic of common conversation, common talk.

**Toxicodendron,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Poison-ivy, poison-oak, mercury.

**Toxicology,** *n.* Science of poisons.

**Toxophilite,** *n.* Archer, lover of archery, one addicted to archery.

**Toy,** *n.* I. Plaything, bawble, gewgaw, trinket, knick-knack, gimcrack, kickshaw.

2. Trifle, petty commodity.
3. Trifle, small matter, bubble, *bagatelle*.
4. Folly, wild fancy, odd conceit, trifling opinion.
5. Play, sport, amorous dalliance.
6. Silly tale, old story.

**Toy,** *v. n.* Trifle, dally, sport, wanton, play, bill and coo.

**Trace,** *n.* I. Footprint, footmark, footstep, track, trail, wake, vestige.
2. Mark, sign, token, vestige, record, memorial, remains.

**Trace,** *v. a.* I. Follow (*by a track* or *mark*), track, trail.
2. Delineate, draw, sketch, mark out, trace out.
3. Traverse, go over, walk over.

**Trachea,** *n.* (*Anat.*) Windpipe, weasand.

**Tracheocele,** *n.* (*Med.*) Bronchocele, goitre, enlargement of the thyroid gland.

**Tracing,** *n.* Copy (*of a drawing on tracing-paper*).

**Track,** *n.* I. Footprint, footmark, footstep, trace, vestige.
2. Trail, wake, trace.
3. Course, way, road, path, pathway, beaten path.
4. Lines of rails (*on a railway*).

**Track,** *v. a.* Follow (*by a track*), trace, trail, pursue, chase.

**Trackless,** *a.* Untrodden, pathless.

**Track-master,** *n.* (*Railways.*) Road-master.

**Track-way,** *n.* Tram-way, tram-road, plate-railway.

**Tract,** *n.* I. Region, district, territory, quarter.
2. Piece (*of land*), part, portion, parcel, plot, patch.
3. Treatise, dissertation, pamphlet, essay, written discourse, disquisition, sermon, homily.
4. Length, extent, continued duration.

**Tractability,** *n.* Docility, tractableness.

**Tractable,** *a.* I. Docile, manageable, governable, willing.
2. Practicable, feasible.

**Tractableness,** *n.* Docility, tractability.

**Tractarian,** *n.* Puseyite, Tractite, writer of the Oxford tracts.

**Tractarianism,** *n.* Puseyism.

**Traction,** *n.* I. Drawing, pulling, draught.
2. Tension.
3. Attraction, drawing toward.

**Tractive,** *a.* Pulling, attracting.

**Trade,** *n.* I. Traffic, commerce, barter, dealing, business, purchase and sale, buying and selling, exchange of commodities.
2. Manual occupation, mechanical employment, handicraft.
3. Occupation, employment, business, calling, pursuit, vocation, craft, office, avocation, profession.

**Trade,** *v. n.* Traffic, deal, bargain, barter, interchange, chaffer, carry on commerce, buy and sell, drive a trade, drive a bargain.

**Trade,** *v. a.* I. Sell, exchange in commerce.
2. Exchange, barter.

**Trade-price,** *n.* Wholesale price, price allowed to traders.

**Trader,** *n.* Tradesman, dealer, shop-keeper, merchant.

**Tradesman,** *n.* I. See TRADER.
2. [*U. S.*] Mechanic, artisan, artificer.

**Trading,** *a.* Commercial, mercantile.

**Tradition,** *n.* I. (*Law.*) Transfer (*of possession*), delivery.
2. Oral report (*from one generation to another*).

**Traditional,** *a.* Orally transmitted (*from age to age*), traditionary, traditive.

**Traduce,** *v. a.* Vilify, defame, revile, slander, malign, calumniate, asperse, abuse, decry, disparage, depreciate, blemish, run down, speak ill of, wilfully misrepresent, expose to contempt.

**Traducer,** *n.* Slanderer, calumniator, defamer, detractor, vilifier.

**Traduction,** *n.* (*Rare.*) I. Propagation.
2. Tradition, transmission from one to another.
3. Conveyance, transportation, transferring.

**Traffic,** *n.* Trade, commerce, exchange *or* sale of commodities.

**Traffic,** *v. n.* I. Trade, barter, deal, bargain, chaffer, carry on commerce, buy and sell, exchange.
2. Trade meanly, trade mercenarily.

**Traffic,** *v. a.* Exchange.

**Trafficker,** *n.* Trader, merchant.

**Tragedian,** *n.* Actor (*of tragedy*), tragic actor.

**Tragedienne,** *n.* [Fr.] Actress (*of tragedy*), tragic actress.

**Tragedy,** *n.* I. Dramatic poem, drama, play.
2. Calamity, disaster, catastrophe, shocking event.

**Tragic,** } *a.* I. Of tragedy, of the nature of
**Tragical,** } tragedy, after the manner of tragedy.
2. Shocking, dreadful, calamitous, mournful, sorrowful, fatal, disastrous.

**Trail,** *v. a.* I. Draw, drag along.
2. Track, trace, follow, hunt.
3. (*Local Eng.*) Impose upon, take advantage of one's ignorance.

**Trail,** *v. n.* I. Drag, be drawn along, be drawn out.
2. Run (*as a plant*), climb, grow to great length.

**Trail,** *n.* I. Train.
2. Track, trace, mark, footprint, footmark, footstep.
3. Scent.
4. [*U. S.*] Footpath (*made by Indians*).
5. Entrails (*as of fowl* or *of sheep*).

**Trailing-arbutus,** *n.* Ground-laurel, Mayflower (*Epigæa repens*).

**Trail-net,** *n.* Drag-net, trawl-net.

**Train,** *n.* I. Trail.
2. Retinue, suite, staff, followers, body of attendants, *cortège*.
3. Orderly company, procession.
4. Series, succession, consecution, chain.
5. Course, process, method, order.
6. Line (*as of cars connected with one another*).
7. Line of gunpowder.
8. Persuasion, artifice, enticement, allurement, device, stratagem.
9. Trap, lure.
10. Tail of a bird.

**Train,** *v. a.* I. Trail, draw, drag, haul, tug.
2. Entice, allure, draw by persuasion.
3. Educate, discipline, instruct, drill, form by practice, school, exercise.
4. Break in, accustom, habituate, inure, use, familiarize.

**Train,** *v. n.* Drill, exercise, do military duty.

**Train-band,** *n.* Company of militia.

**Trained,** *a.* Experienced, practised, skilled, educated, qualified, fitted.

**Training,** *n.* Instruction, teaching, education, drilling, drill, discipline, schooling, breeding, tuition, nurture.

**Train-oil,** *n.* Whale-oil.

**Train up.** Educate, teach, bring up, nurture, train, rear.

**Trait,** *n* I. Stroke, touch, mark, line.

2. Feature, lineament, characteristic, peculiarity, mark.

**Traitor,** *n.* 1. Betrayer (*especially of one's country*), deceiver, renegade, apostate, perfidious person.

2. Rebel, insurgent, revolter, deserter, mutineer.

**Traitorous,** *a.* 1. Treacherous, perfidious, faithless, false, recreant.

2. Treasonable, treacherous, seditious, perfidious, insidious.

**Trammel,** *n.* 1. Net.

2. Impediment, fetter, shackle, clog, bond, chain, restraint, hindrance.

3. Pot-hook.

**Trammel,** *v. a.* Shackle, hamper, clog, fetter, confine, restrain, hinder, cramp, cumber, tie, curb, restrict.

**Tramontane,** *a.* 1. Foreign, barbarous, outlandish, alien, strange, heathenish.

2. Ultramontane, beyond the mountains *or* the Alps.

**Tramp,** *v. n.* (*Colloq.*) Travel (*on foot*), trudge, march (*heavily*), jog on, plod.

**Tramp,** *n.* 1. Journey (*on foot*), walk, march.

2. Heavy walk, heavy tread.

3. Stroller, tramper, vagabond, vagrant, loafer, landloper.

**Tramper,** *n.* Stroller, vagrant, vagabond, tramp.

**Trample,** *v. a.* 1. Tread upon, tread under foot, trample on, crush.

2. Tread down, prostrate by treading.

3. Treat with scorn, spurn.

**Trample on.** 1. Trample, tramp, tread upon, tread under foot.

2. Spurn, scorn, slight, defy, set at naught, make light of.

**Tram-way,** *n.* Tram-road, plate-railway, track-way.

**Trance,** *n.* 1. Ecstasy.

2. (*Med.*) Catalepsy.

**Tranquil,** *a.* Calm, still, quiet, serene, placid, unruffled, unmoved, untroubled, peaceful, undisturbed.

**Tranquillity,** *n.* Quiet, quietness, peace, stillness, serenity, calmness, placidness, tranquilness, peacefulness.

**Tranquillize,** *v. a.* Calm, quiet, silent, still, compose, lull, hush, quell, lay, allay, pacify, soothe, appease, assuage, moderate, make tranquil.

**Tranquillization,** *n.* Pacification, reconciliation, reconcilement, accommodation.

**Tranquilness,** *n.* See TRANQUILLITY.

**Transact,** *v. a.* Do, perform, manage, conduct, carry on, execute, enact, despatch.

**Transact,** *v. n.* Treat, manage, negotiate, conduct.

**Transaction,** *n.* 1. Doing, performance, management, negotiation.

2. Affair, proceeding, occurrence, incident, event, procedure, business, action, matter.

**Transcend,** *v. a.* 1. Exceed, transgress, overstep, pass, overpass, go beyond, pass over, overleap.

2. Surmount, rise above.

3. Surpass, excel, outstrip, overtop, outdo, exceed, outvie, be superior.

**Transcendence,** } *n.* Supereminence, superior ex-
**Transcendency,** } cellence, marked superiority.

**Transcendent,** *a.* 1. Pre-eminent, surpassing, supereminent, unequalled, unparalleled, peerless, unrivalled, inimitable, very superior, consummate, unsurpassed, supreme in excellence.

2. Transcendental, above *or* dominating the (*Aristotelian*) categories.

3. Transcending the scope of knowledge, supersensible, metempirical, noumenal, transcending the limits of possible experience, beyond the range of reason *or* of the transcendental (or *a priori*) principles of knowledge.

**Transcendental,** *a.* 1. Supereminent, transcendent, pre-eminent, surpassing, supreme, consummate.

2. (*Colloq.*) Obscure, dark, vague, indefinite, speculative, mystic, mystical, fantastic, filmy, thin, abstruse, indistinct, rarefied, attenuated, unreal, intangible, impalpable, recondite.

3. (*Math.*) Non-algebraic, extra-algebraic, involving other than the four fundamental operations.

4. (*Met.*) *a. A priori*, pure, organic, primordial, original, aboriginal, formal, formative, constitutive, relating to form as distinguished from matter, non-empirical.

*b.* Synthetical, combinative, unitive, unifying, unificatory, colligative, constructive of system in experience, warranting inference from the past to the future.

*c.* Non-transcendent, immanent, limited to experience, applicable to phenomena alone, inapplicable to the absolute, to noumena, to the supersensible, *or* to things in themselves.

**Transcribe,** *v. a.* Copy, write a copy of.

**Transcriber,** *n.* Copier, copyist.

**Transcript,** *n.* 1. Written copy, transcription, rescript.

2. Copy, imitation.

**Transcription,** *n.* 1. Copying, transcribing.

2. (*Mus.*) Adaptation (*to one instrument of a piece intended for another*, or *for the voice*), rearrangement, reproduction.

3. Copy, transcript.

**Transfer,** *v. a.* 1. Transport, carry over, convey, transmit, remove, translate.

2. Remove, transplant.

3. Alienate, abalienate, consign, convey, make over, deliver over, pass, assign, confer, pass over, transmit.

**Transfer,** *n.* 1. Transferring, removal.

2. Alienation, abalienation, demise, conveyance, transferrence.

**Transferrence,** *n.* 1. Transmission, transmittal, transfusion.

2. Alienation, conveyance, transfer.

**Transfiguration,** *n.* Transformation, metamorphosis, change of form.

**Transfigure,** *v. a.* Transform, metamorphose.

**Transfix,** *v. a.* Transpierce, penetrate, perforate, pierce through.

**Transform,** *v. a.* 1. Transfigure, metamorphose, change the form of.

2. Transmute, change into another substance, convert.

3. Change, change the nature of, convert.

4. Transubstantiate (*Rom. Cath. Church*).

**Transformation,** *n.* 1. Metamorphosis, transfiguration, change of form.

2. Transmutation, conversion, change.

3. Change, conversion.

4. Transubstantiation.

**Transfuse,** *v. a.* Transfer (*as by pouring, instilling*, or *injecting*), convey, transmit.

**Transfusion,** *n.* Transferrence, transmission.

**Transgress,** *v. a.* 1. Exceed, transcend, pass, overstep, overpass, go beyond, pass over.

2. Disobey, infringe, break, contravene, set at naught, violate.

**Transgress,** *v. n.* Err, sin, offend, do amiss.

**Transgression,** *n.* 1. Infringement, violation, infraction, breach, non-observance, transgressing.

2. Sin, offence, crime, misdemeanor, misdeed, misdoing, fault, trespass, evil deed, error, wrong-doing.

**Transgressive,** *a.* Faulty, culpable, wrong.

**Transgressor,** *n.* Offender, trespasser, culprit, delinquent, sinner, evil-doer.
**Transient,** *a.* I. Passing, fleeting, temporary, soon past, soon passing, flying, flitting, brief, fugitive.
2. Hasty, momentary, imperfect, short.
**Transiently,** *ad.* In passage, for a short time, in a transient manner.
**Transire,** *n.* Permit, custom-house warrant.
**Transit,** *n.* I. Passage through, passage over, act of passing.
2. Conveyance, passage.
3. Line of passage, line of conveyance.
4. Passage (*as of a heavenly body across the meridian*).
**Transition,** *n.* Change, shifting.
**Transitional,** *a.* Transitionary.
**Transitionary,** *a.* Transitional.
**Transitive,** *a.* (*Gram.*) Active.
**Transitory,** *a.* Transient, passing, fleeting, flitting, flying, temporary, evanescent, ephemeral, momentary, short, brief, fugacious, short-lived, of short duration, here to-day and gone to-morrow.
**Translate,** *v. a.* I. [*Antiquated.*] Remove, transport.
2. Transfer.
3. Render, construe, interpret.
4. Transform, change into another form
**Translation,** *n.* I. Removal, transportation, conveyance, carriage.
2. Transfer, transferring, transferrence.
3. Interpretation, rendering.
4. Version.
5. (*Med.*) Metastasis, change in the seat of a disease.
**Translucency,** *n.* I. Semi-transparency, translucence, pellucidity, pellucidness, diaphaneity.
2. See TRANSPARENCY.
**Translucent,** *a.* I. Semi-transparent (*admitting rays of light, but not capable of being distinctly seen through*), pellucid, diaphanous.
2. See TRANSPARENT.
**Transmigrate,** *v. n.* I. Migrate.
2. Transanimate.
**Transmigration,** *n.* I. Migration.
2. Metempsychosis, transanimation.
**Transmission,** *n.* Transferrence, transmittal, transmittance.
**Transmit,** *v. a.* I. Send, remit, forward, send on, send forward.
2. Transfer, convey, carry, bear, hand over.
**Transmittal,** *n.* Transmission, transferrence, transmittance.
**Transmittance,** *n.* Transmittal, transmission.
**Transmittible,** *a.* Transmissible.
**Transmutable,** *a.* Changeable.
**Transmutation,** *n.* I. Transformation, metamorphosis, transfiguration.
2. (*Geom.*) Change, reduction, conversion.
**Transmute,** *v. a.* Change (*from one form* or *nature into another*), transform.
**Transom,** *n.* Transsummer.
**Transparence,** } *n.* Clearness, lucidity, limpid-
**Transparency,** } ness, translucency.
**Transparent,** *a.* I. Clear, lucid, bright, limpid, crystalline, transpicuous, translucent, that may be seen through.
2. Open, porous, transpicuous.
3. Clear, lucid, open, perspicuous, transpicuous.
**Transpierce,** *v. a.* Transfix, penetrate, perforate, pierce through.
**Transpire,** *v. n.* I. Evaporate (*through the pores*), exhale, pass off in vapor.
2. Become known, be disclosed, come to light, come out, be made public, get abroad, leak out, appear.
**Transplant,** *v. a.* I. Plant in a new place.
2. Remove, transfer, transpose, transport, carry.
**Transplendency,** *n.* Resplendence, radiance, brilliancy, splendor.
**Transplendent,** *a.* Transcendently splendid, radiant, brilliant, glittering, scintillant, resplendent.
**Transport,** *v. a.* I. Carry (*from one place to another*), convey, bear, fetch, remove, transfer.
2. Banish (*to a penal colony*), carry into banishment.
3. Enrapture, ravish, enravish, entrance, beatify, put into ecstasy, make very happy, delight.
4. Carry away (*by excitement of any kind*).
**Transport,** *n.* I. Conveyance, transportation, carriage, transporting.
2. Transport-ship, transport-vessel.
3. Convict (*sentenced to banishment*), felon.
4. Rapture, ravishment, beatitude, ecstasy, beatification, bliss, happiness, felicity.
5. Warmth, vehemence, violent manifestation, passion.
6. Convict sentenced to exile.
**Transportation,** *n.* I. Transporting, conveyance, carriage, transmission, removal.
2. Banishment, forced exile.
**Transporting,** *a.* Passionate, ecstatic, ravishing.
**Transport-ship,** *n.* See TRANSPORT, *n.*, 2.
**Transport-vessel,** *n.* Transport, transport-ship.
**Transposal,** *n.* Transposition.
**Transpose,** *v. a.* Change the order of (*by putting one in place of the other*, or *substituting one for the other*).
**Transposition,** *n.* Transposal.
**Transubstantiation,** *n.* Change of substance, transformation.
**Transudation,** *n.* I. Exudation, perspiration, sweating, excretion, secretion.
2. Exosmose, exosmosis.
**Transude,** *v. n.* Exude, ooze, filter, percolate, strain, pass by pores.
**Transverse,** *a.* Cross.
**Transversely,** *ad.* Crosswise, in a cross direction.
**Trap,** *n.* I. Snare, gin, pitfall, springe, toil.
2. Ambush, stratagem, artifice, pitfall, trapan, toil, wile.
3. Trap-ball.
4. Trap-rock.
**Trap,** *v. a.* I. Ensnare, entrap, springe, noose.
2. Trapan, ensnare, take by stratagem.
**Trapan,** *v. a.* Ensnare, trap, entrap, trepan.
**Trapan,** *n.* I. Snare, trap, stratagem.
2. Stratagem.
**Trapanner,** *n.* Ensnarer, decoy-man.
**Trappings,** *n. pl.* I. Dress, ornaments, embellishments, decorations, frippery, paraphernalia, rigging, gear, livery, adornments.
2. Equipments, accoutrements, caparisons, gear.
**Traps,** *n. pl.* (*Colloq.*) Goods, things, stuff, luggage, effects, small articles (*of household use*).
**Trap-tufa,** } *n.* (*Geol.*) Volcanic tuff, volcanic
**Trap-tuff,** } grit.
**Trash,** *n.* Dross, refuse, rubbish, trumpery, waste matter, worthless stuff.
**Trashy,** *a.* Worthless, trifling, trumpery, flimsy, poor, useless.
**Traumatic,** *a.* Vulnerary, good for wounds.
**Travail,** *v. n.* I. Labor with pain, toil.
2. Labor (*in childbirth*), be in labor, be in travail.
**Travail,** *n.* I. Labor with pain, severe toil.

2. Childbirth, parturition, labor, delivery, bringing forth.
**Trave,** *n.* 1. Beam, traverse, lay of joists.
2. Travis.
**Travel,** *v. n.* 1. Walk, go on foot.
2. Journey, ramble, rove, roam, take a journey, take a trip, make a tour, make an excursion.
3. Pass, go, move, make progress.
**Travel,** *v. a.* Pass, go over, journey over.
**Travel,** *n.* 1. Journeying, travelling.
2. Journey, tour, excursion, trip, expedition.
**Traveller,** *n.* Wayfarer, voyager, itinerant, tourist, passenger, pilgrim.
**Travelling,** *n.* Journeying, travel, wandering, peregrination.
**Travels,** *n. pl.* Book of travels.
**Traverse,** *ad.* Athwart, crosswise, cross.
**Traverse,** *a.* Lying across, cross.
**Traverse,** *v. a.* 1. Cross, lay athwart, thwart.
2. Thwart, obstruct, cross in opposition, counteract, frustrate, defeat, contravene.
3. Pass, travel over, wander over, cross in travelling, go across, pass through.
4. Pass over and view, survey carefully, examine thoroughly.
5. (*Law*) Deny, plead "not guilty" to.
**Traverse jury.** Petit jury.
**Travestied,** *a.* 1. Disguised.
2. Parodied, burlesqued.
**Travesty,** *v. a.* Parody, imitate, take off, turn into burlesque.
**Travesty,** *n.* Parody, burlesque, caricature.
**Trawl-net,** *n.* [Written also *Traul-net.*] Dragnet, trail-net, trawl.
**Tray,** *n.* 1. Small trough, wooden vessel.
2. Waiter, salver.
**Treacherous,** *a.* Traitorous, perfidious, faithless, unfaithful, false, deceitful, insidious, disloyal, recreant, treasonable, betraying, untrustworthy.
**Treachery,** *n.* Perfidiousness, perfidy, faithlessness, double-dealing, foul play, infidelity, betrayal, treason, disloyalty, breach of faith, Punic faith, insidiousness, deceitfulness.
**Treacle,** *n.* 1. (*Med.*) Theriaca.
2. Syrup, sugar-house molasses.
3. Molasses.
**Tread,** *v. n.* 1. Set the foot.
2. Walk, go.
**Tread,** *v. a.* 1. Set the foot on, walk on, step on.
2. Stamp upon, press down with the foot, beat with the foot.
3. Crush under foot, trample.
4. Subdue, subject.
5. Cover (*as a male bird the female*), copulate with.
**Tread,** *n.* 1. Step, stepping.
2. Gait, manner of stepping.
**Tread in the steps of.** Imitate, take pattern by, follow the example of.
**Tread out.** Press out, press out with the feet.
**Tread the stage.** Act as a stage-player, perform a part in a drama, tread the boards.
**Tread upon.** 1. Trample, tread under foot, tread on.
2. Follow closely.
**Tread upon the heels of.** Follow close upon.
**Treason,** *n.* Treachery (*to a sovereign or a Government*), disloyalty, breach of allegiance, lese-majesty.
**Treasonable,** *a.* Treacherous, traitorous, disloyal.
**Treasure,** *n.* 1. Money (*hoarded up*), funds, cash, wealth, accumulated riches.
2. Stock, store, reserve, abundance.
3. Precious thing, thing of great value, jewel, valuable.
**Treasure,** *v. a.* Hoard, store, garner, save, husband, lay in, lay by, lay up, treasure up, collect and reposit.
**Treasurer,** *n.* Bursar, cash-keeper.
**Treasure-trove,** *n.* Windfall, godsend, unexpected good fortune.
**Treasure up.** See TREASURE.
**Treasury,** *n.* Till, strong-box, money-box, money-bag.
**Treat,** *v. a.* 1. Use, behave to, behave toward, deal with, deal by.
2. Entertain, feast.
3. Handle, manage.
4. Discourse on, treat of, handle, discuss.
**Treat,** *v. n.* 1. Negotiate, bargain, come to terms, make terms.
2. Discourse.
**Treat,** *n.* 1. Entertainment, feast, banquet.
2. Pleasure, entertainment, luxury, delight, refreshment, enjoyment, gratification.
**Treatable,** *a.* Tractable.
**Treatise,** *n.* Disquisition, dissertation, tractate, formal essay, paper tract.
**Treatment,** *n.* 1. Usage.
2. Handling, management, manipulation.
3. Handling, management, method of treating.
**Treat of.** Discuss, handle, discourse upon, descant upon, deal with.
**Treat with.** Negotiate with, make and receive proposals.
**Treaty,** *n.* 1. Negotiation, act of treating.
2. Agreement (*between nations*), league, contract, compact, pact, convention, concordat, covenant, alliance.
**Treble,** *a.* Triple, threefold.
**Treble,** *v. a.* Triple, make threefold.
**Treble,** *v. n.* Become threefold.
**Treble,** *n.* (*Mus.*) Highest part (*for a woman's voice*), soprano.
**Trebuchet,** *n.* Tumbrel, castigatory, ducking-stool, cucking-stool, trebucket.
**Treenail,** *n.* Trunnel.
**Tree-frog,** *n.* Tree-toad (*Hyla arborea*).
**Tree-toad,** *n.* Tree-frog (*Hyla arborea*).
**Tree-of-life,** *n.* Arbor vitæ.
**Trefoil,** *n.* 1. Clover.
2. Nonesuch (*Medicago lupulina*).
**Trellis,** *n.* Lattice, lattice-work, *treillage.*
**Tremble,** *v. n.* 1. Quake, shake, shudder, shiver, quiver.
2. Shake, totter, oscillate, rock, quake.
3. Quaver, shake.
**Trembling,** *n.* Shaking, quivering, tremor, trepidation, tremble.
**Trembling-poplar,** *n.* Aspen-tree (*Populus tremula*).
**Tremendous,** *a.* Terrible, dreadful, fearful, horrible, horrid, horrific, frightful, terrific, alarming, awful, appalling.
**Tremor,** *n.* Trembling, shaking, quaking, quivering, trepidation, agitation, tremulousness.
**Tremulous,** *a.* Shaking, trembling, quivering, shivering.
**Tremulousness,** *n.* See TREMOR.
**Trench,** *v. a.* 1. Cut, carve.
2. Furrow, intrench.
3. Ditch, dig into ditches, channel.
4. Intrench, fortify with a ditch and parapet.
**Trench,** *v. n.* Encroach, intrude, infringe, trespass, intrench
**Trench,** *n.* Ditch, fosse, moat, drain, sewer, water-course, pit, gutter, channel, trough.
**Trenchant,** *a.* 1. Cutting, sharp, keen.
2. Cutting, sharp, incisive, unsparing, severe, biting, sarcastic, pointed, acute, keen, caustic, piquant.
**Trencher,** *n.* 1. Platter (*of wood*), large plate.
2. Table, board.

3. Food, pleasures of the table.
**Trencher-friend,** *n.* Sponger, parasite, trencher-fly, trencher-mate.
**Trencher-man,** *n.* Eater, feeder.
**Trend,** *v. n.* Turn, run, stretch, tend, incline, sweep.
**Trend,** *n.* Tendency (*to a certain direction*), inclination, trending, direction.
**Trending,** *n.* Trend.
**Trental,** *n.* I. (*Eccl.*) Service of thirty masses.
2. Dirge, requiem, elegy.
**Trepan,** *v. a.* I. Trephine.
2. Ensnare, trap, entrap, trapan.
**Trepan,** *n.* See TRAPAN.
**Trepang,** *n.* Sea-slug, sea-cucumber, *bêche-de-mer*.
**Trephine,** *v. a.* Trepan.
**Trepidation,** *n.* I. Shaking, trembling, quaking, quivering, tremor, agitation, tremulousness.
2. State of terror, fear, agitation, excitement, dismay, perturbation, alarm, fright, terror, consternation.
**Treroninæ,** *n. pl.* (*Ornith.*) Tree-pigeons.
**Trespass,** *v. n.* I. Encroach, infringe, intrude, make inroad *or* invasion, trench, enter unlawfully.
2. Transgress, offend, sin, commit an offence.
**Trespass,** *n.* I. Injury, infringement, encroachment, invasion.
2. Transgression, crime, fault, sin, misdeed, misdemeanor, offence, delinquency, error, wrong-doing.
**Trespasser,** *n.* I. Intruder, invader.
2. Offender, sinner, transgressor, misdoer, delinquent.
**Tress,** *n.* Lock, curl, ringlet.
**Trestle,** *n.* [Written also *Tressel.*] Frame (*for supporting a table, bridge, etc.*).
**Trial,** *n.* I. Testing, examination, experiment.
2. Experience, experimental knowledge.
3. Attempt, endeavor, effort, essay, exertion, struggle, aim.
4. Temptation, test of virtue.
5. Test, criterion, proof, touchstone, ordeal, assay.
6. Suffering, trouble, affliction, grief, sorrow, distress, tribulation, misery, woe, burden, pain, dolor, mortification, chagrin, heartache, unhappiness, wretchedness, vexation, hardship.
7. Suit, case, cause, action.
**Triangle,** *n.* Three-sided figure, trigon.
**Triangular,** *a.* Trigonal, triquetral.
**Tribal,** *a.* Tribual, tribular.
**Tribe,** *n.* I. Family, race, clan, sept.
2. Nation of savages, nation of uncivilized people.
3. Class (*of persons* or *things*), order, division, distinct portion.
**Tribulation,** *n.* Distress, suffering, trouble, affliction, grief, sorrow, trial, misery, woe, wretchedness, unhappiness, pain, vexation of spirit, adversity.
**Tribunal,** *n.* I. Bench, judgment-seat.
2. Court, judicatory, bar, court of justice.
**Tribunate,** *n.* Tribuneship.
**Tributary,** *a.* I. Paying tribute, subject to tribute.
2. Subject, subordinate, inferior.
3. Paid in tribute.
4. Contributing.
**Tribute,** *n.* I. Tax, subsidy.
2. Tax, impost, duty, excise, custom, toll.
3. Grant, contribution, offering.
**Tribute of praise.** Eulogy, eulogium, encomium, panegyric.
**Trica,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Gyrome.
**Tricapsular,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Three-capsuled.
**Trice,** *n.* Moment, instant, second, jiffy, flash, twinkling, twinkling of an eye.
**Trichocyst,** *n.* (*Zoöl.*) Lasso-cell.
**Trichoptera,** *n. pl.* (*Ent.*) Caddice-flies.
**Trichotomous,** *a.* Three-forked.
**Trick,** *n.* I. Artifice, stratagem, wile, cheat, dodge, doubling, fraud, chicane, blind, feint, manœuvre, deceit, imposition, imposture, deception, juggle, reach, shuffle, hocus-pocus, swindle, chouse, fetch, humbug, hoax, cog, gammon, cunning contrivance, sharp practice, *ruse*.
2. Sleight, juggle, antic, caper, gambol.
3. Mischievous behavior, annoying conduct.
4. Habit, practice, peculiarity, particular manner.
**Trick,** *v. a.* I. Cheat, defraud, deceive, cozen, dupe, delude, circumvent, gull, chouse, diddle, overreach, impose upon.
2. [Often followed by *up*, *off*, or *out*.] Dress, decorate, set off, adorn fantastically, bedizen, bedeck.
**Tricker,** *n.* I. See TRICKSTER.
2. Trigger.
**Trickery,** *n.* Deception, fraud, artifice, deceitfulness, knavery, chicane, chicanery, stratagem.
**Tricking,** *n.* I. Cheating.
2. Dress, ornament, decoration, finery.
**Trickish,** *a.* Knavish, artful, deceitful, wily, dishonest, roguish, unprincipled, tricky, fraudulently cunning, mischievously subtle.
**Tricklasite,** *n.* (*Min.*) Fahlunite.
**Trickle,** *v. n.* Drop, drip, flow gently, trill, dribble, distil.
**Trickster,** *n.* Deceiver, cheat, rogue, knave, tricker, impostor, double-dealer, hocus-pocus, swindler.
**Tricksy,** *a.* Trickish, artful.
**Tricky,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) See TRICKISH.
**Tricuspid,** *a.* Three-pointed, tricuspidate.
**Tricuspidate,** *a.* See TRICUSPID.
**Tridentate,** *a.* Three-toothed, tridented.
**Trifid,** *a.* Three-cleft.
**Trifle,** *n.* Triviality, small matter, bawble, nothing, bubble, thing of little value *or* consequence, thing of no moment, drop in the bucket, shadow of a shade, *bagatelle*.
**Trifle,** *v. n.* I. Act with levity, be busy about trifles, toy, dally, play, dawdle, palter, fribble.
2. Talk idly *or* frivolously, toy, wanton.
**Trifle away.** Waste, dissipate, spend in vanity, fritter away.
**Trifler,** *n.* Doodle, idler, lounger, fribble, fribbler.
**Trifle with.** Play the fool with, treat without respect, mock.
**Trifling,** *a.* Trivial, petty, frivolous, frippery, worthless, inconsiderable, nugatory, slight, unimportant, insignificant, immaterial, piddling, of little value *or* consequence, of no moment, of small importance.
**Trifoliate,** } *a.* Three-leaved.
**Trifoliated,** }
**Trifoly,** *n.* Sweet trefoil.
**Trifurcate,** } *a.* Three-pronged.
**Trifurcated,** }
**Trig,** *a.* (*Local.*) Trim, neat, spruce, smart, tidy.
**Trig,** *v. a.* Stop, scotch.
**Trigrammic,** *a.* Triliteral.
**Trigraph,** *n.* Triphthong, trigram.
**Trill,** *n.* Shake, quaver.
**Trill,** *v. a.* Shake, sing with a trill.
**Trill,** *v. n.* I. Quaver.
2. Trickle.
**Trillium,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Three-leaved nightshade.
**Trillo,** *n.* [It.] Shake, trill.
**Trim,** *a.* I. Snug, neat, nice, compact, well-adjusted, well-ordered, tidy.

2. Spruce, finical, smart.

**Trim,** *n.* 1. Dress, gear, ornaments, trimmings, trappings.
2. State, condition, order, case, plight.

**Trim,** *v. a.* 1. Adjust, arrange, put in order, set right, make trim, prepare.
2. Dress, decorate, ornament, embellish, adorn, garnish, deck, bedeck, set out, array, set off, trick out.
3. Clip, lop, shear, prune, curtail, shave, shear.
4. (*Colloq.*) Rebuke, chide, reprove sharply, reprimand.

**Trim,** *v. n.* Fluctuate, vacillate, balance, be on the fence, veer round, change sides, be a time-server, shift, shuffle, play fast and loose, blow hot and cold.

**Trimester,** *n.* Three months, quarter.

**Trimmer,** *n.* Time-server, time-pleaser, timist, Janus, weather-cock.

**Trimmings,** *n. pl.* 1. Ornaments, trappings, dress, gear, trim.
2. Relish, garnish.

**Trinitarian,** *n.* Tripersonalist.

**Trinity,** *n.* 1. Triunity.
2. [With *The* prefixed.] The Holy Trinity, the Godhead, Triune God.

**Trinket,** *n.* 1. Toy, bawble, knick-knack, gewgaw, gimcrack, whim-wham, trifle, *bagatelle.*
2. (*Naut.*) Top-sail, top-gallant sail.

**Trinkets,** *n. pl.* Jewels, jewelry, bijoutry, trifling ornaments.

**Trinkgeld,** *n.* Drink-money, *pour-boire.*

**Trip,** *v. n.* 1. Skip, hop, step quickly, dance, foot it.
2. Stumble, lose footing, make a false step, make a false movement.
3. Fail, mistake, err, be at fault, come short, commit an offence, bungle, blunder.

**Trip,** *v. a.* 1. Supplant, throw off the balance, trip up.
2. Overthrow, cause to fail, supplant, upset.
3. Detect, catch, convict.

**Trip,** *n.* 1. Skip, hop, light step.
2. Stumble, false step, misstep, loss of balance.
3. Slip, lapse, failure, mistake, oversight, error, blunder, fault, miss, stumble.
4. Jaunt, excursion, tour, ramble, stroll, short journey.

**Tripe,** *n.* 1. Entrails, intestines.
2. (*Ludicrous.*) Human belly.

**Tripetalous,** *a.* Three-petaled.

**Trip-hammer,** *n.* Tilt-hammer, tilt.

**Triphane,** *n.* (*Min.*) Spodumene.

**Triphthong,** *n.* Trigraph.

**Triphyllous,** *a.* Three-leaved.

**Triple,** *a.* 1. Threefold, triplicate.
2. Treble, three times repeated.

**Triple,** *v. a.* Treble, make threefold.

**Triple-crown,** *n.* Tiara.

**Triplicate,** *a.* Threefold, treble.

**Triplicity,** *n.* Trebleness.

**Tripping,** *a.* Quick, nimble, agile, nimble-footed.

**Tripsis,** *n.* 1. (*Med.*) Trituration, comminution, pulverization, levigation.
2. Shampooing.

**Triquetrous,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Three-edged, trigonal.

**Trisagion,** *n.* Tersanctus.

**Trismus,** *n.* [L.] (*Med.*) Locked-jaw, lock-jaw, tetanus (*of the jaw*).

**Trite,** *a.* Common, stale, threadbare, hackneyed, beaten, worn out, common-place, stereotyped.

**Triturate,** *v. a.* 1. Grind, bruise, rub, thrash, bray, pound, beat.
2. Levigate, comminute, grind to powder, pulverize.

**Trituration,** *n.* Pulverization, comminution, levigation.

**Triumph,** *n.* 1. Ovation, celebration, jubilee, jubilation, exultation, flourish of trumpets, joy.
2. Conquest, victory, success.

**Triumph,** *v. n.* 1. Exult, rejoice, hold a triumph, celebrate a victory.
2. Prevail, succeed, get the mastery, obtain a victory, meet with success.
3. Be prosperous, flourish, thrive, prosper.
4. Boast, crow, swagger, brag, vaunt, exult, boast insolently.

**Triumphal song.** Pæan, song of triumph.

**Triumphant,** *a.* 1. Triumphing, rejoicing for victory, exultant, elated, jubilant.
2. Exultant, jubilant, exulting.
3. Victorious, successful, crowned with success, graced with conquest.

**Triumph over.** Subdue, conquer, vanquish, overcome, subjugate, overpower, beat, master, get the better of, obtain victory, prevail over.

**Triune,** *a.* Trinal.

**Triunity,** *n.* Trinity.

**Trivial,** *a.* 1. (*Rare.*) Common, ordinary, vulgar, common-place.
2. Trifling, petty, small, frivolous, slight, light, nugatory, paltry, unimportant, inconsiderable, insignificant, immaterial, of little value, of little consequence.

**Triviality,** *n.* 1. Trivialness, unimportance, insignificance, indifference.
2. Trifle, small matter, bawble, nothing, bubble, thing of little value *or* consequence, thing of no moment, *bagatelle.*

**Trivialness,** *n.* 1. Commonness, triviality.
2. Lightness, unimportance.

**Troche,** *n.* Lozenge.

**Trochee,** *n.* Choree, foot of one long and one short syllable.

**Trochlear,** *a.* Pulley-shaped.

**Troglodyte,** *n.* Wretch, outcast, pilgarlic, pariah, miserable fellow, castaway.

**Troll,** *v. a.* [Written also *Troul.*] 1. Roll, turn, turn round, drive about, move circularly.
2. Send about, circulate, pass round.
3. Sing loudly.
4. Angle with a trolling line.
5. Allure, entice, lure, draw on.
6. Fish in, seek to catch fish from.

**Troll,** *v. n.* 1. Roll.
2. Sing a catch *or* round.

**Troll,** *n.* 1. Catch, round.
2. Dwarf, kobold, elf, gnome.

**Trollop,** *n.* Slattern, slut.

**Trona,** *n.* Sesqui-carbonate of soda (*native*).

**Troop,** *n.* 1. Throng, multitude, company, number, crowd.
2. Band, company, squad, body, party.
3. Company (*of stage-players*), *troupe.*

**Troop,** *v. n.* 1. Throng, gather in crowds, collect in numbers, muster, flock, crowd.
2. March in a company.
3. March in haste.

**Troop-bird,** *n.* Troopial.

**Trooper,** *n.* Horse-soldier, horseman, hussar, dragoon.

**Troops,** *n. pl.* 1. Throngs, gangs.
2. Army, soldiers, forces, legions, armed force, military force, body of troops.

**Trope,** *n.* Figure of speech.

**Trophy,** *n.* Memorial of conquest, evidence of victory.

**Tropical,** *a.* 1. Of the tropics.
2. Figurative, metaphorical.

**Troth,** *n.* 1. Truth, verity, veracity, sincerity, honesty, candor.
2. Fidelity, faith, belief, allegiance, word.

**Trot out.** 1. Lead out, bring out.

2. Bring forward, exhibit, lead out, produce, display.

**Trotters,** *n. pl.* Feet (*of animals*).

**Trottoir,** *n.* [Fr.] Sidewalk, foot-pavement, footway.

**Trouble,** *v. a.* I. Agitate, disturb, derange, disorder, put out of order, disarrange, put in commotion, confuse.

2. Afflict, distress, grieve, annoy, vex, fret, plague, torment, harass, worry, pester, badger, disquiet, concern, make anxious, make uneasy, disturb, perplex, grieve, molest, perturb.

3. Inconvenience, incommode, give occasion for labor to.

**Trouble,** *n.* I. Affliction, distress, dolor, suffering, calamity, grief, tribulation, adversity, misfortune, sorrow, woe, misery, pain.

2. Annoyance, perplexity, vexation, embarrassment, plague, torment, irritation, worry, care, anxiety, inconvenience.

3. Perplexity, embarrassment, bewilderment, disquietude, uneasiness.

4. Matter, cause of distress.

**Troublesome,** *a.* I. Vexatious, annoying, perplexing, harassing, galling, painful.

2. Burdensome, wearisome, tiresome, irksome.

3. Importunate, teasing, intrusive.

4. Hard, difficult, trying, arduous.

**Troublous,** *a.* I. Tumultuous, agitated, disturbed, turbulent, perturbed, disquieted.

2. Full of trouble, tumultuous, full of affliction, troublesome.

**Trough,** *n.* I. Long tray.

2. Wooden channel.

3. Channel, depression, furrow, hollow.

**Trousers,** *n. pl.* [Written also *Trowsers.*] Pantaloons.

**Trousseau,** *n.* [Fr.] Outfit (*of a bride*).

**Truant,** *a.* Wandering from business, loitering, idling, shirking.

**Truant,** *n.* Idler, loiterer, shirk, laggard, lounger, run-away.

**Truce,** *n.* I. Armistice, suspension of hostilities, cessation of arms.

2. Intermission, cessation, short rest, short quiet, pause, respite, interval of rest, reprieve, temporary peace, breathing-time.

**Truck,** *v. n.* Barter, deal, trade, traffic.

**Truck,** *v. a.* Barter, exchange, traffic, give in exchange, trade.

**Truck,** *n.* I. Barter, exchange.

2. (*Colloq.*) Small commodities, merchandise, wares, goods.

3. (*Colloq.*) Luggage.

**Truckage,** *n.* I. Exchange, barter.

2. Freight, charge for carriage.

**Truckle,** *v. a.* Trundle, roll.

**Truckle,** *v. n.* Cringe, stoop, crouch, submit, knuckle, yield (*obsequiously*), bend the knee, knock under, be servile, bend obsequiously, fawn upon, curry favor with.

**Truckle-bed,** *n.* Trundle-bed.

**Truckman,** *n.* Carman, truck-driver.

**Truculence,** } *n.* Ferocity, ferociousness, savage-
**Truculency,** } ness.

**Truculent,** *a.* I. Savage, fierce, ferocious, barbarous.

2. Savage, fierce, relentless, ferocious, malevolent, cruel, brutish.

3. Cruel, destructive, ruthless, fatal, deadly.

**Trudge,** *v. n.* I. Travel (*on foot*), tramp, go.

2. March (*heavily*), jog on, travel with labor, plod.

**True,** *a.* I. Real, genuine, veritable, actual, pure, authentic.

2. Truthful, veracious, authentic, conformable to fact.

3. Faithful, constant, steady, loyal, stanch.

4. Honest, honorable, upright, just, equitable, virtuous, trusty, trustworthy.

5. Exact, accurate, correct, conformable to a rule.

**True,** *ad.* Yes, ay, good, well, very well, well and good, granted.

**True-blue,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Honest, faithful, stanch, loyal, true, incorruptible.

**True-blue,** *n.* True-penny, honest fellow.

**True-born,** *a.* Genuine.

**True-hearted,** *a.* Honest, sincere, faithful, loyal, constant, trusty, guileless, trustworthy.

**True-jack,** *n.* Luce, pike, pickerel (*Esox lucius*).

**True-love,** *n.* I. Lover, sweetheart, beloved, darling, dear, love.

2. One-berry, herb-paris (*Paris quadrifolia*).

**True-love-knot,** *n.* True lover's knot.

**True-penny,** *n.* Honest fellow, true-blue.

**Truism,** *n.* Axiom, self-evident truth, evident proposition, necessary truth.

**Trull,** *n.* Drab, strumpet, prostitute, harlot, whore, courtesan, bawd, punk, trollop, Cyprian, street-walker, night-walker, woman of the town.

**Truly,** *ad.* I. Really, verily, in truth, with truth, in fact, in deed, actually.

2. Truthfully, veraciously.

3. Honestly, candidly, plainly, sincerely, really, faithfully, in good earnest, in sober earnest, sooth to say, without equivocation, in plain English, without mincing the matter.

4. Faithfully, constantly, steadfastly, sincerely.

5. Correctly, exactly, strictly, accurately, justly, precisely.

**Trumpe,** *n.* I. (*Poetical.*) Trumpet.

2. Trump-card, winning card.

**Trump,** *v. a.* I. Lay a trump on, win with a trump.

2. Trick, impose on.

3. Obtrude, impose unfairly.

**Trump,** *v. n.* Play a trump.

**Trumpery,** *n.* I. Falsehood, deceit, imposture, humbug, deception.

2. Trash, rubbish, stuff, frippery, worthless finery, trifles.

**Trumpery,** *a.* Worthless, good for nothing, trifling, trashy, rubbishy, pinchbeck.

**Trumpet,** *n.* I. Horn, clarion, bugle.

2. Celebrator, praiser.

**Trumpet,** *v. a.* Proclaim, publish, announce, promulgate, advertise, blazon, blaze abroad, spread abroad, noise abroad, make known.

**Trumpet-call,** *n.* Bugle-call, alarm, rallying cry, summons to arms, rappel.

**Trumpet-fish,** *n.* Snipe-fish, bellows-fish (*Centriscus scolopax*).

**Trumpet-flower,** *n.* Trumpet honeysuckle (*Lonicera sempervirens*).

**Trumpet-toned,** *a.* Shrill, clangorous, high.

**Trumpet-tongued,** *a.* Loud, sonorous, powerful, stentorian, vociferous.

**Trumpet-weed,** *n.* Joepye-weed (*Eupatorium purpureum*).

**Trumpet-wood,** *n.* Snake-wood (*Cecropia peltata*).

**Trump up.** Devise, fabricate, collect with unfairness, forge.

**Truncate,** *v. a.* Lop, maim, lop off, cut off.

**Truncheon,** *n.* I. Club, cudgel, short staff, partisan.

2. Staff (*of command*), wand, *bâton*.

3. Bolling, pollard.

**Trundle,** *n.* I. Roller, castor, little wheel.

2. Rolling motion.

3. Wallower, lantern-wheel.

**Trundle,** *v. a.* Roll, bowl, roll along, truckle.

**Trundle-bed,** *n.* Truckle-bed.

**Trundle-tail,** *n.* Round-tail.
**Trunk,** *n.* 1. Stem, stock, stalk, body, bole.
2. Body (*without the limbs*).
3. Main body.
4. Proboscis, snout.
5. Leat, watercourse.
6. Box, chest, coffer.
7. (*Arch.*) Shaft of a column.
**Trunk-hose,** *n.* Large breeches, wide breeches.
**Trunnel,** *n.* Treenail, wooden pin.
**Truss,** *n.* 1. Bundle, package, packet.
2. Bandage (*for hernia*), support, apparatus.
**Truss,** *v. a.* 1. Bind, pack close, pack up, bind up, put up, cram.
2. Keep tight, make fast, hold fast.
3. Skewer, hold together, make fast.
4. Hang, hang up, execute by hanging.
**Truss up.** Strain, make tight.
**Trust,** *n.* 1. Confidence, reliance, faith, belief, credence.
2. Credit, tick.
3. Charge, deposit.
4. Commission, errand, duty, charge.
5. Faith, hope, expectation, belief, assured anticipation, confidence, assurance.
6. Ground of reliance.
**Trust,** *v. a.* 1. Rely on, depend upon, confide in, put confidence in, trust to, place reliance on.
2. Give credit to, sell to on credit.
3. Believe, give credence to, credit.
4. Intrust, commit.
**Trust,** *v. n.* 1. Expect, hope, be confident, feel sure.
2. Be confiding, be credulous, be won to confidence.
**Trust,** *a.* Held in trust.
**Trustee,** *n.* Depositary, fiduciary.
**Trustful,** *a.* 1. Trusting.
2. Faithful, trusty, trustworthy.
**Trustily,** *ad.* Honestly, faithfully, with fidelity.
**Trust in.** Confide in, trust, place confidence in, rely on.
**Trustless,** *a.* Unfaithful, false, untrustworthy, unreliable.
**Trust to.** Depend on, have confidence in, rely on.
**Trustworthy,** *a.* Honest, true, faithful, upright, straightforward, uncorrupt, trusty, confidential, reliable, stanch.
**Trusty,** *a.* 1. Trustworthy.
2. Strong, firm.
**Truth,** *n.* 1. Fact, reality, verity.
2. Conformity to fact *or* reality.
3. Principle, law, canon.
4. Veracity, truthfulness.
5. Honesty, sincerity, integrity, frankness, ingenuousness, candor, probity, fidelity, honor, virtue.
6. Faithfulness, fidelity, constancy, loyalty, fealty, faith.
7. Exactness, accuracy, nicety, precision, conformity to rule.
**Truthful,** *a.* 1. Correct, true, veracious, reliable, trustworthy.
2. Sincere, honest, candid, frank, open, ingenuous, artless, guileless, true, straightforward, trustworthy, trusty.
**Truthless,** *a.* 1. False.
2. Faithless, disingenuous, insincere, unfair, dishonest, hollow, hypocritical, pharisaical, canting, treacherous.
**Try,** *v. a.* 1. Examine, test, prove, make experiment of, make trial of, put to the test, put to proof, prove by experiment.
2. Experience, have knowledge of (*by trial*).
3. Attempt, essay.
4. (*Law.*) Hear, examine judicially, adjudicate, adjudge.
5. Purify, refine.
6. Subject to trial, put to the test, sound.
**Try,** *v. n.* Attempt, endeavor, strive, aim, seek, make an effort, make essay, do one's best, do all that in one lies, strain every nerve.
**Try,** *n.* Attempt, experiment, trial, act of trying.
**Try-cock,** *n.* Gauge-cock.
**Trygon,** *n.* Sting-ray.
**Trying,** *a.* 1. Irksome, wearisome, tiresome, fatiguing, difficult, hard.
2. Severe, painful, afflictive, afflicting, grievous, calamitous, hard, distressing, sad, dire, deplorable, hard to bear.
**Try on.** Put on.
**Try out.** Melt out.
**Tryst,** *n.* [*Scotch.*] Appointment (*to meet*), appointed meeting, assignation.
**Trysting,** *n.* Appointment, tryst, engagement to meet.
**Trysting-place,** *n.* Rendezvous, place of assignation.
**Try the eyes.** Over-exert them, strain them.
**Tuba,** *n.* Sax-tuba.
**Tubber,** *n.* (*Mining.*) Beele.
**Tube,** *n.* Pipe, hollow cylinder.
**Tub-fish,** *n.* Sapphirine gurnard (*Trigla hirundo*).
**Tubipore,** *n.* Pipe coral, organ coral, organ-pipe coral, tubulipore.
**Tubular,** *a.* Fistular, tube-like, pipe-like, cannular.
**Tubulate,** *a.* Tubular, tubulated, tubulous, fistular.
**Tuck,** *n.* 1. Small sword, rapier, bilbo.
2. Tuck-net.
3. Pull, lugging.
4. Horizontal fold, plait.
**Tuck,** *v. a.* 1. Pack, stow, fold under, press together.
2. Press in bed-clothes, wrap, infold.
**Tuckahoe,** *n.* Virginian truffle, Indian bread, Indian loaf.
**Tudor-style,** *a.* (*Arch.*) Decorated English.
**Tue-irons,** *n. pl.* Blacksmith's tongs.
**Tufa,** *n.* Tuff, volcanic tufa.
**Tuff,** *n.* 1. Tufa.
2. Tufo.
**Tuffoon,** *n.* Typhoon.
**Tuft,** *n.* 1. Knot, bunch.
2. Cluster, group, clump.
3. Crest, plume.
4. (*Bot.*) Capitulum.
**Tuft-hunter,** *n.* Hanger-on (*to noblemen and persons of quality*), sycophant, parasite, flatterer, lick-spittle, fawner, spaniel, toad-eater.
**Tug,** *v. a.* Pull (*with great effort*), draw, haul, drag.
**Tug,** *v. n.* 1. Pull hard, pull with great effort.
2. Labor, struggle, strive.
**Tug,** *n.* 1. Hard pull, great effort.
2. Tow-boat.
3. Trace, drawing-strap.
**Tug of war.** Battle, death-struggle, struggle for life or death.
**Tuition,** *n.* Instruction, teaching, education, training, schooling.
**Tulip-tree,** *n.* White-wood (*Liliodendron tulipifera*).
**Tullian,** *a* Ciceronian.
**Tumble,** *v. n.* 1. Roll, toss, heave, pitch about.
2. Fall, be precipitated, fall over, roll down, fall suddenly, topple.
3. Play mountebank tricks.
**Tumble,** *v. a.* 1. Precipitate, throw headlong.
2. Turn over, throw about.
3. Disturb, derange, rumple, put in disorder disorder, disarrange.

**Tumble,** *n.* Fall.
**Tumble-down,** *a.* Tottering, ready to fall, dilapidated.
**Tumbler,** *n.* I. Acrobat, juggler, posture-master.
2. Glass.
**Tumbling-bay,** *n.* Overfall, weir.
**Tumbrel,** *n.* I. Dung-cart, muck-cart, rough cart.
2. Trebuchet, castigatory, ducking-stool, cucking-stool.
**Tumefaction,** *n.* Tumor, swelling, intumescence.
**Tumefy,** *v. a.* Swell, inflate, distend, puff up, enlarge.
**Tumefy,** *v. n.* Swell, puff up.
**Tumid,** *a.* I. Swollen, swelled, enlarged, distended, puffed up, turgid.
2. Protuberant, swelling.
3. Bombastic, turgid, swelling, pompous, inflated, stilted, grandiloquent, declamatory, rhetorical, high-flown, puffy, falsely sublime, grandiose, fustian, turgent.
**Tumidity,** *n.* Tumidness, turgidity.
**Tumor,** *n.* Swelling, tumefaction.
**Tump,** *n.* Hillock, knoll, hummock.
**Tumult,** *n.* I. Uproar, affray, fray, brawl, feud, row, altercation, squabble, turbulence, bluster, hubbub, fracas, quarrel, outbreak, strife, general riot, *mêlée.*
2. Violent commotion, turbulence, noisy agitation, confusion.
3. Commotion, disturbance, stir, agitation, breeze, confusion, turmoil, ferment, huddle, pother, ado, bustle, flurry, noise, fuss, confused noise, hurly-burly, bluster, hubbub, racket, noisy commotion, disorder, to-do (*colloq.*).
4. Ferment, state of high excitement, agitation, perturbation.
**Tumultuary,** *a.* I. Disorderly, confused, tumultuous, riotous, promiscuous.
2. Restless, agitated, unquiet, stormy.
**Tumultuous,** *a.* I. Uproarious, riotous, turbulent, tumultuary, violent, lawless, seditious, wild.
2. Disturbed, agitated, restless, uneasy, unquiet.
3. Irregular, obstreperous, confused, disorderly, noisy, boisterous.
4. Full of tumult, disorderly, wild.
**Tumulus,** *n.* Barrow, artificial mound, artificial hillock.
**Tun,** *n.* I. Large cask, hogshead.
2. Two pipes, four hogsheads, 252 gallons.
3. Large quantity.
**Tun,** *v. a.* Barrel, cask.
**Tunable,** *a.* I. That may be tuned.
2. Harmonious, musical, tuneful, melodious, sweet.
**Tun-bellied,** *a.* Abdominous, big-bellied, pot-bellied, great-bellied, large-bellied, swag-bellied.
**Tune,** *n.* I. Air, melody, strain.
2. Concord, harmony, harmonious accordance, agreement, concert of parts.
3. Order, harmony, concord, fit disposition, proper mood.
**Tune,** *v. a.* I. Harmonize, accord, modulate, attune, put in tune.
2. Put into order, put into a proper state.
3. Attune, adapt.
4. Sing.
5. Play harmoniously.
**Tuneful,** *a.* Musical, harmonious, melodious, dulcet.
**Tungsten,** *n.* I. Wolframium.
2. (*Min.*) Tungstate of lime, scheelite.
**Tunhoof,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Ground-ivy, alehoof, gill.
**Tunnel,** *n.* I. Funnel.
2. Subterranean passage, underground thoroughfare.
**Tunnel-shaped,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Infundibular, infundibuliform.
**Tupelo,** *n.* Pepperidge, sour gum-tree (*Nyssa multiflora*).
**Turbid,** *a.* Roiled, roily, unsettled, feculent, muddy, thick, cloudy, foul.
**Turbinate,** / **Turbinated,** } *a.* Top-shaped.
**Turbulence,** *n.* I. Tumult, uproar, disturbance, turmoil, commotion, disorder, confusion, agitation, tumultuousness, unruliness.
2. Riot, sedition, mutiny, insurrection, rebellion, insubordination.
**Turbulent,** *a.* I. Disturbed, agitated, tumultuous, wild.
2. Tumultuous, disorderly, blustering, obstreperous, boisterous, uproarious, blatant, brawling, vociferous.
3. Riotous, seditious, mutinous, insubordinate, refractory, insurgent, rebellious, revolutionary, factious, disorderly, wild, violent.
4. Producing commotion.
**Turdidæ,** *n. pl.* Thrushes.
**Tureen,** *n.* Soup-dish, terreen.
**Turf,** *n.* I. Sod, sward, greensward.
2. Peat.
3. Race-course, race-ground.
4. Horse-racing.
**Turf-like,** *a.* Turfy, cespitose.
**Turfy,** *a.* Cespitose, turf-like.
**Turgent,** *a.* I. Swelling, tumid, protuberant.
2. Inflated, tumid, bombastic, turgescent.
**Turgescence,** *n.* I. Swelling, tumefaction, distention.
2. See TURGIDITY.
**Turgid,** *a.* I. Swelled, swollen, bloated, distended, puffed up.
2. Pompous, bombastic, tumid, puffy, inflated, stilted, grandiloquent, declamatory, rhetorical, ostentatious, turgent, grandiose, fustian, high-flown.
**Turgidity,** *n.* I. Swelling, distention, turgescence, turgidness.
2. Bombast, inflation, turgidness, grandiloquence, pompous style.
**Turgidness,** *n.* See TURGIDITY.
**Turk,** *n.* Ottoman, Mahometan.
**Turkey-cock,** *n.* Gobbler (*colloq.*).
**Turkey-stone,** *n.* Novaculite, Turkey oil-stone, oil-stone, whetstone, hone.
**Turkish,** *a.* Ottoman, of the Turks.
**Turkish bath.** Sudatory, sweating-bath, vapor bath.
**Turkishness,** *n.* Turcism.
**Turko,** *n.* Zouave.
**Turkois,** *n.* Turcois, turquoise.
**Turk's-cap,** *n.* Melon-thistle, turk's-head (*Melocactus communis*).
**Turl-pin,** *n.* Beghard, Picard, Lollard.
**Turmaline,** *n.* Tourmaline.
**Turmeric paper.** Curcuma paper.
**Turmoil,** *n.* Tumult, agitation, disturbance, disorder, turbulence, confusion, commotion, uproar, bustle, huddle, hurly-burly, trouble, harassing labor.
**Turn,** *v. a.* I. Revolve, move round, turn round, make go round.
2. Cause to deviate, cast, deflect, inflect, bend, incline differently, change the direction of.
3. Divert, transfer, use, employ.
4. Reverse the position of, turn over.
5. Shape (*as in a lathe*), form, mould, fashion.
6. Adapt, fit, suit.
7. Change, alter, transmute, metamorphose, transform, convert.
8. Change opinion, alter belief.

9. Translate, construe, render.
10. Direct, apply.
11. Direct the look to, change position.
12. Transfer.
13. Revolve, agitate.
14. Reverse, repeal.
15. Acidify, make sour, make acid.

**Turn,** *v. n.* 1. Revolve, whirl, turn round, have a circular motion, wheel round.
2. Be directed, have direction.
3. Deviate, incline, bend, be deflected.
4. Be changed, be transformed, be converted, be altered, become transmuted.
5. Grow, become.
6. Become sour, become acid.
7. Depend, hinge, pivot, hang, be dependent.
8. Result, terminate, come about, eventuate, issue.
9. Become giddy, grow dizzy.

**Turn,** *n.* 1. Revolution, movement about a centre, act of turning, rotation, gyration, round.
2. Change of direction, alteration of course, new tendency, deviation, deflection, flexion, flexure, bend, bending, sweep, winding, twist, turning.
3. Change, alteration, vicissitude, variation.
4. Winding, bend, brief walk, short excursion.
5. Successive course, due chance, appropriate time.
6. Opportune deed, occasional kindness, act, action, deed, office.
7. Convenience, occasion, purpose, exigence.
8. Form, cast, shape, manner, fashion, phase, guise.
9. Form of expression, mode of signifying.
10. Aptitude, talent, bias, proclivity, gift, genius, propensity, proneness.

**Turn about.** Move the face to another quarter.
**Turn a corner.** Go round a corner.
**Turn a deaf ear to.** Disregard, decline to hear, take no notice of, pay no attention to, pay no regard to.
**Turn adrift.** Turn away, cast off, turn out, eject, discard, get rid of.
**Turn aside.** Avert, turn away, turn off.
**Turn away.** (*Active.*) 1. Avert, turn aside.
2. Dismiss (*from service*), discard, cashier, turn off.
**Turn away.** (*Neuter.*) 1. Deviate, forsake.
2. Go, depart, remove.
**Turn back.** Turn round, go back, return.
**Turncoat,** *n.* Apostate, renegade, backslider, deserter.
**Turn down.** Fold down, double down.
**Turnep,** *n.* Turnip.
**Turner,** *n.* Gymnast.
**Turn in.** (*Active.*) Fold in, double in.
**Turn in.** (*Neuter.*) 1. Bend inward.
2. Enter, go in.
3. (*Colloq.*) Retire, go to bed.

**Turning,** *n.* 1. Winding, bending course, flexure, meander.
2. Deviation from the way.
3. Turnery.
**Turning-point,** *n.* Crisis, decisive moment.
**Turn in the mind.** Revolve, ponder, meditate upon.
**Turn off.** (*Active.*) 1. Dismiss, discard, turn away.
2. Deflect, divert.
3. Accomplish, perform, execute, do.
4. Give over, resign.
**Turn off.** (*Neuter.*) Be diverted, deviate from a course.
**Turn on.** 1. Reply, retort.
2. Depend on.
**Turn one's brain.** Make insane, make lunatic.
**Turn one's coat.** Change sides, go to the opposite party.
**Turn one's money.** / **Turn one's goods.** / **Turn a penny.** Exchange in the course of trade, keep in circulation, gain *or* increase in trade.
**Turn one's stomach.** Nauseate, sicken.
**Turn on one's heel.** Turn away from, leave, part company.
**Turn out.** (*Active.*) 1. Expel, drive out, turn adrift.
2. Put to pasture, put out to pasture.
3. Produce, furnish, manufacture, make, accomplish, do.
**Turn out.** (*Neuter.*) 1. Bend outward, project.
2. Issue, result, prove, eventuate.
3. Get up, rise from bed.
**Turn-out,** *n.* 1. Strike.
2. Siding, short side-track (*on a railway*), shunt.
3. Equipage.
**Turn-over,** *n.* 1. Overturn, act of upsetting.
2. Semicircular pie.
**Turn over.** (*Active.*) 1. Turn, reverse the position of, roll over.
2. Transfer, hand over.
3. Open and examine page by page.
4. Overset, overturn.
**Turn over.** (*Neuter.*) Roll over, tumble, toss from side to side.
**Turn-plate,** *n.* Turn-table.
**Turn round.** Revolve, whirl, turn.
**Turn-screw,** *n.* Screw-driver.
**Turnsole,** *n.* 1. Heliotrope.
2. Litmus.
**Turn-table,** *n.* Turn-plate.
**Turn tail.** (*Colloq.*) Flee, run away, make off, cut and run, retreat ignominiously.
**Turn the back.** Flee, retreat.
**Turn the back upon.** Leave with contempt, refuse unceremoniously.
**Turn the die.** / **Turn the dice.** Change fortune.
**Turn the edge of.** Make dull, make blunt, deprive of sharpness.
**Turn the head.** Infatuate, make giddy, make insane, make wild, overthrow the judgment of.
**Turn the scale.** Change the preponderance, give success, give superiority.
**Turn the tables.** Reverse positions, reverse circumstances.
**Turn to.** Have recourse to, refer to.
**Turn to account.** Utilize, take advantage of, make use of.
**Turn to profit.** / **Turn to advantage.** Make profitable, make advantageous.
**Turn topsy-turvy.** Upset, disorder, confuse.
**Turn under.** Bend downward.
**Turn up.** 1. Bend upward.
2. Occur, happen, come to pass.
3. Come to light, transpire.
**Turn upon.** Retort, throw back.
**Turpitude,** *n.* Baseness, depravity, wickedness, vileness.
**Turquoise,** *n.* [Written also *Turcois* and *Turkois.*] Calaite.
**Turret,** *n.* Minaret, pinnacle, small tower.
**Turtle,** *n.* 1. Turtle-dove, turtle-pigeon.
2. Sea-tortoise, marine tortoise.
**Turtle-dove,** *n.* Turtle (*Columba turtur*).
**Turtle-shell,** *n.* Tortoise-shell.
**Tush,** *interj.* Pshaw.
**Tush,** *n.* See TUSK.
**Tusk,** *n.* Tush, fang, pointed tooth.
**Tussle,** *n.* Scuffle, struggle, conflict.
**Tussle,** *v. n.* Scuffle, struggle, contend, wrestle.
**Tut,** *interj.* Stop, be still, hush.

**Tutelage,** *n.* Protection, guardianship, tutorship.
**Tutelar,** } *a.* Protecting, guardian, guarding.
**Tutelary,** }
**Tutelary saint.** Patron, good genius, guardian.
**Tutor,** *n.* 1. (*Law.*) Guardian.
2. Teacher, instructor, master, preceptor, school-master.
**Tutor,** *v. a.* 1. Teach, instruct.
2. Discipline, train, bring under control, treat with authority.
**Tutoress,** *n.* Instructress, governante, governess.
**Tutorship,** *n.* See TUTELAGE.
**Twaddle,** *n.* Prate, prattle, chatter, tattle, twattle, gabble, gossip, balderdash, moonshine, nonsense, jargon, flummery, rigmarole, stuff, platitude, wish-wash, senseless talk, idle talk, frothy discourse, twaddling, twaddy.
**Twaddle,** *v. n.* Prate, prattle, maunder, twattle, gabble, chatter.
**Twain,** *n.* [*Nearly obsolete.*] Two.
**Twang,** *n.* 1. Nasal tone.
2. Harsh, quick sound; vibrating sound.
**Twang,** *v. a.* Twank, twangle.
**Twattle,** *n.* See TWADDLE.
**Tweak,** *v. a.* Twitch, twinge, pinch, pull rudely.
**Tweedle,** *v. a.* Allure (*by some slight influence as by fiddling*), coax, entice, drib, decoy, toll, troll, lure, lead, draw over, bring over, prevail upon.
**Tweezers,** *n. pl.* Nippers, pincers.
**Twelfth-day,** *n.* Twelfth-tide, Epiphany, January 6.
**Twelve,** *a.* Dozen.
**Twelvemonth,** *n.* Year.
**Twelve-pence,** *n.* Shilling sterling.
**Twice,** *ad.* Two times.
**Twiddle,** *v. a.* Play with, touch lightly, tweedle, twirl with the fingers.
**Twig,** *n.* Shoot, sprig, spray, branch.
**Twilight,** *n.* 1. Crepuscular light.
2. Dim light, faint light.
**Twilight,** *a.* Obscure, dim, shaded.
**Twilly,** *n.* Willowing-machine, twilly-devil, willy, willying-machine.
**Twin,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Doubled, geminate, in pairs.
**Twine,** *v. a.* 1. Twist together.
2. Encircle, surround, embrace, entwine, wind about, wind around, wreathe.
**Twine,** *v. n.* 1. Unite closely.
2. Wind, bend, make turns, meander.
3. Twist, ascend in spiral lines.
**Twine,** *n.* 1. Twist, convolution.
2. Winding, twining, embrace.
3. Cord, string, small cordage.
**Twinge,** *v. a.* Tweak, twitch, pinch, pull rudely.
**Twinge,** *n.* 1. Pinch, tweak, twitch.
2. Gripe, pang, sharp pain.
**Twinkle,** *v. n.* 1. Blink, wink.
2. Sparkle, flash.
**Twinkle,** *n.* 1. Wink.
2. See TWINKLING.
**Twinkling,** *n.* 1. Flashing, sparkling, twinkle.
2. Instant, moment, second, jiffy, trice, flash, twinkling of an eye, time of a wink.
**Twinkling of an eye.** See TWINKLING.
**Twin-leaf,** *n.* Rheumatism-root (*Jeffersonia diphylla*).
**Twinling,** *n.* Twin lamb.
**Twinned,** *a.* 1. Twin, born at the same birth.
2. Paired.
**Twins,** *n. pl.* (*Astron.*) [With *The* prefixed.] Gemini.
**Twirl,** *v. a.* Whirl, revolve, turn rapidly, turn round.
**Twirl,** *n.* 1. Whirling, circular motion, quick rotation.
2. Convolution, twist.
**Twist,** *v. a.* 1. Twine, twist together.
2. Writhe, contort, complicate, convolve, crook spirally.
3. Wind, wreathe, encircle.
4. Form, weave, make up.
5. [*Used reflexively.*] Wind in, insinuate.
**Twist,** *n.* Convolution, writhing, contortion, winding, flexure, kink, bending, bight, coil.
**Twit,** *v. a.* Reproach, blame, upbraid, taunt, fling at.
**Twitch,** *v. a.* Pull suddenly, snatch, jerk, yerk, pluck.
**Twitch,** *n.* 1. Jerk, quick pull.
2. Spasm, twitching, sudden contraction (*as of the muscles*).
**Twitch-grass,** *n.* Couch-grass, dog's-grass, dog-wheat, wheat-grass, quitch-grass, knot-grass (*Triticum repens*).
**Twitching,** *n.* Spasm, twitch.
**Twite,** *n.* Tree-sparrow (*Fringilla montana*).
**Twitter,** *v. n.* 1. Chirp, chirrup.
2. Flutter, be agitated, be flurried, be excited.
3. Titter, giggle.
**Twitter,** *n.* 1. Twittering, chirping, chirp, chirruping.
2. Trembling, agitation, tremor, flutter.
3. Titter, giggle, half-suppressed laugh.
**Twit with.** Reproach for, cast in the teeth, fling at.
**Two,** *n.* 1. Sum of two units.
2. Pair, couple, brace.
**Two-capsuled,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Bicapsular.
**Two-cleft,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Bifid.
**Twofold,** *a.* Double, duplicate.
**Two-forked,** *a.* Dichotomous.
**Two-lipped,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Bilabiate.
**Two-parted,** *a.* Bipartite.
**Two-ply,** *a.* Double.
**Two-ranked,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Distichous.
**Two-seeded,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Dispermous.
**Two-tongued,** *a.* Double-tongued, deceitful.
**Two-valved,** *a.* Bivalve, bivalvular.
**Tycoon,** *n.* Emperor of Japan.
**Tye,** *v. a.* See TIE.
**Tye,** *n.* See TIE.
**Tyke,** *n.* [Written also *Tike.*] 1. Dog, cur, puppy.
2. Contemptible fellow, cur, puppy.
**Tympan,** *n.* (*Arch.*) Panel, tympanum.
**Tympanites,** *n.* (*Med.*) See TYMPANY.
**Tympanum,** *n.* Drum (*of the ear*).
**Tympany,** *n.* 1. (*Med.*) Tympanites, drum-belly, wind-dropsy.
2. Inflation, conceit, bombast, tumidity, turgidness.
**Tyny,** *a.* See TINY.
**Typal,** *a.* Typical.
**Type,** *n.* 1. Stamp, impressed sign, emblem, mark.
2. Emblem, symbol, sign, token, shadow, image, representation, adumbration.
3. Original, model, pattern, prototype, archetype, exemplar, protoplast.
4. Stamp, form, kind, sort.
5. Printing character.
6. Representative, aggregate of characteristic qualities.
**Typhoid,** *a.* (*Med.*) Resembling typhus, typhous.
**Typhoon,** *n.* 1. Tornado in the Chinese seas, tufoon.
2. Simoom.
**Typhous,** *a.* (*Med.*) Typhoid.
**Typical,** *a.* Figurative, emblematical, emblematic, indicative, representative.
**Typify,** *v. a.* Figure, indicate, betoken, denote, represent, stand for, shadow forth.
**Typographer,** *n.* Printer.
**Typography,** *n.* Art of printing, printing.

**Tyrannic,** } *a.* I. Despotic, arbitrary, imperi-
**Tyrannical,** } ous, domineering, high, absolute, irresponsible, bound by no law.
2. Cruel, severe, oppressive, grinding, galling, inhuman.
**Tyrannize,** *v. n.* Domineer, act the tyrant, be despotic, exercise arbitrary power, lord it, rule with a rod of iron, carry matters with a high hand.
**Tyranny,** *n.* I. Despotism, absolutism, dictatorship, arbitrary power, despotic rule, autocracy.
2. Oppression, iron rule, reign of terror, cruel government.
**Tyrant,** *n.* I. Despot, absolute ruler, autocrat.
2. Oppressor, cruel master.
3. (*Ornith.*) Tyrant-shrike, tyrant fly-catcher.
**Tyro,** *n.* [Written also *Tiro.*] I. Beginner, novice, learner, neophyte.
2. Sciolist, smatterer, dabbler, half-scholar.
**Tythe,** *n.* See TITHE.
**Tzar,** *n.* Emperor of Russia, czar.
**Tzarina,** *n.* Empress of Russia, czarina, tzaritza.

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**Ubiquitary,** *a.* See UBIQUITOUS.
**Ubiquitous,** *a.* Omnipresent, ubiquitary, universally present.
**Ubiquity,** *n.* Omnipresence, universal presence.
**Udder,** *n.* I. Bag (*of a cow, etc.*).
2. Teat, dug, nipple, pap.
**Udometer,** *n.* Rain-gauge, pluviameter, ombrometer.
**Ugh,** *interj.* Faugh, foh.
**Ugliness,** *n.* I. Want of beauty, homeliness, uncomeliness, plainness, unsightliness, deformity.
2. Turpitude, depravity, loathsomeness, wickedness, enormity.
3. Ill-nature, crossness, ill-temper, viciousness, bad temper, spitefulness.
**Ugly,** *a.* I. Unsightly, plain, homely, ordinary, ill-looking, ill-favored, unprepossessing, uncomely, unlovely.
2. Frightful, horrible, hideous, horrid, shocking, terrible, grewsome, loathsome, monstrous.
3. Cross, ill-tempered, cross-grained, spiteful, vicious, bad-tempered.
**Ulcer,** *n.* Sore (*discharging pus*), fester, imposthume, gathering, boil, pustule.
**Ulcerate,** *v. n.* Fester, suppurate, turn to an ulcer.
**Ulceration,** *n.* I. Formation of an ulcer.
2. Ulcer.
**Ulex,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Furze, gorse, whin.
**Ulmus,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Elm.
**Ulterior,** *a.* I. Beyond, on the farther side.
2. Farther, remoter, more distant.
**Ultima,** *a.* [L.] Most remote, farthest, final, last.
**Ultima,** *n.* Last syllable.
**Ultima ratio.** [L.] The last argument, last reason, last resort.
**Ultima ratio regum.** [L.] War, the last argument of kings.
**Ultimate,** *a.* I. Last, final, farthest, extreme, eventual, most remote.
2. Constituent, incapable of further analysis.
**Ultimate,** *v. a.* and *v. n.* I. Eventuate, end, terminate, issue, conclude.
2. Bring into use, carry into practice.
**Ultimately,** *ad.* Finally, at last, in the end.
**Ultima Thule.** [L.] Farthest limit.
**Ultimatum,** *n.* Final condition, final proposition, last offer.
**Ultimo.** In *or* of last month.
**Ultra,** *a.* I. Beyond.
2. Extreme, radical.
**Ultra,** *n.* Ultraist, extremist, radical.
**Ultraism,** *n.* Extreme views, radicalism.
**Ultraist,** *n.* Extremist, ultra, radical.
**Ultramarine,** *a.* Beyond the sea, foreign.
**Ultramarine,** *n.* Saunders-blue.
**Ultramontane,** *a.* Tramontane, beyond the mountains *or* the Alps.
**Ultramundane,** *a.* Beyond the world, beyond the limits of our world *or* system.
**Ululation,** *n.* Howl, howling, wailing, cry, crying.
**Umbilical cord.** Navel-string.
**Umbra,** *n.* [L.] Shade.
**Umbrage,** *n.* I. Shade, shadow.
2. Offence, resentment, suspicion of injury, pique, grudge.
**Umbrageous,** *a.* I. Shading, shady, affording shade.
2. Shady, dark, shadowy, shaded.
**Umpirage,** *n.* I. Umpireship.
2. Arbitration, arbitrament, intervention.
**Umpire,** *n.* Arbitrator, arbiter, referee, judge.
**Umquhile,** *a.* [*Scotch.*] Former, late, quondam.
**Umquhile,** *ad.* [*Scotch.*] Formerly, some time ago.
**Unabashed,** *a.* Undaunted, bold, undismayed, unflinching, unshrinking.
**Unabated,** *a.* Undiminished.
**Unable,** *a.* Incapable, incompetent, impotent, powerless.
**Unacceptable,** *a.* Unpleasant, disagreeable, displeasing, offensive, unwelcome.
**Unaccommodating,** *a.* Disobliging, ungracious, unfriendly.
**Unaccompanied,** *a.* Unattended, alone.
**Unaccomplished,** *a.* I. Unfinished, incomplete, unexecuted, unperformed, undone, unachieved.
2. Uncultivated, ill-educated, unpolished.
**Unaccountable,** *a.* I. Strange, inexplicable, mysterious, incomprehensible, unintelligible.
2. Irresponsible.
**Unaccredited,** *a.* Unauthorized.
**Unaccustomed,** *a.* I. Unused.
2. New, unfamiliar.
**Unachieved,** *a.* See UNACCOMPLISHED.
**Unacknowledged,** *a.* I. Ignored, unrecognized, unavowed.
2. Unrequited.
**Unacquaintance,** *n.* Ignorance.
**Unadapted,** *a.* Unsuited, unfit.
**Unadorned,** *a.* Simple, plain, unornamented, unembellished.
**Unadulterated,** *a.* Unmixed, genuine, pure, real, true.
**Unadvisable,** *a.* Inexpedient, improper, unfit, unsuitable, objectionable, inappropriate, undesirable.
**Unadvised,** *a.* Imprudent, indiscreet, inconsiderate, rash, thoughtless.
**Unaffected,** *a.* I. Simple, plain, natural, artless, honest, *naïve*, sincere, real, genuine, unfeigned.
2. Simple, plain, natural, chaste, pure, unadorned.
3. Unmoved, untouched, insensible, unstirred.
**Unaided,** *a.* Unassisted, unsupported, single handed, alone.

**Unalloyed,** *a.* Pure, unmixed, genuine, unadulterated.
**Unalterable,** *a.* Unchangeable, immutable, stable.
**Unambiguous,** *a.* Plain, clear, explicit, certain, unequivocal, perspicuous, intelligible, distinct, unmistakable.
**Unamiable,** *a.* Unkind, ungracious, ill-natured, unlovely.
**Unanimity,** *n.* Agreement, harmony, accord, unison, unity, concert, union, unanimousness.
**Unanimous,** *a.* Concordant, agreeing, united, harmonious, like-minded, of one mind.
**Unanswerable,** *a.* Irrefutable, irrefragable, incontrovertible, unquestionable, incontestable, unconfutable, irresistible, conclusive.
**Unanticipated,** *a.* Unexpected, sudden, abrupt, unthought of, unlooked for, unforeseen, unhoped for.
**Unappalled,** *a.* Undismayed, unawed, undaunted, unscared, fearless, intrepid, daring, bold, unflinching, resolute.
**Unappeasable,** *a.* 1. Insatiable, insatiate, that cannot be appeased, inextinguishable.
2. Irreconcilable, implacable.
**Unappreciated,** *a.* Unvalued, unprized.
**Unapprised,** *a.* Uninformed, ignorant, unacquainted, unaware.
**Unapproachable,** *a.* Inaccessible.
**Unapt,** *a.* 1. Inappropriate, unsuitable, unfit, inapposite, inapplicable, irrelevant.
2. Unqualified, incompetent, inapt, ill-qualified, dull, unskilful.
**Unarmed,** *a.* Defenceless, naked, unprotected, unguarded.
**Unassailable,** *a.* Impregnable, inexpugnable, secure from assault, not to be taken by assault *or* by storm, tenable against all odds, unassaultable.
**Unassisted,** *a.* See UNAIDED.
**Unassorted,** *a.* Promiscuous, confused, mingled, mixed, indiscriminate, miscellaneous.
**Unassuming,** *a.* Modest, humble, unpretending, unpretentious, unobtrusive, unostentatious.
**Unatonable,** *a.* Inexpiable, unpardonable, inexcusable, irremissible, that admits of no satisfaction.
**Unattainable,** *a.* Unobtainable, out of reach, inaccessible.
**Unattempted,** *a.* Untried, unproved.
**Unattended,** *a.* Unaccompanied, alone.
**Unattended to.** Neglected, unheeded, unregarded.
**Unattractive,** *a.* Unalluring, uninviting, undesirable, uninteresting, without charm.
**Unauthentic,** *a.* Spurious, counterfeit, suppositious, false, sham, pretended, feigned, fictitious, make-believe, uncanonical.
**Unauthorized,** *a.* Unwarranted, unjustified, undue, unlicensed, unlawful, lawless.
**Unavailing,** *a.* Ineffectual, fruitless, useless, bootless, abortive, vain, futile, inept, nugatory, to no purpose, inutile, of no avail, thrown away, unsuccessful.
**Una voce.** [L.] Unanimously, with one voice, without dissent.
**Unavoidable,** *a.* Inevitable, necessary, that must be suffered.
**Unavowed,** *a.* Unacknowledged.
**Unaware,** *a.* Inattentive, heedless, unconscious, ignorant, insensible.
**Unawares,** *ad.* Unexpectedly, suddenly, abruptly, without warning.
**Unbalanced,** *a.* 1. Not poised, not balanced.
2. Unadjusted (*as accounts*), unsettled.
3. Unsteady, unsound, not sane.
**Unbar,** *v. a.* Unfasten, open, unclose, unbolt.
**Unbearable,** *a.* Intolerable, insufferable, unendurable, insupportable, that cannot be borne *or* endured.
**Unbecoming,** *a.* Indecorous, unsuitable, improper, indecent, unseemly, inappropriate, unfit, unbefitting.
**Unbegotten,** *a.* Eternal, self-existent.
**Unbelief,** *n.* 1. Incredulity, distrust, want of belief, doubt.
2. Scepticism, infidelity, disbelief, free-thinking, refusal to believe.
**Unbeliever,** *n.* 1. Doubter, incredulous person.
2. Sceptic, infidel, disbeliever, deist, free-thinker.
**Unbend,** *v. a.* 1. Straighten, make straight.
2. Relax, slacken, remit, recreate, take recreation, be diverted, be amused.
3. (*Naut.*) Unfasten, untie.
4. (*Naut.*) Cast loose, untie.
**Unbending,** *a.* 1. Inflexible, unyielding, stiff, rigid, unpliant.
2. Unyielding, resolute, rigid, inflexible, firm, obstinate, stubborn.
**Unbenign,** *a.* Malign, malignant.
**Unbeseeming,** *a.* Unbecoming.
**Unbiassed,** *a.* Unprejudiced, impartial, disinterested, neutral, indifferent, unwarped.
**Unbidden,** *a.* 1. Unordered, uncommanded.
2. Spontaneous.
3. Uninvited, unasked, unsolicited, unsought.
**Unbind,** *v. a.* 1. Untie, unloose, loose, unfasten, undo.
2. Unchain, set free, set at liberty, unfetter, release, unshackle.
**Unblamable,** *a.* Blameless, inculpable, irreprovable, irreprehensible, faultless, unexceptionable, irreproachable, guiltless, innocent.
**Unblemished,** *a.* Pure, spotless, stainless, sinless, guileless, innocent, faultless, impeccable, unspotted, immaculate, unsullied, undefiled, untarnished, without a stain.
**Unblessed,** *a.* Unhappy, wretched, accursed.
**Unblushing,** *a.* Bold-faced, impudent, shameless, brazen-faced, brazen-browed.
**Unbolt,** *v. a.* Unbar, undo, unfasten, unlock.
**Unborn,** *a.* Future, to be born, still to appear.
**Unborrowed,** *a.* Native, original, genuine.
**Unbosom,** *v. a.* Reveal, disclose, open, divulge, unfold, communicate, lay bare.
**Unbought,** *a.* 1. Unpurchased.
2. Unpaid, gratuitous.
**Unbound,** *a.* 1. Untied, unfastened, loose.
2. Without a cover (*as a book*).
3. Untrammelled, uncontrolled, unrestrained, unchecked, unconfined, unrestricted, free.
**Unbounded,** *a.* 1. Infinite, interminable, unlimited, boundless, immeasurable, vast, endless, immense, measureless, illimitable.
2. Unrestrained, uncontrolled, unbridled, immoderate.
**Unbowel,** *v. a.* Exenterate, eviscerate, disembowel.
**Unbrace,** *v. a.* 1. Loosen, remit.
2. Relax, enervate, enfeeble, weaken, debilitate, prostrate.
**Unbridled,** *a.* Unrestrained, licentious, lax, violent, uncontrolled, ungovernable.
**Unbroken,** *a.* 1. Round, full, complete, entire.
2. Sound, profound, undisturbed, fast, uninterrupted, continuous.
3. Inviolate, unbetrayed, unviolated.
**Unbuckle,** *v. a.* Unfasten, loose, unloose.
**Unburden,** *v. a.* Relieve, unload, rid of a load.
**Unbury,** *v. a.* Disinter, disentomb, dig up, exhume, uncharnel.
**Uncandid,** *a.* Disingenuous, unfair, insincere.
**Uncanny,** *a.* [*Scotch.*] Unpropitious, unsafe, inopportune, out of the way, bad.

**Uncanonical,** *a.* Unauthentic, legendary, apocryphal, of doubtful authority.
**Uncared for.** Neglected, unattended to, unprovided for, unheeded.
**Uncautious,** *a.* Incautious, indiscreet, unwary, heedless.
**Unceasing,** *a.* Incessant, constant, continual, perpetual, uninterrupted, unremitting, unintermitting, unending.
**Unceremonious,** *a.* 1. Ungracious, blunt, bluff, rough, plain, homely, rude, coarse.
2. Informal, familiar, unconstrained.
**Uncertain,** *a.* 1. Equivocal, doubtful, dubious, unsettled, indistinct, ambiguous, indefinite, questionable.
2. Unreliable, insecure, precarious, problematical.
3. Not sure, not confident, doubtful, dubious.
4. Irregular, unpunctual, capricious, desultory, fitful, variable, changeable, mutable, slippery, shaky, unsettled.
**Uncertainty,** *n.* 1. Doubt, dubiousness, incertitude, doubtfulness, ambiguity, obscurity, vagueness.
2. Contingency.
3. Doubtfulness, dubiousness, doubt.
4. Irregularity, variableness, changeableness, capriciousness.
**Unchain,** *v. a.* Unbind, unshackle, set free, liberate, set at liberty.
**Unchallenged,** *a.* Undisputed, uncontradicted, unquestioned, uncontroverted.
**Unchangeable,** *a.* Changeless, immutable, unalterable, invariable.
**Unchanged,** *a.* Unaltered, unvaried.
**Unchanging,** *a.* Unvarying.
**Uncharitable,** *a.* Harsh, censorious, unkind, illiberal, severe.
**Unchaste,** *a.* Dissolute, libidinous, lascivious, licentious, lecherous, incontinent, loose, lewd, wanton, obscene.
**Unchastity,** *n.* Dissoluteness, libidinousness, incontinence, lewdness, wantonness, lechery.
**Unchecked,** *a.* Unrestrained, unhampered, untrammelled, unobstructed, unhindered, unprevented, uncurbed.
**Unchristian,** *a.* 1. Infidel, unchristianized.
2. Irreligious, unholy, ungodly, unchristianlike, unkind, uncharitable, unrighteous, evil, wicked, sinful, unbecoming a Christian.
**Uncircumspect,** *a.* Imprudent, unguarded, unwary, inconsiderate, careless, heedless, thoughtless, headlong, reckless, indiscreet, incautious, giddy, flighty, unsteady, wild, giddy-brained, hare-brained.
**Uncivil,** *a.* Rude, impolite, uncourteous, discourteous, unmannerly, ungentle, unmannered, ungracious, disrespectful, rough, irreverent, blunt, gruff, bearish, ill-mannered, ill-bred, unseemly, uncouth, boorish, clownish, churlish, uncomplaisant, brusk *or* brusque.
**Uncivilized,** *a.* Rude, barbarous, savage.
**Unclayed sugar.** Muscovado.
**Unclean,** *a.* 1. Foul, dirty, filthy, nasty, uncleanly.
2. (*Jewish Law.*) Ceremonially impure, needing ritual cleansing, impure.
3. Sinful, morally impure, foul with sin, unholy, polluted.
**Uncleanly,** *a.* 1. Foul, filthy, unclean, dirty, nasty.
2. Unchaste, indecent, impure, obscene.
**Uncleanness,** *n.* 1. Foulness, defilement, impurity, dirtiness, filthiness, nastiness, pollution, abomination.
2. (*Jewish Law.*) Impurity, pollution.
3. Moral impurity, defilement by sin, sinfulness, unholiness, pollution.
**Unclench,** *v. a.* Unclinch, open.
**Unclew,** *v. a.* Undo, unwind, unfold, untie.
**Unclose,** *v. a.* 1. Open, break the seal of.
2. Open, disclose, lay open.
**Unclothed,** *a.* Undressed, uncovered, naked, bare, stark naked, in a state of nature, *in puris naturalibus.*
**Unclouded,** *a.* Clear, bright, sunny, cloudless, unobscured.
**Uncoil,** *v. a.* Unwind.
**Uncolored,** *a.* Colorless, untinged, unstained, hueless, achromatic, free from color.
**Uncomely,** *a.* Homely, plain, unlovely, ill-favored, ugly.
**Uncomfortable,** *a.* 1. Disagreeable, displeasing, unpleasant, uneasy.
2. Close (*as the weather*), oppressive.
3. Dismal, miserable, unhappy, cheerless, uneasy.
**Uncommanded,** *a.* Unordered, unbidden.
**Uncommon,** *a.* Rare, unusual, odd, unwonted, infrequent, strange, queer, singular, remarkable, out of the way, exceptional, extraordinary, noteworthy.
**Uncommonly,** *a.* Unusually, remarkably, singularly, particularly, peculiarly, notably.
**Uncommunicative,** *a.* Reserved, taciturn, close, inconversable, unsociable, reticent, incommunicative, sparing of words, of few words.
**Uncompassionate,** *a.* Ruthless, merciless, pitiless, hard-hearted, cruel, unpitying, unmerciful, harsh.
**Uncompelled,** *a.* Spontaneous, voluntary, unbidden, unconstrained, willing, gratuitous, free, of one's own accord.
**Uncomplaining,** *a.* Patient, long-suffering, meek, tolerant, resigned.
**Uncomplaisant,** *a.* Uncivil, disagreeable.
**Uncomplimentary,** *a.* Blunt, brusk, frank, candid, plain-spoken, unflattering.
**Uncomplying,** *a.* Unbending, unyielding, stubborn, rigid, stiff, inflexible.
**Uncompounded,** *a.* Unmixed, incomposite, simple, single.
**Uncompromising,** *a.* Unyielding, obstinate, inflexible, stiff, rigid, strict.
**Unconcealed,** *a.* Open, plain, manifest, evident, naked.
**Unconcern,** *n.* Indifference, carelessness, coolness, nonchalance, *insouciance.*
**Unconcerned,** *a.* Indifferent, careless, cool, unsolicitous, unmoved, apathetic, easy in mind, nonchalant.
**Unconditional,** *a.* 1. Unrestricted, unlimited, complete, absolute, unqualified, unreserved, full, entire, positive, categorical.
2. (*Log.*) Categorical, positive, explicit, nonhypothetical
**Unconditioned,** *a.* 1. Not conditioned.
2. Infinite, inconceivable, incogitable.
**Unconfined,** *a.* Unrestrained, uncontrolled, unrestricted, free, unchecked, unbound, untrammelled.
**Unconformable,** *a.* Irregular, dissimilar, unlike, incongruous, aberrant, exceptional, erratic.
**Uncongenial,** *a.* Unharmonious, ill-assorted, unsuited, discordant, unsympathetic, antagonistic.
**Unconnected,** *a.* Disconnected, inconsequent, disjoined, irrelevant.
**Unconnected with.** Unrelated to, independent of, unallied with.
**Unconquerable,** *a.* 1. Invincible, indomitable.
2. Insuperable, insurmountable.
**Unconquerableness,** *n.* Invincibility, invincibleness, indomitableness.
**Unconscionable,** *a.* 1. Unreasonable, inordinate, excessive, exorbitant, extravagant, preposterous.

2. Enormous, vast, immense, monstrous, prodigious.

**Unconscious,** *a.* 1. Insensible, senseless.
2. Imperceptible, insensible, imperceivable.
3. Ignorant, unaware.
4. Artless, natural, ingenuous, simple, *naïve.*

**Unconsciously,** *ad.* Unwittingly, ignorantly.

**Unconsciousness,** *n.* 1. Insensibility, senselessness.
2. Ignorance.
3. Artlessness, ingenuousness, absence of consciousness, simplicity.

**Unconstitutional,** *a.* Illegal, unwarrantable, unauthorized by the constitution, unlawful.

**Unconstrained,** *a.* 1. Uncompelled, unforced.
2. Free, easy, natural, spontaneous, voluntary.

**Uncontrollable,** *a.* Ungovernable, irrepressible, rampant, headstrong, violent, unruly, unmanageable.

**Unconventional,** *a.* Informal, unusual, peculiar, odd, lawless, eccentric, untrained, original, erratic.

**Unconversable,** *a.* Unsociable, uncommunicative, incommunicative, taciturn, close, reserved, reticent.

**Unconvincing,** *a.* Inconclusive, indecisive.

**Uncooked,** *a.* Raw.

**Uncorrupt,** *a.* Upright, honest, true, virtuous, honorable, impartial, even-handed, straightforward.

**Uncourteous,** *a.* Impolite, uncivil, disrespectful, unmannerly, rude, uncourtly, discourteous, inurbane, bearish, ill-mannered, ill-bred, ill-behaved.

**Uncourtly,** *a.* 1. Rustic, awkward, unrefined, homely, homespun, provincial, inelegant, countrified, unpolished.
2. See UNCOURTEOUS.

**Uncouth,** *a.* 1. Rustic, awkward, boorish, clownish, loutish, clumsy, unseemly, unrefined, uncourtly, lubberly, rude, gawky, inelegant, ungainly.
2. Unfamiliar, unusual, strange, odd, outlandish.

**Uncover,** *v. a.* 1. Strip, lay bare, lay open, divest of covering, denude.
2. Disclose, reveal, discover, unmask, expose.
3. Bare, take the cover off.
4. Open, unclose.

**Uncover,** *v. n.* Take off the hat (*in token of respect*), bare the head.

**Uncrown,** *v. a.* Discrown, dethrone, depose.

**Unction,** *n.* 1. Anointing, smearing, rubbing.
2. (*Rare.*) Unguent, ointment.
3. Fervor, warmth, ardor, fervency, earnestness, passion, enthusiasm, power, force, spirit, energy, *verve*, emotion, devotional feeling.

**Unctuosity,** *n.* (*Rare.*) See UNCTUOUSNESS.

**Unctuous,** *a.* 1. Greasy, oily, fatty, fat, oleaginous, adipose, adipous, sebaceous, pinguid, butyraceous, unguinous.
2. Smooth, bland, slippery, lubric, lubricous.
3. (*In a bad* or *offensive sense.*) Smooth, bland, suave, over-complaisant, oily, plausible, sycophantic, sycophantish, parasitic, obsequious, adulatory, fawning, servile.
4. (*Also in a bad sense.*) Fervid, over-fervid, full of unction, gushing, of affected warmth.

**Unctuousness,** *n.* 1. Oiliness, greasiness, fatness, unctuosity, fattiness.
2. Oiliness, smoothness, fulsomeness.

**Uncultivable,** *a.* Sterile, barren, uncultivatable.

**Uncultivated,** *a.* 1. Untilled, uncultured.
2. Rude, uncivilized, unlettered, ignorant, unpolished, uneducated, uncultured.
3. Wild, savage, rough, sylvan.

**Uncurrent,** *a.* That does not pass (*in payment*), not receivable at par, not current.

**Undamaged,** *a.* Uninjured, unhurt, unimpaired.

**Undaunted,** *a.* Bold, intrepid, fearless, brave, courageous, resolute, undismayed, unterrified, unappalled, unawed, dauntless.

**Undebased,** *a.* Unadulterated, pure, unalloyed.

**Undecaying,** *a.* Enduring, unfading, lasting, undying, amaranthine, imperishable, perennial, immortal, ever-vernal, ever-blooming.

**Undeceive,** *v. a.* Set right, correct, open the eyes of, disabuse, free from mistake, disengage from fallacy.

**Undecided,** *a.* 1. Undetermined, unsettled, pending, in suspense.
2. Uncertain, irresolute, undetermined, doubtful, dubious.

**Undecipherable,** *a.* Illegible, indistinct, puzzling, unintelligible.

**Undeclared,** *a.* Tacit, implied, silent, understood, unproclaimed.

**Undefended,** *a.* Unprotected, unguarded.

**Undefiled,** *a.* 1. Pure, spotless, stainless, unblemished, unspotted, unsullied, immaculate, untarnished, without a stain, clean.
2. Innocent, pure, stainless, unstained, clean, unblemished, uncorrupted, unspotted, honest, honorable, unsullied.

**Undefined,** *a.* 1. Unbounded, limitless, boundless.
2. Indistinct, indeterminate, indefinite.

**Undemonstrative,** *a.* Reserved, quiet, modest, staid, sober, demure, sedate, placid, calm, composed.

**Undeniable,** *a.* Indisputable, indubitable, incontrovertible, unquestionable, incontestable, irrefragable, evident, obvious, beyond all question, beyond a doubt, past dispute, unimpeachable, certain.

**Under,** *prep.* 1. Beneath, below.
2. Subordinate to, subject to, in subordination to.
3. In a less degree than.
4. For that which is less than.
5. Below, less than, with less than.
6. By means of.
7. Inferior to, in a state of inferiority to.
8. While burdened with, under the load of.
9. When exposed to, while suffering.
10. In a state of being liable to, subject to.
11. In, in the state *or* condition of.
12. Attested by, authorized by, signed by.
13. Subjected to, being the subject of.
14. Not having reached *or* arrived at.
15. Bearing, represented by.

**Under,** *a.* Lower in rank *or* degree, subject, subordinate, inferior.

**Under,** *ad.* In subjection.

**Under age.** In one's minority.

**Under arms.** Armed for fighting, ready for battle.

**Under bare poles.** (*Naut.*) With no sails set.

**Underbred,** *a.* Unmannerly, uncivil.

**Underbrush,** *n.* Undergrowth, underwood.

**Underdone,** *a.* Rare, done *or* cooked rare, moderately cooked.

**Underestimate,** *v. a.* Undervalue, underrate, misprize, rate below the true value, rate too low.

**Under fire.** Exposed to fire (*of shot by an enemy*).

**Underfoot,** *a.* Under the feet.

**Undergo,** *v. a.* Bear, suffer, endure, sustain, experience, pass through, go through, meet with, be exposed to, be subjected to.

**Under ground.** Below the surface of the ground.

**Underground,** *a.* Subterranean, subterraneous.

**Undergrowth,** *n.* Underbrush, underwood.

**Underhand,** *ad.* 1. Secretly, privately, clandestinely, underhandedly, in a clandestine manner, by secret means.

2. Fraudulently, by fraudulent means, surreptitiously, unfairly.

**Underhand,** *a.* Secret, sly, clandestine, disingenuous, unfair, fraudulent, underhanded, surreptitious.

**Underhanded,** *a.* See UNDERHAND, *a.*

**Underhandedly,** *ad.* See UNDERHAND, *ad.*

**Underived,** *a.* 1. Original, primeval, aboriginal, primary, first.
2. Radical, primitive.

**Underjaw,** *n.* Lower jaw.

**Underlease,** *n.* (*Law.*) Sublease.

**Underlet,** *v. a.* Sublet, let *or* lease at second hand.

**Underlie,** *v. a.* 1. Lie under, rest beneath, be situated under.
2. Support, be at the basis of.

**Underline,** *v. a.* Underscore, draw a line under.

**Underling,** *n.* Understrapper, fag, servant, inferior agent, subordinate.

**Undermine,** *v. a.* 1. Sap, mine.
2. Ruin secretly, sap the foundations of.

**Undermost,** *a.* Lowest.

**Underneath,** *prep.* Under, beneath, below.

**Underneath,** *ad.* Below, under, beneath.

**Under one's own hand.** } Having the name,
**Under one's signature.** } sign, *or* mark written, attested by, signed by.

**Underplot,** *n.* 1. Subordinate plot.
2. Secret plot, clandestine scheme.

**Underprop,** *v. a.* Support, uphold, sustain.

**Underrate,** *v. a.* Undervalue, misprize, underestimate, rate below the true value, rate too low, underprize.

**Under sail.** (*Naut.*) Moved by sails, in motion.

**Underscore,** *v. a.* Underline, draw a line under.

**Undersell,** *v. a.* Sell cheaper than.

**Under sentence.** Having sentence pronounced against.

**Undersign,** *v. a.* Subscribe, underwrite.

**Undersized,** *a.* Small, dwarfish, little, stunted.

**Undersoil,** *n.* Subsoil.

**Understand,** *v. a.* 1. Apprehend, conceive, perceive, know, penetrate, discern, see, comprehend, have knowledge of, see through, make out.
2. Be informed, be apprised, learn.
3. Interpret, take, suppose to mean.
4. Mean, imply.

**Understand,** *v. n.* 1. Be an intelligent being, have understanding.
2. Learn, hear, be apprised, be informed.

**Understanding,** *n.* 1. Intellect, mind, reason, sense, brains, thinking principle, reasoning faculty, rational faculty, discursive faculty, intellectual powers, intellectual faculties.
2. Intelligence, apprehension, comprehension, perception, knowledge, discernment, judgment, notion, idea.
3. Agreement, accord, unanimity.

**Understandingly,** *ad.* Intelligibly, intelligently, with full knowledge, with the eyes open.

**Understate,** *v. a.* State too low.

**Understrapper,** *n.* Underling, fag, servant, inferior agent.

**Undertake,** *v. a.* Attempt, set about, engage in, embark in, enter upon, take in hand, take upon one's self, take on one's shoulders.

**Undertake,** *v. n.* Engage, agree, guarantee, stipulate, bargain, promise, be bound, be sworn, pledge one's self, pledge one's word, plight one's word, pass one's word, take upon one's self.

**Undertaking,** *n.* Enterprise, engagement, attempt, adventure, endeavor, effort.

**Under the breath.** Softly, in a low voice, *sotto voce.*

**Under the rose.** Privately, secretly, *sub rosa.*

**Under the sun.** In the world, on the earth.

**Under the weather.** Ill, sick, unwell, indisposed, ailing, out of sorts, on the sick list, laid on the shelf.

**Undervalue,** *v. a.* 1. Underrate, misprize, rate below the true value, rate too low.
2. Despise, depreciate, esteem lightly, hold in low estimation.

**Under water.** Below the surface of the water.

**Under way.** (*Naut.*) Having started in a condition to make progress, moving.

**Underwitted,** *a.* Sappy, silly, half-witted, foolish.

**Underwood,** *n.* Underbrush, undergrowth, coppice.

**Underwrite,** *v. a.* 1. Subscribe, undersign.
2. Insure.

**Underwriter,** *n.* Insurer.

**Undeserved,** *a.* Unmerited, not deserved.

**Undesigned,** *a.* Unintentional, unintended, unpremeditated.

**Undesigning,** *a.* Sincere, upright, artless, simple, straightforward, unsophisticated, ingenuous, guileless.

**Undesirable,** *a.* 1. Inexpedient, inadvisable.
2. Unwelcome, distasteful, objectionable, unacceptable.

**Undetermined,** *a.* 1. Unsettled, undecided, uncertain.
2. Wavering, hesitating, irresolute.
3. Unbounded, undefined, unlimited, indeterminate.

**Undeveloped,** *a.* Latent, in embryo.

**Undeviating,** *a.* 1. Straight, straightforward, direct, unswerving.
2. Steady, regular, steadfast.

**Undigested,** *a.* Crude, raw.

**Undignified,** *a.* 1. Unbecoming, unbefitting, unseemly.
2. Without dignity.

**Undiminished,** *a.* Unlessened, unimpaired, unabated.

**Undimmed,** *a.* Clear, bright.

**Undiscernible,** *a.* Invisible, imperceptible, undiscoverable, indiscernible.

**Undiscerning,** *a.* 1. Blind, purblind.
2. Stupid, dull, unintelligent, unenlightened, unattentive, unheeding.

**Undisciplined,** *a.* 1. Untrained, unpractised, undrilled, inexperienced, raw.
2. Untrained, untaught, unschooled, untutored, uninstructed.

**Undiscouraged,** *a.* Undismayed, undispirited, undisheartened.

**Undiscoverable,** *a.* 1. Undiscernible, that cannot be discovered.
2. Inscrutable, unsearchable, hidden, unfathomable, unknowable, occult, mysterious, past *or* above comprehension.

**Undisguised,** *a.* Open, ingenuous, unreserved, plain, frank, sincere, honest, true.

**Undismayed,** *a.* Undaunted, unawed, unappalled, fearless, bold, courageous, brave, intrepid.

**Undisputed,** *a.* See UNDOUBTED.

**Undissembling,** *a.* Sincere, honest, ingenuous, artless, guileless, open, frank, candid, hearty, straightforward, open-hearted, unaffected, ingenuous.

**Undistinguishable,** *a.* Indistinct, indeterminate, confused, indistinguishable, that cannot be distinguished.

**Undisturbed,** *a.* Calm, placid, quiet, tranquil, serene, peaceful, unmoved, unruffled, composed.

**Undivided,** *a.* 1. Whole, entire, complete.
2. United, one.

**Undo,** *v. a.* 1. Annul, invalidate, reverse, neutralize, nullify, frustrate, bring to naught.
2. Loose, unfasten, untie, disengage, open, unfold, disentangle, unravel.

3. Ruin, destroy.
4. Impoverish, bring to poverty.

**Undoing,** *n.* Ruin, destruction.

**Undomesticated,** *a.* Wild, not tame.

**Undoubted,** *a.* Indisputable, indubitable, undisputed, incontrovertible, unquestionable, unquestioned.

**Undoubting,** *a.* Sure, confident.

**Undress,** *v. a.* Disrobe, strip, divest of clothes.

**Undress,** *n.* Dishabille, loose dress, ordinary dress.

**Undrilled,** *a.* Untrained, unpractised, undisciplined, unschooled, inexperienced.

**Undue,** *a.* 1. Improper, illegitimate, illegal, unlawful.
2. Unsuitable, improper, excessive, inordinate, immoderate, disproportioned.
3. Unfit, unsuitable.

**Undulate,** *v. n.* Wave, fluctuate, move up and down.

**Undulating,** *a.* Waving, wavy, undulatory, rolling.

**Undulation,** *n.* Wave, fluctuation, ripple, rimple, wave-like motion.

**Undulatory,** *a.* Undulating, waving, wavy.

**Unduly,** *ad.* Excessively, in an undue manner, improperly.

**Undutiful,** *a.* Disobedient, unfilial, disloyal, unfaithful.

**Undying,** *a.* Deathless, imperishable, immortal, never-dying, ever-living.

**Unearth,** *v. a.* 1. Uncover, draw from the earth.
2. Bring to light, disclose, bring out from concealment, ferret out, find out, draw out.

**Unearthly,** *a.* Supernatural, preternatural, weird.

**Uneasiness,** *n.* Disquiet, restlessness, inquietude, anxiety, disquietude, perturbation, trouble, perplexity.

**Uneasy,** *a.* 1. Restless, restive, unquiet, disturbed, impatient, ill at ease.
2. Constrained, stiff, awkward, ungraceful, ungainly.
3. Disagreeable, unpleasing, constraining, cramping, uncomfortable.

**Uneducated,** *a.* Illiterate, unlettered, unlearned, untaught, uncultivated, uninstructed, unenlightened, ignorant, rude, uninformed.

**Unembarrassed,** *a.* 1. Unencumbered, unburdened, untrammelled.
2. Easy, unconstrained, *dégagé.*

**Unemployed,** *a.* 1. Unoccupied, doing nothing, out of employment, idle.
2. Disused.

**Unencumbered,** *a.* See UNEMBARRASSED.

**Unending,** *a.* Everlasting, ever-enduring, eternal, perpetual, endless, sempiternal, unceasing, interminable, ceaseless, never-ending.

**Unendurable,** *a.* Insufferable, intolerable, insupportable, unbearable.

**Unenlightened,** *a.* See UNEDUCATED.

**Unenviable,** *a.* Undesirable, disagreeable, unpleasant.

**Unequal,** *a.* 1. Uneven, not alike.
2. Inferior.
3. Disproportioned, ill-matched.
4. Irregular, not equable, not uniform.
5. Inadequate, insufficient.
6. (*Bot.*) Inequilateral.

**Unequalled,** *a.* Unmatched, matchless, unparalleled, unexampled, unparagoned, peerless, unsurpassed, unrivalled, exceeding, surpassing, superlative, transcendent, incomparable, inimitable, paramount, pre-eminent.

**Unequivocal,** *a.* 1. Indubitable, incontestable, clear, plain, evident, certain, positive, absolute.
2. Unmistakable, unambiguous, explicit.

**Unerring,** *a.* 1. Infallible, incapable of error.
2. Certain, sure, exact, accurate.

**Unessential,** *a.* Unimportant, immaterial, non-essential, of no account, of no consequence, of no moment, unnecessary.

**Uneven,** *a.* 1. Rough, ragged, jagged, rugged.
2. Unequal.
3. Odd, not exactly divisible by 2.

**Uneventful,** *a.* Quiet, commonplace, uninteresting, uncheckered, dull, monotonous, humdrum, eventless.

**Unexampled,** *a.* Unprecedented, unparalleled.

**Unexcelled,** *a.* Unsurpassed, unrivalled.

**Unexceptionable,** *a.* Unobjectionable, good, excellent, faultless, irreproachable.

**Unexpected,** *a.* Sudden, abrupt, unanticipated, unlooked for, unthought of, unforeseen.

**Unexpensive,** *a.* Cheap, moderate, low-priced, inexpensive.

**Unexperienced,** *a.* Inexperienced, unpractised, untrained, unschooled, uninitiated, raw, unversed, undisciplined, unskilled, green, without experience.

**Unexpressive,** *a.* Inexpressive, characterless, blank, unmeaning.

**Unfading,** *a.* Perennial, undecaying, lasting, enduring, amaranthine.

**Unfailing,** *a.* Inexhaustible, exhaustless, certain, constant, never-failing.

**Unfair,** *a.* Unjust, inequitable, partial, dishonest, dishonorable, disingenuous, one-sided, unequal, insincere, uncandid, false, hypocritical, faithless, truthless.

**Unfairness,** *n.* Injustice.

**Unfaithful,** *a.* 1. Faithless, treacherous, perfidious, unreliable, derelict, false, deceitful, disloyal, recreant, treasonable, undutiful, false-hearted, untrustworthy.
2. Negligent, careless, untrustworthy, unreliable.
3. Fickle, untrue, inconstant, changeable, faithless.

**Unfaltering,** *a.* Firm, resolute, steadfast, determined, unwavering, unhesitating, unswerving, steady.

**Unfamiliar,** *a.* 1. Unusual, uncommon, strange, singular, queer, unheard of, out of the way.
2. Unaccustomed, unacquainted, inconversant.

**Unfashionable,** *a.* Obsolete, disused, antiquated, old-fashioned, out of use, out of fashion, out of date, fallen into desuetude.

**Unfasten,** *v. a.* Loose, unloose, untie, unbind, unclasp, unlace, undo, unfix.

**Unfathomable,** *a.* 1. Fathomless, bottomless, soundless, very deep, very profound, abysmal.
2. Inscrutable, unsearchable, impenetrable, mysterious.

**Unfavorable,** *a.* Adverse, contrary, malign, unpropitious, inauspicious, discouraging, inimical.

**Unfeasible,** *a.* Impracticable, infeasible, that cannot be accomplished *or* done.

**Unfeathered,** *a.* Unfledged, callow.

**Unfeeling,** *a.* 1. Insensible, torpid, numb, apathetic, callous, insensate, without sensibility.
2. Cruel, unkind, unsympathizing, unsympathetic, hard, hard-hearted, cold-blooded, cold-hearted

**Unfeigned,** *a.* Real, sincere, sterling, true, undisguised, genuine, unaffected, honest.

**Unfeminine,** *a.* 1. Unwomanly, mannish, bold.
2. Unwomanly, indelicate, rude, coarse.

**Unfetter,** *v. a.* Unshackle, unbind, set free, loose, set at liberty.

**Unfettered,** *a.* Free, unrestrained, unshackled, untrammelled.

**Unfilial,** *a.* Undutiful, disobedient, ungrateful.

**Unfinished,** *a.* 1. Incomplete, unexecuted, unaccomplished, unperformed.

2. Incomplete, imperfect, uncompleted.
**Unfit,** *a.* 1. Not fit, not in suitable condition.
2. Unsuitable, inappropriate.
3. Inapposite, inapt, unsuitable, inappropriate, irrelevant.
4. Improper, unbecoming, unseemly, unsuitable.
5. Unqualified, incapable, unequal.
**Unfit,** *v. a.* Disqualify, make unfit, incapacitate.
**Unfix,** *v. a.* 1. Unsettle, unhinge.
2. Loosen, take off, undo.
**Unflagging,** *a.* Untiring, unremitting, unwearied, indefatigable, persevering, undrooping, nevertiring, unfaltering, constant, steady.
**Unflattering,** *a.* Frank, candid, uncomplimentary, blunt, plain-speaking, brusk.
**Unfledged,** *a.* 1. Unfeathered, callow.
2. Inexperienced, raw, green, untried.
**Unflinching,** *a.* Resolute, firm, steady, unshrinking.
**Unfold,** *v. a.* 1. Expand, open, unroll, spread out.
2. Reveal, disclose, declare, divulge, tell.
3. Decipher, unravel, unriddle, explain, resolve, disentangle, interpret, evolve, illustrate, make known, set forth, make clear.
4. Display, spread out, set to view.
5. Release, dismiss from a fold.
**Unforced,** *a.* 1. Willing, unconstrained, uncompelled.
2. Free, unurged, nothing loath.
3. Natural, unfeigned, spontaneous.
4. Easy, ready, voluntary, willing.
**Unforeseen,** *a.* Unexpected, unlooked for, unanticipated.
**Unforgiving,** *a.* Implacable, inexorable, relentless, hard, stony-hearted, unrelenting.
**Unforgotten,** *a.* Remembered, recollected, cherished in the memory.
**Unformed,** *a.* Shapeless, unfashioned, unshaped.
**Unfortunate,** *a.* 1. Unsuccessful, unprosperous, unlucky, luckless, ill-fated, ill-starred, hapless.
2. Disastrous, calamitous, unhappy, deplorable.
3. Infelicitous, inappropriate, inopportune, unlucky.
**Unfounded,** *a.* 1. Unestablished, unbuilt.
2. Baseless, idle, vain, groundless, false, ungrounded, unsubstantial.
**Unfrequent,** *a.* Uncommon, rare, infrequent.
**Unfrequented,** *a.* Uninhabited, unoccupied, deserted, lone, solitary, rarely visited.
**Unfriended,** *a.* Friendless, forlorn, solitary, desolate.
**Unfriendliness,** *n.* Disfavor, unkindness.
**Unfriendly,** *a.* 1. Unkind, hostile, inimical, malevolent, antagonistic, ill-disposed.
2. Unfavorable, inimical, adverse, hostile.
**Unfruitful,** *a.* 1. Barren, fruitless, acarpous, sterile.
2. Barren, unprolific, sterile, infecund.
3. Fruitless, unprofitable, unproductive, barren.
4. Unproductive, barren, unprolific, sterile, unfertile, fruitless.
**Unfulfilled,** *a.* Unaccomplished, unperformed, neglected, unobserved, unredeemed.
**Unfurl,** *v. a.* Open, display, spread out, give to the breeze, expand, unfold.
**Unfurnished,** *a.* Empty, bare, unsupplied.
**Ungainly,** *a.* Clumsy, awkward, uncouth, uncourtly, inelegant, clownish, boorish, gawky, loutish, lubberly, lumbering, slouching, ungraceful, stiff.
**Ungallant,** *a.* Unchivalrous, ungentle, ungracious, uncourtly, unhandsome, churlish.
**Ungenerous,** *a.* 1. Illiberal, stingy, mean, sordid, selfish.
2. Ignoble, ignominious, unkind, base, churlish.
**Ungentle,** *a.* Harsh, rude, impolite, uncourteous, uncivil.
**Ungentlemanly,** *a.* Uncivil, impolite, uncourteous, discourteous, rude, rough, coarse, bearish, boorish, ungentle, ill-bred, ill-mannered, unmannerly, churlish
**Ungodly,** *a.* 1. Wicked, impious, sinful, unrighteous, godless, vicious, profane, reprobate, depraved, vile, bad, evil.
2. Unhallowed, unsanctified, unholy, polluted.
**Ungovernable,** *a.* Unruly, refractory, uncontrollable, intractable, unmanageable, irrepressible, rebellious, mutinous, wild, unbridled, rampant, headstrong, infuriate, mad, frantic, furious, violent, impetuous, vehement.
**Ungoverned,** *a.* 1. Without government.
2. Uncontrolled, unbridled, uncurbed, licentious.
**Ungraceful,** *a.* Stiff, constrained, awkward, clumsy, inelegant, ungainly, uncouth, gawky.
**Ungracious,** *a.* 1. Uncivil, unkind, impolite, rude, rough, unfriendly, disobliging, churlish, unamiable.
2. Unpleasing, disagreeable, ungrateful, offensive, unacceptable, unpleasant, thankless.
**Ungrammatical,** *a.* Incorrect, inaccurate, faulty, without regard to the rules of grammar.
**Ungrateful,** *a.* 1. Unthankful, thankless, without gratitude.
2. Unpleasing, offensive, disagreeable, unacceptable, unwelcome, thankless.
**Ungratefulness,** *n.* 1. Ingratitude, unthankfulness, thanklessness.
2. Unacceptableness, disagreeableness.
**Ungrounded,** *a.* Unfounded, baseless, without foundation, groundless.
**Ungrudgingly,** *ad.* Heartily, cheerfully, willingly, freely, generously, unsparingly.
**Ungual,** *a.* Ungueal, unguical, unguicular.
**Unguarded,** *a.* 1. Undefended, unprotected, defenceless, naked.
2. Careless, incautious, thoughtless.
**Unguent,** *n.* Ointment, unction, *unguentum.*
**Unguiculate,** / **Unguiculated,** } *a.* Clawed, having claws.
**Unguiform,** *a.* Claw-shaped.
**Unguinous,** *a.* Oily, unctuous, oleaginous.
**Unguis,** *n.* 1. Finger-nail.
2. Hoof.
3. Claw.
4. (*Bot.*) Claw, ungula.
**Ungulate,** *a.* 1. Hoof-shaped.
2. Hoof-bearing.
**Unhackneyed,** *a.* Fresh, new, recent, novel.
**Unhallowed,** *a.* Unsanctified, unholy, profane, impure, polluted, wicked.
**Unhandsome,** *a.* 1. Plain, ugly, ill-looking, uncomely, homely.
2. Unbecoming, unsuitable, ungraceful, undignified.
3. Unfair, illiberal, disingenuous, ungenerous.
4. Uncivil, impolite, churlish.
**Unhandy,** *a.* 1. Awkward, unskilful, clumsy, bungling, maladroit, inexpert, inapt, *gauche.*
2. Inconvenient, uncomfortable, awkward.
**Unhappily,** *ad.* 1. Unfortunately, unluckily.
2. Miserably, wretchedly, calamitously.
**Unhappiness,** *n.* 1. Wretchedness, misery, distress, affliction, woe, infelicity.
2. Misfortune, calamity, disaster.
**Unhappy,** *a.* 1. Unfortunate, unlucky, infelicitous.
2. Wretched, miserable, distressed, afflicted, sorrowful, heart-sick.
3. Grievous, disastrous, calamitous, severe, trying, painful, unfortunate, unlucky, sad, afflicting, afflictive, distressing, deplorable, dire.

4. Unpropitious, unlucky, malign, inauspicious, sinister, evil.

**Unharmed,** *a.* Uninjured, unhurt, unscathed, undamaged.

**Unharmonious,** *a.* 1. Discordant, dissonant, unmusical, inharmonic, inharmonical, inharmonious, out of tune.

2. Discordant, dissonant, disagreeing, at variance.

**Unhealthful,** *a.* Unwholesome, insalubrious, unhealthy, noxious.

**Unhealthy,** *a.* 1. Unsound, diseased, sickly, out of health, valetudinary, valetudinarian.

2. Unsound, diseased, sickly.

3. Sickly.

4. Unwholesome, insalubrious, deleterious, poisonous, morbific, unhealthful, noxious, unfavorable to health.

5. Morbid, indicative of disease.

**Unheard of.** 1. Obscure, unknown to fame.

2. Novel, unexampled, unprecedented, unusual, uncommon, exceptional, abnormal, unwonted, singular, surprising, out of the way, strange.

**Unheeded,** *a.* Disregarded, unnoticed, ignored, overlooked, neglected.

**Unheedfully,** *ad.* Carelessly, negligently.

**Unheeding,** *a.* Careless, heedless, unmindful, regardless.

**Unhelped,** *a.* Unaided, unassisted.

**Unhesitating,** *a.* Prompt, ready, immediate.

**Unhindered,** *a.* Unobstructed, unimpeded, unchecked.

**Unhinge,** *v. a.* 1. Remove from the hinges.

2. Disorder, confuse, derange, unsettle, shatter.

3. Displace, unfix.

**Unhitch,** *v. a.* Unfasten, loose.

**Unholy,** *a.* 1. Unhallowed, unsanctified, profane, ungodly.

2. Undevout, irreligious, ungodly, impious, irreverent, wicked, sinful, profane, evil.

**Unhonored,** *a.* Inglorious, renowmless.

**Unhorse,** *v. a.* Dismount, throw from a horse.

**Unhurt,** *a.* Uninjured, unharmed, safe and sound, safe.

**Unicorn-fish,** *n.* (*Ich.*) Sea-unicorn, narwhal, unicorn-whale.

**Unideal,** *a.* Real, actual, material, substantial.

**Unification,** *n.* Union, junction (*so as to become one*), incorporation.

**Uniflorous,** *a.* (*Bot.*) One-flowered.

**Unifoliate,** *a.* (*Bot.*) One-leaved.

**Uniform,** *a.* 1. Undeviating, unvarying, unvaried, unchanged, regular, constant, equable, alike.

2. Consonant, consistent.

3. Consistent.

**Uniformity,** *n.* 1. Sameness, regularity, uniformness, even tenor.

2. Consonance, conformity, unanimity, agreement.

3. Consistency, sameness.

4. Similitude between the parts of a whole.

5. Continued sameness, unvaried likeness.

**Unify,** *v. a.* Cause to be one, make into a unit, unite, view as one.

**Unijugate,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Paired, binate.

**Unilluminated,** *a.* Unenlightened, obscure, dark, rayless, darksome, dusky, gloomy, sombre, lurid, shadowy, dim, murky, shady, sunless, dismal.

**Unilocular,** *a.* (*Bot.*) One-celled.

**Unimaginable,** *a.* Inconceivable, that cannot be imagined *or* conceived.

**Unimaginative,** *a.* Literal, practical, unpoetical, unromantic, prosaic, matter-of-fact.

**Unimpaired,** *a.* Uninjured, undiminished.

**Unimpassioned,** *a.* Calm, cool, tranquil, quiet, dispassionate, impassive, sober, placid.

**Unimpeachable,** *a.* Blameless, unexceptionable, irreproachable, irreprehensible, unchallengeable.

**Unimportance,** *n.* Insignificance, paltriness, emptiness, triviality, nothingness.

**Unimportant,** *a.* Insignificant, trivial, trifling, inconsiderable, small, slight, petty, of no consequence, of no moment.

**Unimposing,** *a.* Unimpressive, ineffective.

**Unimpressible,** *a.* Unsusceptible, impassive, impassible, passionless, apathetic, phlegmatic, stoical, Platonic, cold, tame, obtuse, torpid, callous, dead, cold-blooded, without sensibility, destitute of feeling.

**Unimproved,** *a.* 1. Untaught, untutored, unenlightened, uneducated, undeveloped.

2. Unused, unemployed.

3. Uncultivated, untilled, unoccupied.

**Unincumbered,** *a.* Unburdened, untrammelled.

**Uninfluenced,** *a.* Unmoved, untouched, unaffected.

**Uninformed,** *a.* Uninstructed, unenlightened.

**Uninhabited,** *a.* Deserted, unfrequented, solitary, lone, secluded, without inhabitants, abandoned, forsaken.

**Uninitiated,** *a.* Uninformed, uninstructed, unenlightened, ignorant.

**Uninjured,** *a.* Unharmed, unhurt, undamaged, sound.

**Uninspired,** *a.* Unstirred, unmoved, untouched, unaffected, uninfluenced.

**Uninstructed,** *a.* Untaught, unenlightened, uneducated, uninformed, ignorant.

**Unintellectual,** *a.* Stupid, dull, obtuse, stolid, doltish, blockish, stockish, heavy, shallow, foolish, simple, soft, sappy, unintelligent, dull-witted, blunt-witted, weak-minded, feeble-minded, half-witted, shallow-brained.

**Unintelligent,** *a.* Stupid, dull, obtuse.

**Unintelligible,** *a.* Incomprehensible.

**Unintended,** *a.* See UNINTENTIONAL.

**Unintentional,** *a.* Undesigned, unpurposed, unpremeditated, involuntary, accidental, fortuitous, casual.

**Uninteresting,** *a.* Dull, tiresome, tedious, wearisome, wearying, stupid.

**Unintermitted,** *a.* See UNINTERRUPTED.

**Uninterrupted,** *a.* Incessant, unceasing, unintermitted, continual, constant, perpetual, unbroken, continuous.

**Uninvited,** *a.* Unbidden, unasked.

**Uninviting,** *a.* Unattractive, unpleasant, disagreeable.

**Union,** *n.* 1. Junction, combination, coalition, conjunction, unification, incorporation.

2. Harmony, concord, agreement, concert, unison, unanimity, unity, concurrence.

3. Confederacy, alliance, league, association.

4. Marriage.

**Unique,** *a.* Single (*in kind* or *excellence*), sole, unmatched, unexampled, singular, peculiar, uncommon, rare, exceptional, *sui generis*.

**Unison,** *n.* Agreement, accordance, accord, concord, harmony.

**Unit,** *n.* One.

**Unite,** *v. a.* 1. Join, combine, connect.

2. Attach, cause to cohere.

3. Join.

4. Incorporate, amalgamate, embody, consolidate, centralize, blend, merge.

5. Associate, couple, conjoin, connect, link.

**Unite,** *v. n.* 1. Concur, agree, co-operate, join forces, pull together, act in concert.

2. Coalesce, combine, league, confederate, form a league, form an alliance.

3. Be consolidated, be cemented, become one, grow together.

**Unity,** *n.* 1. Oneness, singleness, individuality.

2. Sameness, uniformity.
3. Concord, harmony, agreement, uniformity, unanimity, unison, concert, union.

**Universal,** *a.* 1. Unlimited, all-reaching, catholic, general, without exception.
2. Total, whole, entire.
3. All, comprising all particulars.
4. Ecumenical, general.

**Universal,** *n.* (*Log.*) 1. General notion *or* conception, concept, notion, idea (*in the Platonic sense*).
2. Universal proposition.

**Universality,** *n.* Generality, catholicity, unlimited application.

**Universal language.** Pasigraphy, pasilaly.

**Universally,** *ad.* Without exception, uniformly, invariably, in all cases, in every instance.

**Universal medicine.** Panacea, catholicon.

**Universe,** *n.* World, cosmos, nature, whole creation, all created things.

**University,** *n.* Seminary of learning (*of the highest class*), literary institution, universal school.

**Unjust,** *a.* 1. Inequitable, partial, unfair, wrong, wrongful.
2. Unrighteous, wicked, wrong, iniquitous, nefarious, flagitious, heinous.
3. Unfair, partial, uncandid, prejudiced, biassed, one-sided.

**Unjustifiable,** *a.* 1. Unwarrantable, indefensible, wrong, unjust.
2. Inexcusable, unpardonable.

**Unkind,** *a.* Unfriendly, ungracious, unsympathizing, ungenial, unamiable, disobliging, harsh, cruel.

**Unkindly,** *a.* 1. Unkind, harsh, hard.
2. Unnatural.
3. Unfavorable, malignant.

**Unknowingly,** *ad.* Ignorantly, unwittingly.

**Unknown,** *a.* 1. Unascertained.
2. Unexplored, uninvestigated.
3. Mysterious, mystic, hidden, dark, enigmatical.
4. Without the knowledge of.
5. Obscure, undistinguished, nameless, unnoted, unhonored, renownless, inglorious.

**Unlace,** *v. a.* Loose, loosen, unloose, untie, unfasten, unbind.

**Unlade,** *v. a.* 1. Unload, take out the cargo of.
2. Discharge, unload, remove.

**Unladylike,** *a.* Ungentle, ill-bred, unmannerly, rude, uncivil, impolite, ungracious.

**Unlamented,** *a.* Unwept, unmourned, unregretted, undeplored.

**Unlawful,** *a.* 1. Illegal, illicit, unlicensed.
2. Illegitimate, bastard, spurious.
3. Undue, unauthorized, unwarranted, unjustified.

**Unlearned,** *a.* 1. Uneducated, unlettered, illiterate, ignorant, uninstructed.
2. Unknown, unstudied.
3. Unscholarly.

**Unless,** *conj.* Except, if not, supposing that not.

**Unlettered,** *a.* See UNLEARNED.

**Unlicensed,** *a.* Unlawful, illicit, forbidden, prohibited, unauthorized.

**Unlicked,** *a.* Shapeless, unformed.

**Unlike,** *a.* 1. Dissimilar, different.
2. Dissimilar, heterogeneous.
3. Different, diverse.

**Unlikelihood,** *n.* Improbability, unlikeliness.

**Unlikely,** *a.* 1. Improbable.
2. Unpromising.

**Unlikeness,** *n.* Dissimilarity, dissimilitude.

**Unlimited,** *a.* 1. Boundless, unbounded, limitless, infinite.
2. Unrestricted, unconstrained, absolute.
3. Undefined, indefinite.

**Unliquidated,** *a.* Unsettled, unpaid.

**Unlistening,** *a.* Inattentive, deaf, unheeding, heedless.

**Unload,** *v. a.* 1. Discharge, unlade, disburden.
2. Relieve, disburden, unburden, lighten, free from.

**Unlock,** *v. a.* 1. Unfasten, unbolt.
2. Open, lay open.

**Unlodge,** *v. a.* Dislodge.

**Unlooked for.** Unexpected, unforeseen.

**Unloose,** *v. a.* Unbind, loose, loosen, untie, unfasten, unbuckle.

**Unlovely,** *a.* 1. Unlovable, unamiable, disagreeable, unpleasant.
2. Unattractive, plain, homely, ugly, uncomely, ill-favored.

**Unluckily,** *ad.* Unfortunately, as ill-luck would have it, in an evil hour.

**Unlucky,** *a.* 1. Unfortunate, unsuccessful, luckless, ill-starred, ill-fated.
2. Inauspicious, ill-omened.
3. Unhappy, miserable.
4. (*Colloq.*) Mischievous, waggish.

**Unmaidenly,** *a.* Immodest, bold, forward, indelicate.

**Unman,** *v. a.* 1. Emasculate, castrate, geld, deprive of virility.
2. Dishearten, discourage, make despondent, deject.
3. Weaken, debilitate, effeminate, emolliate, enfeeble, unnerve, make effeminate.
4. Deprive of men.

**Unmanageable,** *a.* 1. Not easily governed.
2. Unwieldy, unhandy, cumbersome, cumbrous, awkward, incommodious, inconvenient.
3. Intractable, unruly, refractory, vicious.
4. Difficult, impracticable.

**Unmanly,** *a.* 1. Effeminate, womanish, weak.
2. Base, ignoble, mean, ungenerous, cowardly, dastardly.

**Unmannered,** *a.* See UNMANNERLY.

**Unmannerly,** *a.* Impolite, uncivil, uncourteous, ungracious, rude, rough, unmannered, ill-mannered, ill-bred.

**Unmanufactured,** *a.* Raw, in the natural state.

**Unmarried,** *a.* Single, spouseless, unwedded.

**Unmask,** *v. a.* Expose, lay open, strip of disguise, disclose.

**Unmatched,** *a.* 1. Unequalled, unparalleled, matchless, unexampled, unrivalled, unparagoned, without an equal, consummate, incomparable, peerless.
2. Odd, single (*of a pair* or *set*).

**Unmeaning,** *a.* 1. Meaningless, insignificant, senseless.
2. Inexpressive, unintelligent, insignificant.

**Unmeasured,** *a.* 1. Unsparing, unstinted, unstinting, lavish.
2. Measureless, immense, infinite.

**Unmeet,** *a.* Improper, unfit, unbecoming, unseemly.

**Unmelodious,** *a.* Harsh, unmusical, discordant, inharmonious.

**Unmentionable,** *a.* Scandalous, infamous, disreputable.

**Unmerchantable,** *a.* Unsalable.

**Unmerciful,** *a.* 1. Merciless, cruel, inexorable, inhuman, pitiless, unpitying, ruthless, unrelenting, unsparing.
2. (*Colloq.*) Exorbitant, extravagant, unconscionable, excessive.

**Unmerited,** *a.* Undeserved.

**Unmindful,** *a.* Careless, inattentive, heedless, regardless, unobservant, negligent, forgetful, mindless, oblivious.

**Unmistakable,** *a.* Clear, evident, palpable, plain, manifest, obvious, patent, open, visible, unequiv-

ocal, positive, unambiguous, pronounced, decided, notorious.

**Unmitigated,** *a.* Complete, thorough, absolute, consummate, unqualified, perfect.

**Unmixed,** *a.* 1. Unmingled, pure, clear.
2. Pure, sincere, unalloyed, unmingled.

**Unmolested,** *a.* Undisturbed, untroubled.

**Unmotherly,** *a.* Unnatural

**Unmourned,** *a.* Unwept, unlamented, unregretted, undeplored.

**Unmoved,** *a.* 1. Firm, steadfast, unwavering, unswerving, unfaltering, constant.
2. Calm, collected, self-possessed, cool, undisturbed, quiet.
3. Indifferent, insensible, unaffected, untouched, unstirred, with dry eyes, without a tear.

**Unmurmuring,** *a.* Uncomplaining, patient, long-suffering.

**Unmusical,** *a.* Discordant, harsh, inharmonic, inharmonical, unharmonious.

**Unnatural,** *a.* 1. Unusual, uncommon, anomalous, irregular, abnormal, aberrant, monstrous, preternatural, prodigious.
2. Heartless, brutal, stony-hearted, inhuman, unfeeling.
3. Forced, strained, stilted, affected, constrained, artificial.
4. Factitious, artificial.

**Unnecessary,** *a.* Needless, useless, superfluous, uncalled for.

**Unneighborly,** *a.* 1. Unfriendly, unkind, unkindly.
2. Unsociable.

**Unnerve,** *v. a.* Weaken, enfeeble.

**Unnoted,** *a.* 1. Unheeded, disregarded, overlooked.
2. Unhonored.

**Unnoticed,** *a.* Unobserved, neglected, overlooked, disregarded, slighted, ignored, unheeded.

**Unnumbered,** *a.* Innumerable, numberless, countless, untold.

**Unobjectionable,** *a.* Unexceptionable.

**Unobservant,** *a.* Heedless, careless, inattentive, unmindful, unobserving.

**Unobserved,** *a.* Unnoticed, unperceived, unregarded, unseen, unheeded.

**Unobstructed,** *a.* Unhindered, unimpeded, open, clear.

**Unobtainable,** *a.* Unattainable.

**Unobtrusive,** *a.* Modest, retiring, unostentatious, unpretending, unpretentious, unassuming.

**Unoccupied,** *a.* 1. Vacant, empty, tenantless, untenanted, uninhabited.
2. Vacant, unthinking, thoughtless.
3. Spare, leisure, unemployed, idle.

**Unoffending,** *a.* Harmless, blameless, inoffensive, innocent.

**Unofficial,** *a.* Private, unprofessional.

**Unofficious,** *a.* Retiring, modest, backward.

**Unopened,** *a.* Shut, closed.

**Unorganized,** *a.* Inorganic, inorganical, without organs, without organization.

**Unorthodox,** *a.* Heterodox, heretical.

**Unostentatious,** *a.* 1. Modest, unobtrusive, retiring, unpretending, unpretentious, unassuming.
2. Quiet, subdued, inconspicuous.

**Unowned,** *a.* 1. Ownerless.
2. Unacknowledged, unadmitted, unavowed.

**Unpaid,** *a.* Unsettled, owing, due, outstanding.

**Unpalatable,** *a.* 1. Vapid, savorless, unsavory.
2. Disagreeable (*to the taste*), unpleasant, disgusting, nauseous, offensive.
3. Bitter, distasteful, disagreeable, unpleasant.

**Unparagoned,** *a.* See UNPARALLELED.

**Unparalleled,** *a.* Unexampled, unequalled, unrivalled, unmatched, matchless, peerless, inimitable, unparagoned, unprecedented, without a parallel, incomparable.

**Unpardonable,** *a.* Inexcusable, indefensible, unjustifiable, irremissible, inexpiable, unatonable

**Unperceived,** *a.* Unnoticed, unregarded, unobserved, undescried, unseen.

**Unpitying,** *a* Relentless, unrelenting, pitiless, uncompassionate, cruel, ruthless, merciless, unmerciful, savage, implacable, unsparing.

**Unpleasant,** *a.* Unpleasing, disagreeable, displeasing, unwelcome, unacceptable, unpalatable, repulsive, obnoxious, offensive, ungrateful.

**Unpleasing,** *a.* Displeasing, disagreeable, unpleasant, repulsive, offensive.

**Unpliant,** *a.* Stiff, inflexible, rigid, unbending, unyielding.

**Unpoetic,** } *a.* Prosy, prosaic, commonplace,
**Unpoetical,** } matter-of-fact.

**Unpolished,** *a.* 1. Rough, not polished.
2. Rude, uncivilized, unrefined, ungraceful, untrained, untaught, undisciplined, barbarous, illiterate, rustic.

**Unpolluted,** *a.* Pure, undefiled, uncorrupted, unvitiated, immaculate.

**Unpopular,** *a.* Disliked (*by the people*), obnoxious (*generally*).

**Unpractical,** *a.* 1. Theoretical.
2. Speculative, contemplative, Platonic, philosophical, given to speculation.

**Unpractised,** *a.* Untrained, inexperienced, unskilled, raw, unaccustomed, inexpert.

**Unprecedented,** *a.* Unexampled, novel, new, exceptional.

**Unprejudiced,** *a.* Unbiassed, unprepossessed, unwarped, impartial, fair.

**Unpremeditated,** *a.* Unstudied, extemporaneous, extempore, impromptu, spontaneous, off-hand.

**Unprepared,** *a.* 1. Unready.
2. Unqualified, unfitted.

**Unprepossessed,** *a.* See UNPREJUDICED.

**Unprepossessing,** *a.* Unattractive, repulsive.

**Unpresuming,** *a.* Modest, humble, retiring, unpresumptuous.

**Unpretending,** *a.* Modest, unassuming, retiring, unobtrusive, unostentatious, unpretentious.

**Unpretentious,** *a* See UNPRETENDING.

**Unprevented,** *a.* Unhindered.

**Unprincipled,** *a.* Immoral, wicked, vicious, bad, knavish, roguish, dishonest, trickish, iniquitous, profligate, villanous, tricky (*colloq.*).

**Unprocreant,** *a.* See UNPRODUCTIVE.

**Unproductive,** *a.* 1. Unfruitful, barren, unprolific, sterile, unprocreant.
2. Unprofitable, unremunerative.
3. Inefficient, ineffectual, without effect.

**Unprofitable,** *a.* 1. Worthless, sterile, poor, unproductive, unfruitful, barren.
2. Useless, futile, bootless, fruitless, unavailing.
3. Worthless, unremunerative, useless, poor.
4. Barren, unfruitful, unserviceable.

**Unpromising,** *a.* 1. Inauspicious, unpropitious, unfavorable, unlucky, untoward, ill-omened, not encouraging, not promising.
2. Unlikely.

**Unpropitious,** *a.* Unfavorable, inauspicious, unpromising.

**Unprosperous,** *a.* Unfortunate, luckless, unlucky, unsuccessful, ill-starred.

**Unprotected,** *a.* Defenceless, unguarded, exposed, undefended, unshielded.

**Unprovided with.** Without, destitute of, devoid of, unsupplied with.

**Unpunctual,** *a.* Tardy, dilatory, behindhand, late.

**Unpurified,** *a.* Unclean.

**Unqualified,** *a.* 1. Incompetent, unfit, unadapted.

2. Absolute, unconditional, unmeasured, unrestricted, thorough, plump, full, direct, downright, decided.
3. Exaggerated, sweeping.

**Unquenchable,** *a.* Unextinguishable, quenchless, slakeless, unslakable, that cannot be quenched.

**Unquestionable,** *a.* 1. Indisputable, incontrovertible, indubitable, undeniable, irrefragable, incontestable, irrefutable, certain, evident, obvious, beyond all question, beyond a doubt, past dispute.
2. Undeniable, indisputable, indubitable, unmistakable.

**Unquestioned,** *a.* 1. Undoubted, undisputed.
2. Unexamined, having no questions asked.
3. Indisputable, not to be opposed.

**Unquiet,** *a.* 1. Uneasy, restless, fidgety (*colloq.*).
2. Disturbed, agitated, restless, uneasy.

**Unravel,** *v. a.* 1. Disentangle, extricate, ravel, untwist.
2. Unfold, decipher, interpret, understand, resolve, solve, explain, read, clear up, make out.
3. Confuse, throw into disorder.

**Unreadable,** *a.* Illegible.

**Unready,** *a.* 1. Unprepared.
2. Unfit, unqualified.
3. Slow, slack, awkward, clumsy, unhandy.

**Unreal,** *a.* Insubstantial, unsubstantial, imaginary, shadowy, visionary, spectral, ghostly.

**Unreasonable,** *a.* 1. Irrational, foolish, unwise, absurd, silly, preposterous, senseless, stupid, injudicious, nonsensical, unphilosophical, ill-judged.
2. Exorbitant, extravagant, unfair, unjust, extortionate, excessive.

**Unreasonableness,** *n.* 1. Absurdity, foolishness, folly, irrationality.
2. Exorbitancy, immoderateness.

**Unrecognized,** *a.* 1. Ignored, overlooked, disregarded.
2. Unknown, unacknowledged.

**Unreconcilable,** *a.* 1. Irreconcilable, inconsistent, incongruous, antagonistic, incompatible.
2. Implacable, unappeasable, unforgiving.
3. Hostile, unfriendly.

**Unredeemed,** *a.* 1. Unransomed, forfeited.
2. Unfulfilled, unperformed.

**Unreflecting,** *a.* Heedless, thoughtless.

**Unregarded,** *a.* Disregarded, neglected, unheeded.

**Unregenerate,** *a.* Unconverted.

**Unrelenting,** *a.* 1. Inexorable, implacable, pitiless, relentless, merciless, ruthless, unmerciful, uncompassionate, hard, cruel, unpitying, stern, harsh, bitter, austere, rigorous, remorseless, unsparing.
2. Rigid, severe, inflexible, inexorable.

**Unreliable,** *a.* [*Modern.*] Untrustworthy, not to be depended upon.

**Unremembered,** *a.* Forgotten.

**Unremitting,** *a.* Unceasing, continual, persevering, constant, unabated, incessant, assiduous, sedulous, diligent, indefatigable, unwearied.

**Unremunerative,** *a.* Unprofitable, unproductive.

**Unrepentant,** *a.* Impenitent, seared, hardened, callous, incorrigible, irreclaimable, obdurate, abandoned, lost, graceless, shameless, profligate, recreant.

**Unrequited,** *a.* Unreturned, unrewarded.

**Unreserved,** *a.* 1. Full, entire, unlimited.
2. Frank, open, candid, ingenuous, undesigning, undissembling, artless, guileless, sincere, honest, fair, single-minded, above-board, open-hearted.

**Unresisting,** *a.* Submissive, patient, passive, long-suffering.

**Unresponsive,** *a.* Unsympathetic, irresponsive.

**Unrestrained,** *a.* 1. Unchecked, unhindered.
2. Licentious, loose, dissolute.

**Unrestricted,** *a.* 1. Unrestrained, unlimited free, unconfined, unbridled, unfettered, independent.
2. Unobstructed, open, public, clear.

**Unrevealed,** *a.* Secret, hidden, unknown, undiscovered, occult.

**Unrewarded,** *a.* Unpaid, unrecompensed.

**Unriddle,** *v. a.* Solve, explain, expound, unfold, unravel.

**Unrighteous,** *a.* 1. Wicked, ungodly, unholy, sinful, wrong, evil, vicious.
2. Unjust, unfair, iniquitous, inequitable, nefarious, heinous.

**Unripe,** *a.* 1. Immature, green, crude.
2. Incomplete, immature, crude, unfinished.

**Unrivalled,** *a.* Unequalled, unparalleled, peerless, matchless, incomparable, inimitable, of the best, without a rival, of the first water.

**Unrobe,** *v. a.* Undress, disrobe.

**Unroll,** *v. a.* 1. Unfold, open.
2. Display, lay open.
3. Develop, evolve, unfold, open.

**Unromantic,** *a.* Literal, prosaic, matter-of-fact.

**Unroot,** *v. a.* Extirpate, eradicate, uproot, root out, pull up by the roots.

**Unruffled,** *a.* 1. Calm, tranquil, quiet, still, placid, peaceful, serene, smooth.
2. Placid, peaceful, philosophical, collected, serene, unmoved, imperturbable, composed, cool, undisturbed, calm, tranquil.

**Unruly,** *a.* 1. Turbulent, ungovernable, refractory, disobedient, insubordinate, mutinous, riotous, seditious, rebellious, disorderly, headstrong.
2. Refractory, vicious, stubborn, unmanageable, ungovernable, rebellious.

**Unsafe,** *a.* Dangerous, perilous, hazardous, insecure, full of risk.

**Unsaid,** *a.* Unuttered, unmentioned, unspoken.

**Unsanctified,** *a.* Unholy, unhallowed, profane.

**Unsated,** *a.* Unsatiated, unsatisfied.

**Unsatiated,** *a.* See UNSATED.

**Unsatisfactory,** *a.* 1. Insufficient.
2. Disappointing.
3. Lame, poor, weak, feeble.

**Unsatisfied,** *a.* 1. Unsated, unsatiated.
2. Dissatisfied, discontented, displeased, malcontent.
3. Unpaid.

**Unsavory,** *a.* 1. Unpalatable, tasteless, insipid, flat, vapid, savorless, mawkish.
2. Unpleasing, disgusting, nauseous, offensive, rank.

**Unsay,** *v. a.* Retract, recall, recant, take back.

**Unscathed,** *a.* Uninjured, unharmed.

**Unschooled,** *a.* 1. Uneducated, uninstructed, ignorant.
2. Undisciplined, untrained.

**Unscrupulous,** *a.* Unprincipled, unrestrained, ruthless, reckless, unconscientious, without scruples, regardless of principle.

**Unsealed,** *a.* Open, without a seal, unclosed.

**Unsearchable,** *a.* Inscrutable, incomprehensible, mysterious, hidden, that cannot be found out *or* known by searching, past finding out.

**Unseasonable,** *a.* 1. Inopportune, untimely, ill-timed, inappropriate, out of season.
2. Late, too late.
3. Ill-timed, unfit, untimely, unsuitable, unwelcome, ungrateful, inappropriate.
4. Premature, too early.

**Unseasonably,** *ad.* Untimely, at an unsuitable time, unsuitably, malapropos.

**Unseasoned,** *a.* 1. Unqualified, inexperienced, unaccustomed, untrained.
2. Irregular, inordinate, immoderate
3. Green.

4. Fresh, unsalted.

**Unseeing,** *a.* Blind, sightless.

**Unseemly,** *a.* Improper, indecorous, unbecoming, unmeet, unfit, unbefitting, indecent, unsuitable, inappropriate.

**Unseen,** *a.* 1. Unperceived, unobserved, undiscovered.

2. Invisible, indiscoverable.

**Unselfish,** *a.* Disinterested, generous, liberal, magnanimous, high-minded.

**Unserviceable,** *a.* 1. Useless, unsound, ill-conditioned.

2. Unprofitable, useless, profitless.

3. Useless.

**Unsettle,** *v. a.* Derange, disturb, disconcert, unfix, confuse, disorder, throw into disorder, unhinge.

**Unsettled,** *a.* 1. Wavering, restless, vacillating, fickle, unsteady, unstable, changeable, not steady.

2. Unequal, changeable, inequable.

3. Turbid, roily, roiled, feculent, muddy.

4. Uninhabited, without inhabitants.

5. Undetermined, open, unadjusted.

6. Unpaid, owing, due, outstanding.

**Unshackle,** *v. a.* Unfetter, unchain, unbind, liberate, emancipate, set free, set at liberty, release.

**Unshaken,** *a.* 1. Unmoved, firm, steady.

2. Resolute, firm, steadfast, steady.

**Unshapen,** *a.* Deformed, misshapen, shapeless, ill-formed, ill-made, ill-shaped, grotesque, ugly, uncouth.

**Unsheltered,** *a.* Exposed, unprotected.

**Unshrinking,** *a.* Unblenching, persisting, determined, unflinching, firm, resolute.

**Unshroud,** *v. a.* Uncover, discover, expose, reveal.

**Unsightly,** *a.* Ugly, deformed, disagreeable to the sight, hideous, repulsive.

**Unskilful,** *a.* Awkward, bungling, unhandy, clumsy, maladroit, unskilled, inapt, inexpert, without dexterity.

**Unskilled,** *a.* 1. Inexperienced, undrilled, unexercised, unpractised, undisciplined, uneducated, unschooled, unprepared, raw.

2. See UNSKILFUL.

**Unslacked,** *a.* Unslaked.

**Unslaked,** *a.* 1. Unslacked.

2. Unquenched.

**Unsleeping,** *a.* Wakeful, watchful, unslumbering.

**Unsmirched,** *a.* Unpolluted, undefiled, unspotted.

**Unsociable,** *a.* Reserved, taciturn, unsocial, solitary, uncompanionable, ungenial, uncommunicative, averse to society.

**Unsocial,** *a.* See UNSOCIABLE.

**Unsoiled,** *a.* Untarnished, unstained, unsullied, unspotted, spotless, clean.

**Unsolder,** *v. a.* Separate, disunite, divide, sunder, unsoder.

**Unsophisticated,** *a.* 1. Pure, unadulterated, genuine.

2. Guileless, undepraved, good, unpolluted, unvitiated, innocent.

3. Artless, simple, natural, unaffected, sincere, ingenuous, straightforward, honest, undesigning.

**Unsought,** *a.* 1. Unrequested, unasked, unsolicited.

2. Avoided, shunned, eschewed.

**Unsound,** *a.* 1. Defective, imperfect, impaired, decayed, rotten.

2. Diseased, sickly, weakly, poorly, infirm, unhealthy, morbid, feeble.

3. Erroneous, wrong, false, fallacious, incorrect, deceitful, sophistical, illogical, defective, untenable, invalid, unsubstantial, faulty, hollow.

4. Deceitful, dishonest, untrustworthy.

5. Insincere, false, unfaithful, untrue.

6. Questionable, defective.

7. Disturbed, light.

8. Thin, weak.

9. Insubstantial, unreal.

10. Heterodox, heretical, unorthodox, defective.

**Unsparing,** *a.* 1. Liberal, profuse, lavish, bountiful, generous, ungrudging.

2. Unmerciful, unforgiving, severe, harsh, rigorous, inexorable, relentless, ruthless, uncompromising.

**Unspeakable,** *a.* Inexpressible, unutterable, ineffable, indescribable, beyond expression.

**Unspiritual,** *a.* Sensual, carnal, fleshly.

**Unspotted,** *a.* 1. Unstained, unsoiled, untarnished, unsullied, spotless, clean.

2. Pure, uncorrupted, untainted, unblemished, untarnished, unsullied, spotless, stainless, clean, undefiled, immaculate.

**Unstable,** *a.* 1. Unsteady, insecure, unsafe, precarious.

2. Inconstant, changeable, unsteady, fickle, weak, vacillating, irresolute, wavering, erratic.

**Unstableness,** *n.* Instability.

**Unstained,** *a.* 1. Untinged, undyed, uncolored, colorless.

2. See UNSPOTTED.

**Unsteadfast,** *a.* Fickle, unsteady.

**Unsteady,** *a.* 1. Unsettled, fluctuating, oscillating.

2. Inconstant, fickle, unstable, changeable, wavering, mutable, variable, ever-changing.

3. Tottering, wavering, vacillating.

**Unstinted,** *a.* Abundant, ample, plentiful, large, full, lavish, bountiful.

**Unstrung,** *a.* Unnerved, weak, shaken, overcome.

**Unstudied,** *a.* 1. Unpremeditated, spontaneous, extempore, extemporaneous, impromptu, offhand.

2. Unskilled, inexpert, unversed.

**Unsubdued,** *a.* Unbroken, untamed, unconquered.

**Unsubmissive,** *a.* Disobedient, uncomplying, refractory, obstinate, contumacious, unruly, perverse, unyielding, indocile, insubordinate, ungovernable, unmanageable.

**Unsubstantial,** *a.* 1. Light, flimsy, gossamery, thin.

2. Unreal, imaginary, chimerical, visionary, ideal, illusory, fantastical.

3. Unsound, untenable, weak, flimsy, fallacious, erroneous, illogical.

**Unsuccessful,** *a.* 1. Unavailing, ineffectual, abortive, fruitless, bootless, profitless, vain, futile, in vain.

2. Luckless, unfortunate, unlucky, unprosperous, ill-starred, ill-fated, unhappy.

**Unsuitable,** *a.* 1. Unfit, inappropriate, unsuited, ill-adapted.

2. Improper, unbecoming, unfitting, incongruous, out of keeping, out of character, out of place, in bad taste.

**Unsuitably,** *ad.* Inappropriately, unfitly, untimely, malapropos.

**Unsuited,** *a.* Unfitted, unqualified, unadapted.

**Unsullied,** *a.* 1. Unspotted, unstained, untarnished, unsoiled, spotless, clean.

2. Pure, untainted, uncorrupted, undefiled, immaculate, unspoiled.

**Unsupplied,** *a.* Unprovided, unfurnished, destitute.

**Unsupported,** *a.* 1. Unassisted, unaided.

2. Unseconded, unsustained, unupheld.

**Unsurpassed,** *a.* Unexcelled, matchless, unequalled, unmatched, unparalleled, unrivalled, unexampled, peerless, unparagoned, without an equal.

**Unsusceptible,** *a.* Unimpressible, unimpressionable, impassive, apathetic, cold, phlegmatic, stoical, insusceptible.
**Unsuspecting,** *a.* Unsuspicious, credulous, trusting, confiding.
**Unsuspicious,** *a.* Unsuspecting, having no suspicion.
**Unsustainable,** *a.* 1. Insupportable, intolerable.
2. Erroneous, unmaintainable, untenable, controvertible.
**Unswerving,** *a.* 1. Undeviating, straight, direct.
2. Firm, determined, resolute, steady, steadfast, stanch, stable, constant, unwavering.
**Unsymmetrical,** *a.* Disproportionate, irregular, out of proportion, without symmetry.
**Unsystematic,** / **Unsystematical,** } *a.* Irregular, disorderly, immethodical.
**Untainted,** *a.* 1. Pure, clean, wholesome, fresh, sweet, healthy.
2. Pure, uncorrupted, undefiled, unspotted, unsullied, untarnished, immaculate, unstained.
**Untamable,** *a.* Unconquerable.
**Untamed,** *a.* Unbroken, wild, fierce.
**Untangle,** *v. a.* Disentangle.
**Untarnished,** *a.* Unspotted, unsullied, unstained, unsoiled, spotless, clean, unblemished.
**Untaught,** *a.* Ignorant, uninstructed, uneducated, untutored, untrained; uninformed, unenlightened, unlettered, illiterate.
**Untaxed,** *a.* 1. Scot-free, without payment, without expense.
2. Exempt from reproach.
**Unteachable,** *a.* Indocile, untractable.
**Untenable,** *a.* 1. Unmaintainable, indefensible, unsound.
2. Weak, hollow, fallacious, unjustifiable, indefensible.
**Untenanted,** *a.* Unoccupied, tenantless, uninhabited, empty, deserted.
**Unterrified,** *a.* Undaunted, unscared, undismayed, unappalled, unawed, fearless.
**Unthankful,** *a.* Ungrateful, thankless, without gratitude.
**Unthinking,** *a.* Thoughtless, heedless, careless, inconsiderate, unreflecting.
**Unthoughtful,** *a.* Thoughtless, inconsiderate, heedless, careless.
**Unthought of.** 1. Unconsidered, undreamed of.
2. Unheeded, neglected, forgotten, overlooked, disregarded.
**Unthrift,** *n.* (*Rare.*) Prodigal, spendthrift, squanderer.
**Unthrifty,** *a.* Thriftless, wasteful, lavish, profuse, prodigal, improvident, extravagant.
**Untidy,** *a.* Slovenly, disorderly, unneat.
**Untie,** *v. a.* 1. Loose, loosen, unfasten, unbind, unloose.
2. Let loose, unbind.
3. Resolve, solve, clear, unfold.
**Untied,** *a.* Loose, free.
**Until,** *ad.* or *conj.* 1. Till, to the time when *or* that.
2. To the place, point, state, *or* degree that.
**Until,** *prep.* To, till.
**Untimely,** *a.* Ill-timed, unseasonable, mistimed, inopportune, out of season, premature.
**Untimely,** *ad.* Unseasonably, unsuitably, at an unsuitable time.
**Untinged,** *a.* Uncolored, undyed, unstained, colorless, hueless, achromatic.
**Untiring,** *a.* Unwearied, indefatigable, unremitting, unceasing, incessant, tireless, patient.
**Untold,** *a* 1. Unnumbered, uncounted, countless, innumerable.
2. Unrelated, unrevealed.
**Untouched,** *a.* 1. Not touched.
2. Intact, uninjured, unhurt, scathless, unharmed.
3. Unmoved, unaffected, unstirred, insensible.
**Untoward,** *a.* 1. Froward, perverse, intractable, stubborn, refractory.
2. Inconvenient, unmanageable, annoying, troublesome, vexatious.
3. Awkward, ungainly, ungraceful, uncouth.
**Untrained,** *a.* Undisciplined, uninstructed, uneducated, untutored, inexperienced, undrilled, unpractised, unskilled, ignorant.
**Untrammelled,** *a.* Unhampered, free.
**Untravelled,** *a.* 1. Not travelled over, unfrequented by travellers.
2. Not experienced as a traveller, never having travelled.
**Untried,** *a.* 1. New, fresh.
2. Undecided.
**Untrodden,** *a.* Pathless, trackless.
**Untroubled,** *a.* Peaceful, calm, serene, tranquil, unvexed, undisturbed, composed, smooth.
**Untrue,** *a.* 1. False, contrary to fact.
2. Faithless, treacherous, recreant, false, disloyal, unfaithful, perfidious.
**Untrustworthy,** *a.* Unreliable, deceitful, treacherous, rotten, not to be depended on.
**Untruth,** *n.* 1. Falsehood, treachery, want of fidelity.
2. Falsehood, lie, fiction, fabrication, story, forgery, invention, misstatement, misrepresentation.
**Untutored,** *a.* 1. Uninstructed, uneducated, untaught, undisciplined, inexperienced, uninitiated, undrilled, ignorant.
2. Artless, natural, simple, unsophisticated.
**Untwist,** *v. a.* Disentangle, ravel, unravel.
**Unused,** *a.* 1. Unemployed, untried.
2. Unaccustomed, new, unfamiliar.
**Unusual,** *a.* Uncommon, rare, unwonted, singular, remarkable, strange, curious, extraordinary, odd, queer, out of the way.
**Unutterable,** *a.* Inexpressible, ineffable, unspeakable, indescribable, that cannot be uttered, beyond expression.
**Unvacillating,** *a.* Resolute, stable, unwavering.
**Unvanquishable,** *a.* Unconquerable, invincible.
**Unvarnished,** *a.* 1. Unpolished.
2. Unembellished, plain, unadorned, candid, simple, true.
**Unvarying,** *a.* Unchanging, invariable.
**Unveil,** *v. a.* Disclose, uncover, expose, show.
**Unvendible,** *a.* Unsalable, unmerchantable.
**Unveracious,** *a.* Mendacious, false, lying, untruthful.
**Unversed,** *a.* Unskilled, ignorant.
**Unviolated,** *a.* Unbroken, inviolate, unbetrayed.
**Unwarlike,** *a.* Peaceful, pacific.
**Unwarped,** *a.* Impartial, unbiassed, unprejudiced, undistorted.
**Unwarrantable,** *a.* Indefensible, unjustifiable, improper.
**Unwary,** *a.* Imprudent, hasty, incautious, indiscreet, uncircumspect, careless, unguarded, precipitate, heedless, rash.
**Unwavering,** *a.* Constant, steadfast, steady, unhesitating, firm, settled, determined, fixed, stanch, resolute.
**Unwearied,** *a.* 1. Not fatigued.
2. Indefatigable, persevering, persistent, constant, continual, incessant, unremitting, unceasing.
**Unwelcome,** *a.* Unpleasing, ungrateful, unacceptable, disagreeable, unpleasant.
**Unwell,** *a.* Ill, ailing, sick, indisposed, out of sorts, out of health, on the sick list, laid on the shelf, under the weather.
**Unwept,** *a.* Unlamented, unmourned, unregretted

**Unwholesome,** *a.* 1. Insalubrious, unhealthy, unhealthful, noxious, noisome, deleterious, baneful, poisonous, injurious to health.
2. Pernicious (*to the mind*), injudicious, unsound.
3. Unsound, corrupt, tainted.
**Unwieldy,** *a.* Unmanageable (*from size* or *weight*), ponderous, bulky, weighty, heavy, clumsy, large.
**Unwilling,** *a.* Loath, disinclined, opposed, averse, reluctant, backward, indisposed.
**Unwind,** *v. a.* 1. Wind off.
2. Disentangle.
**Unwise,** *a.* Foolish, injudicious, indiscreet, imprudent, ill-advised, ill-judged, weak.
**Unwitnessed,** *a.* Unknown, unseen, unspied.
**Unwittingly,** *ad.* Inadvertently, unconsciously, ignorantly, undesignedly, unintentionally, without knowing it.
**Unwomanly,** *a.* Unfeminine, unbecoming a woman.
**Unwonted,** *a.* 1. Unusual, uncommon, rare, infrequent.
2. Unaccustomed, unused.
**Unworkmanlike,** *a.* Unskilful, inartistic, not workmanlike *or* workmanly, unbecoming a workman.
**Unworldly,** *a.* Spiritual-minded.
**Unworthy,** *a.* 1. Undeserving.
2. Worthless, base, bad.
3. Unbecoming, base, shameful, bad, vile.
4. Mean, contemptible, despicable, discreditable, shabby, paltry.
**Unworthy of.** Discreditable to, disgraceful to.
**Unwrap,** *v. a.* Open, unfold.
**Unwrinkled,** *a.* Unfurrowed, smooth.
**Unwritten,** *a.* Oral, traditional.
**Unwrought,** *a.* Unfashioned, unformed, rude, crude, rough.
**Unyielding,** *a.* 1. Inflexible, constant, steady, resolute, steadfast, stanch, pertinacious, determined, indomitable.
2. Stubborn, stiff, obstinate, wilful, headstrong, intractable, perverse, wayward.
3. Stiff, rigid, stubborn, hard, firm, unbending.
**Unyoke,** *v. a.* 1. Loose from a yoke.
2. Part, disjoin, disconnect, separate.
**Unyoked,** *a.* 1. Not yoked.
2. Unrestrained, loose, licentious.
**Unzoned,** *a.* Ungirdled.
**Upbraid,** *v. a.* Reproach, reprove, blame, chide, condemn, twit, taunt, find fault with.
**Upbraiding,** *n.* Reproach, chiding.
**Upbraid with.** Reproach, cast something in the teeth of.
**Upheave,** *v. a.* Elevate, raise, lift, lift up, heave up.
**Uphill,** *a.* 1. Ascending, upward.
2. Difficult, hard, arduous, toilsome, wearisome.
**Uphold,** *v. a.* 1. Raise, elevate, lift on high.
2. Support, sustain, hold up, bear up.
3. Maintain, defend, vindicate, justify, aid, countenance, support, sustain.
**Up in arms.** 1. Stirring, bustling, at work, astir, up and doing.
2. Alert, ready, on the alert, vigilant, prepared, wide awake, in readiness, booted and spurred, in harness.
3. At daggers drawn.
**Upland,** *n.* High land.
**Uplift,** *v. a.* Raise, elevate, lift aloft.
**Upon,** *prep.* 1. On.
2. About, concerning, on the subject of, relating to.
3. With, immediately after.
**Upon the spot.** Immediately, at once, on the spot.
**Upon the whole.** All things considered, in view of all the circumstances, taking everything into account, on the whole.
**Upper classes.** Gentry, gentlefolk, educated classes.
**Upper-hand,** *n.* Superiority, advantage, ascendency, dominion, rule, pre-eminence, supremacy, mastery, mastership, whip-hand, control.
**Uppermost,** *a.* Highest, loftiest, topmost, upmost, supreme.
**Uppish,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Proud, arrogant, haughty, assuming, smart, perk, perky.
**Upright,** *a.* 1. Erect, perpendicular, vertical, on end.
2. Honest, just, honorable, conscientious, virtuous, good, pure, straightforward, faithful, true, trustworthy.
3. Virtuous, just, honorable.
**Uprightness,** *n.* 1. Erectness, perpendicular, erection.
2. Honesty, integrity, probity, rectitude, justice, equity, fairness, incorruptibility, righteousness, goodness, virtue, honor, trustworthiness, trustiness, worth, dignity of character.
**Uproar,** *n.* Tumult, disturbance, commotion, confusion, turmoil, hubbub, clamor, racket, din, vociferation, noise, *fracas*.
**Uproarious,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Boisterous, tumultuous, loud, noisy, clamorous, obstreperous.
**Uproot,** *v. a.* Eradicate, extirpate, pull up by the roots, tear up by the roots.
**Ups and downs.** (*Colloq.*) Successes and reverses, prosperity and adversity, good fortune and bad, various fortunes.
**Upset,** *v. a.* 1. Overturn, capsize, tip over.
2. Turn upside down, invert.
3. Overthrow.
4. Disconcert, discompose, throw off one's centre, agitate, perturb, startle, fluster, shock, excite, *bouleverser*.
5. Defeat, checkmate.
**Upshot,** *n.* Conclusion, end, termination, consummation, issue, event, result.
**Upside down.** Topsy-turvy, in confusion, in complete disorder.
**Upstart,** *n.* Snob, mushroom, pretentious fellow, pretender to gentility, *parvenu*.
**Upturned,** *a.* Turned up, directed upward.
**Upward,** *a.* 1. Ascending, uphill.
2. Directed to a higher place.
**Upwards of.** Above, more than.
**Uranglimmer,** *n.* (*Min.*) Uranite.
**Uranolite,** *n.* Aerolite.
**Uranology,** *n.* Ouranography, uranography.
**Urbane,** *a.* Polite, civil, courteous, complaisant, refined, polished, elegant, well-bred, well-mannered, well-behaved.
**Urbanity,** *n.* Politeness, civility, courtesy, complaisance, amenity, suavity, good-breeding, good manners.
**Urchin,** *n.* 1. Hedge-hog.
2. (*Ludicrous.*) Child, brat.
**Uretic,** *a.* Diuretic, urinative.
**Urge,** *v. a.* 1. Push, press, impel, drive, force onward, push on, press on.
2. Solicit, importune, beg, entreat, beseech, implore, conjure.
3. Incite, animate, encourage, instigate, stimulate, goad, spur.
4. Press upon attention, present in an urgent manner.
**Urgency,** *n.* 1. Pressure, press, exigency, emergency, stress, necessity, pressing want.
2. Importunity, entreaty, insistence, solicitation.

3. Incitement, stimulus, spur, goad.

**Urgent,** *a.* I. Pressing, cogent, importunate, pertinacious, earnestly solicitous.
2. Pressing, imperative, cogent.

**Urgently,** *ad.* Pressingly, violently, vehemently, cogently, forcibly, importunately.

**Urinal,** *n.* I Chamber-pot, jorden.
2. Place for urinating.

**Urinate,** *v. a.* Piddle, piss, stale, urine, make water, void urine.

**Urination,** *n.* Micturition.

**Urine,** *n.* Piss, animal-water.

**Ursa Major.** [L.] (*Astron.*) Charles's Wain, the Wain, the Great Bear, the Dipper.

**Ursa Minor.** [L.] (*Astron.*) The Little Bear, the Lesser Bear.

**Ursine,** *a* Bear-like.

**Usage,** *n.* I. Treatment.
2. Practice (*long continued*), custom, use, habit, prescription, method.
3. Customary use.

**Use,** *n.* I. Employment, application, appliance, exercise, practice, conversion to an act *or* purpose.
2. Advantage, benefit, utility, service, profit, usefulness, avail.
3. Occasion, need, necessity.
4. Usage, custom, habit, customary employment, practice, exercise.

**Use,** *v. a.* I. Employ, apply, make use of, avail one's self of, take advantage of, turn to account, make the most of, put in requisition, bring into play.
2. Practise, exercise, put to use.
3. Expend, consume, waste, exhaust.
4. Accustom, habituate, inure, familiarize, train, render familiar by practice.
5. Treat, deal with, act *or* behave toward.

**Use,** *v. n.* Be accustomed, be wont.

**Useful,** *a.* I. Advantageous, profitable, beneficial, serviceable, helpful, available, good, salutary, convenient.
2. Serviceable, helpful, valuable, available.

**Usefulness,** *n.* Utility, serviceableness, value, advantage, profit.

**Useless,** *a.* I. Unavailing, fruitless, bootless, profitless, unprofitable, unserviceable, valueless, worthless, futile, abortive, of no use, ineffectual, nugatory, null.
2. Unserviceable, worthless, valueless, good for nothing, of no use.

**Usher,** *n.* Sub-master, assistant teacher.

**Usher,** *v. a.* Introduce, forerun, herald, precede, announce.

**Usual,** *a.* Customary, ordinary, common, familiar, regular, general, frequent, habitual, wonted, accustomed, prevailing, prevalent, every-day, normal.

**Usurp,** *v. a.* Seize (*without right*), arrogate, assume, appropriate unlawfully.

**Usurpation,** *n.* Seizure, assumption infringement on the rights of others.

**Usury,** *n.* Illegal interest, exorbitant interest.

**Utensil,** *n.* Implement, tool, instrument.

**Uterus,** *n.* (*Anat.*) Womb, *venter.*

**Utility,** *n.* Usefulness (*in an abstract sense*), advantageousness, benefit, avail, profit, service, use.

**Utilize,** *v. a.* Put to use, make use of, make useful, turn to account, take advantage of.

**Utmost,** *a.* I. Extreme, farthest, last, most distant, most remote.
2. Greatest, uttermost.

**Utmost,** *n.* Best, most, greatest effort, highest endeavor, the most that can be done.

**Utopian,** *a.* Ideal, visionary, fanciful, imaginary, chimerical, unreal, air-drawn, air-built.

**Utricle,** *n.* Vesicle, cyst, bladder.

**Utter,** *a.* I. Total, complete, entire, perfect.
2. Absolute, peremptory, unconditional, unqualified.

**Utter,** *v. a.* I. Speak, articulate, enunciate, pronounce, express, give forth, give expression to.
2. Put into circulation, put off, cause to pass in trade.

**Utterable,** *a.* Pronounceable, expressible.

**Utterance,** *n.* Pronunciation, expression, delivery.

**Uttermost,** *a.* I. Extreme, farthest.
2. Greatest, utmost.

**Uttermost,** *n.* Utmost.

**Uxoricide,** *n.* I. Wife-murder.
2. Wife-murderer.

**Uxoriousness,** *n.* Philogyny, connubial dotage.

# V

**Vacancy,** *n.* I. Emptiness.
2. Freedom from employment, intermission, leisure, idleness, listlessness.
3. Empty space, vacuity.
4. Chasm, gap, space.
5. Unemployed time, interval of leisure, time of intermission.
6. Unoccupied office, unfilled place.

**Vacant,** *a.* I. Empty, void, unfilled.
2. Disengaged, unoccupied, unemployed, unencumbered, free, leisure.
3. Thoughtless, unthinking, unreflecting, unmeaning.
4. Unfilled, unoccupied, empty.

**Vacate,** *v. a.* I. Make vacant, leave empty, quit possession of, resign, surrender.
2. Annul, disannul, nullify, rescind, cancel, quash, invalidate, abrogate, abolish, overrule, make void, set aside, do away with, deprive of force.

**Vacation,** *n.* I. Intermission.
2. Holidays.

**Vaccina,** *n.* (*Med.*) Cow-pox, kine-pox, vaccinia.

**Vaccinate,** *v. a.* Inoculate with kine-pox, inoculate with vaccine matter.

**Vaccinist,** *n.* Vaccinator.

**Vacillate,** *v. n.* I. Sway, rock, move to and fro, have an unsteady motion, waver.
2. Waver, fluctuate, hesitate, be inconstant, be unsettled, be unsteady, play fast and loose, blow hot and cold, box the compass, run with the hare and hunt with the hound, be a weather-cock.

**Vacillating,** *a.* Wavering, fluctuating, unsteady, inconstant.

**Vacillation,** *n.* I. Swaying, reeling, staggering, rocking.
2. Wavering, fluctuation, hesitation, unsteadiness, inconstancy.

**Vacuity,** *n.* I. Emptiness, vacancy, inanity, inanition.
2. Void, vacuum, empty space, emptiness, vacancy.
3. Inanity, nibility, want of reality.

**Vacuum,** *n.* Void, empty space, vacuity.

**Vade-mecum,** *n.* Manual.

**Vadium,** *n.* (*Law.*) Gage, pledge, security, surety, bail.
**Vagabond,** *a.* Wandering, homeless.
**Vagabond,** *n.* Vagrant, outcast, castaway, loafer, lounger, nomad, land-loper, idle wanderer, strolling beggar, tramp.
**Vagabondism,** *n.* Vagabondage, vagrancy.
**Vagary,** *n.* Whim, freak, whimsey, crotchet, whimsicality, caprice, fancy, humor.
**Vaginant,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Sheathing.
**Vaginate,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Sheathed.
**Vagrancy,** *n.* Roving, wandering.
**Vagrant,** *n.* Idle wanderer, sturdy beggar, vagabond.
**Vagrant,** *a.* Strolling, wandering, roving, roaming, unsettled, nomadic, itinerant.
**Vague,** *a.* 1. Uncertain, ambiguous, dim, doubtful, obscure, undetermined, indefinite, indistinct, unsettled, loose, lax, unfixed.
2. Unauthorized, unwarranted, flying, loose.
**Vagueness,** *n.* Uncertainty, indefiniteness.
**Vail,** *v. a.* Cover, hide from sight, veil, conceal.
**Vain,** *a.* 1. Unreal, shadowy, unsubstantial, suppositious, dreamy, delusive, deceitful, false, baseless, imaginary, empty, void.
2. Unavailing, useless, bootless, ineffectual, fruitless, profitless, futile, nugatory, abortive, unprofitable, without avail, idle, to no purpose, to no end, ineffectual.
3. Worthless, unsatisfying, unsatisfactory, vapid, unimportant, trivial, unessential, useless.
4. Conceited, vain-glorious, inflated, arrogant, egotistical, overweening, ostentatious, high, self-sufficient, flushed, opinionated, self-satisfied, self-confident, self-admiring, self-opinioned, self-flattering, high-flown, puffed up, wise in one's own conceit.
5. Showy, ostentatious, gaudy, glittering, gorgeous.
**Vain-glorious,** *a.* 1. Conceited, vain, proud beyond desert.
2. Boastful, vaunting, braggart, pretentious.
**Vain-glory,** *n.* 1. Vanity, empty pride, pride without merit.
2. Rodomontade, empty boasting.
**Vainly,** *ad.* 1. Without effect, ineffectually, in vain, to no purpose, in a vain manner.
2. Proudly, arrogantly, boastingly, vauntingly.
3. Idly, foolishly.
**Vale,** *n.* (*Poetical.*) Valley, dingle, dell.
**Valediction,** *n.* Farewell, adieu, leave-taking.
**Valedictory,** *a.* Farewell.
**Valedictory,** *n.* [*U. S.*] Farewell address.
**Valet,** *n.* [Fr.] Groom, servant, serving-man, waiting-servant, waiter, lackey, attendant, flunky.
**Valet de chambre.** [Fr.] Body-servant.
**Valet de place.** [Fr.] Guide, *cicerone.*
**Valetudinarian,** *n.* Invalid, valetudinary.
**Valetudinarian,** *a.* Weak, infirm, sickly, feeble, weakly, frail, invalid, valetudinary.
**Valetudinary,** *n.* See VALETUDINARIAN, *n.*
**Valetudinary,** *a.* See VALETUDINARIAN, *a.*
**Valiant,** *a.* 1. Brave, courageous, intrepid, valorous, gallant, chivalrous, chivalric, heroic, daring, dauntless, bold, fearless, doughty, undaunted, Spartan, lion-hearted, stout-hearted, redoubtable.
2. Brave, gallant, heroic, chivalrous.
**Valid,** *a.* 1. Efficacious, efficient, sound, weighty, powerful, conclusive, logical, cogent, good, just, solid, important, grave, sufficient, strong, substantial.
2. (*Law.*) Having legal strength *or* force, efficacious, executed with the proper formalities, supportable by law *or* right, good in law.
**Validity,** *n.* 1. Soundness, justness, efficacy, cogency, weight, strength, goodness, force, gravity, importance.
2. (*Law.*) Legal force *or* strength, quality or being good in law.
**Valise,** *n.* Portmanteau, travelling bag.
**Vallation,** *n.* Rampart, intrenchment.
**Valley,** *n.* Dale, bottom, dell, dingle, ravine, vale.
**Vallum,** *n.* [L.] (*Fort.*) Rampart, trench, wall.
**Valor,** *n.* Bravery (*especially in war*), courage, prowess, boldness, spirit, daring, gallantry, intrepidity, heroism.
**Valorous,** *a.* Brave, courageous, stout, intrepid, bold, dauntless, doughty.
**Valuable,** *a.* 1. Precious, useful, serviceable.
2. Precious, costly, expensive.
3. Worthy, estimable
**Valuable,** *n.* Thing of value, treasure, precious possession.
**Valuation,** *n.* 1. Appraisement, estimation.
2. Value, worth.
**Value,** *n.* 1. Worth, utility, importance (*value in use*).
2. Price, cost, rate, equivalent (*value in exchange*).
3. Estimation, excellence, importance.
4. Precise signification, import.
5. (*Mus.*) Relative length, duration.
**Value,** *v. a.* 1. Appraise, rate, estimate, account, set a value on.
2. Esteem, appreciate, regard, prize, set a high value on, rate highly, hold in high esteem, set store by.
**Valueless,** *a.* Worthless, miserable, of no value, of no use.
**Vamos,** } *v. n.* [Sp.] (*Colloq.*) Be off, depart
**Vamose,** } quickly.
**Vamp,** *n* Upper leather (*of a shoe*).
**Vamp,** *v. a.* Repair, mend, piece, patch, tinker, refit, retouch, vamp up, patch up.
**Vampire,** *n.* 1. Parasite, bloodsucker.
2. Extortioner, vulture.
3. (*Zoöl.*) Vampire-bat (*Vampirus spectrum*).
**Van,** *n.* 1. Front (*of an army* or *a fleet*), forerank.
2. Covered wagon.
**Van-courier,** *n.* Precursor, avant-courier.
**Vandal,** *n.* Barbarian, savage, destroyer.
**Vandal,** *a.* Barbarous, savage, Vandalic, rude.
**Vandalic,** *a.* See VANDAL, *a.*
**Vandalism,** *n.* Barbarity, savagery.
**Vane,** *n.* 1. Weather-cock.
2. Blade (*of a windmill, propeller, etc.*).
**Vanglo,** *n.* Bene, oil-plant (*Sesamum orientale*).
**Van-guard,** *n.* Advance-guard, first line, van, front rank.
**Vanish,** *v. a.* 1. Disappear, go out of sight, be lost to view, become invisible.
2. Disappear, dissolve, fade away, melt away, pass away, be lost, be no more, pass, fade, be annihilated.
**Vanity,** *n.* 1. Emptiness, hollowness, triviality, worthlessness, futility, unrealness, unsubstantialness, falsity, *vanitas vanitatum.*
2. Conceit, conceitedness, egotism, self-conceit, self-sufficiency, petty pride, self-complacency, self-approbation, self-admiration.
3. Idle show, vain pursuit, unsubstantial enjoyment, fruitless effort, fruitless desire.
**Vanquish,** *v. a.* 1. Conquer, defeat, overcome, subdue, subjugate, overpower, overthrow.
2. Overpower, overbear, master, crush, worst, rout, discomfit, foil, quell, put down, get the upper hand of, get the better of.
3. Confute, disprove, silence, confound.
**Vanquishable,** *a.* Conquerable.
**Vanquisher,** *n.* Conqueror, subduer, victor.
**Vapid,** *a.* 1. Insipid, tasteless, flat, savorless, spiritless, stale, dead.

2. Tame, dull, meagre, jejune, languid, feeble, prosing, prosy, prosaic, insipid, spiritless, flat.

**Vapor,** *n.* I. Gaseous state (*of a substance ordinarily fluid* or *solid*), aeriform state.

2. Fume, steam, reek, exhalation, smoke, fog, mist, rack.

3. Phantom, fantasy, whim, whimsey, vagary, day-dream, vain imagination, unreal fancy, dream, vision.

**Vapor,** *v. n.* Boast, brag, bluster, swagger, bully, *faire claquer son fouet.*

**Vaporer,** *n.* Boaster, blusterer, braggart, swaggerer, vaunter, bully, braggadocio.

**Vaporish,** *a.* Splenetic, hypochondriacal, peevish, petulant, humorsome, vapory.

**Vaporize,** *v. a.* Evaporate, convert into vapor.

**Vaporous,** *a.* I. Foggy, vapory, full of vapor.

2. Unreal, unsubstantial, vain.

**Vapors,** *n. pl.* Hypochondriasis, spleen, melancholy, dejection, blues, depression of spirits, blue devils, dumps, *tædium vitæ.*

**Vapory,** *a.* I. Vaporous, foggy, full of vapor.

2. See VAPORISH.

**Varec,** } *n.* [Fr.] Kelp, wrack, incinerated sea-
**Varech,** } weed (*Fucus vesiculosus*).

**Variable,** *a.* I. Changeable, mutable, shifting.

2. Inconstant, unsteady, fickle, vacillating, wavering, fluctuating, fitful, mutable, versatile, shifting.

**Variance,** *n.* I. Alteration, change of condition.

2. Disagreement, difference, discord, dissension, jarring, strife.

3. (*Law.*) Variation, want of conformity (*as between the writ and the declaration*, or *between the allegation and the proof*).

**Variation,** *n.* I. Alteration, mutation, change, modification.

2. Deviation, departure, difference, diversity, discrepance, discrepancy.

**Varicella,** *n.* (*Med.*) Chicken-pox.

**Variegate,** *v. a.* Diversify, vary, streak, checker, dapple, figure, mark with different colors.

**Variegated,** *a.* Party-colored, motley, mottled, pied, many-colored, many-hued, divers-colored, of all manner of colors.

**Variety,** *n.* I. Diversity, difference.

2. Varied assortment.

3. Kind, species, class.

4. Multiplicity, multiformity, multifariousness.

**Variola,** *n.* (*Med.*) Small-pox.

**Various,** *a.* I. Diverse, different, manifold, several, sundry, numerous, many.

2. Changeable, mutable, uncertain, unfixed.

3. Multiform, diverse, unlike each other.

4. Variegated, diversified.

**Varlet,** *n.* Scoundrel, rascal, rogue, knave, scapegrace, low fellow.

**Varnish,** *n.* I. Lacquer.

2. Glossy appearance.

3. Outside show, gloss, cover, palliation, mitigation.

**Varnish,** *v. a.* I. Lacquer, japan, glaze.

2. Polish, adorn, decorate, garnish, gild, embellish.

3. Palliate, gloss, extenuate, excuse, glaze over, disguise.

**Vary,** *v. a.* I. Alter.

2. Transform, transmute, metamorphose, change, make some change in.

3. Exchange, alternate, change to something else.

4. Diversify, variegate, modify.

**Vary,** *v. n.* I. Alter, change, be changeable.

2. Differ, be unlike, be different.

3. Alter, alternate, change in succession.

4. Deviate, depart, swerve.

5. Disagree, be at variance, be in dissension.

6. Succeed, change successively.

**Vassal,** *n.* I. Feudatory, feudal tenant.

2. Subject, dependant, retainer.

3. Servant, bondman, slave.

**Vassalage,** *n.* Subjection, dependence, servitude, slavery.

**Vast,** *a.* I. Very spacious, very extensive, boundless, measureless, wide.

2. Very great (*in numbers*), immense.

3. Huge, enormous, immense, colossal, gigantic, prodigious, stupendous, very great, monstrous.

4. Very great (*in force*), mighty, tremendous.

5. Remarkable, extraordinary.

**Vastly,** *ad.* Very greatly.

**Vaticinate,** *v. a.* (*Rare.*) Foretell, predict, prophesy, presage, prognosticate, augur, divine, forebode.

**Vaticination,** *n.* Prophecy, prediction, prognostication, augury, divination.

**Vaticinator,** *n.* Prophet, foreteller, predictor, soothsayer, seer.

**Vaudeville,** *n.* [Fr.] Ballad, street song, trivial strain, light song.

**Vault,** *n.* I. Arched ceiling, arched roof, continued arch.

2. Cell, cellar.

3. Tomb, crypt, catacomb, repository for the dead.

4. Leap, bound, jump.

**Vault,** *v. a.* Arch, cover with an arch, arch over.

**Vault,** *v. n.* I. Leap, bound, jump, spring.

2. Tumble, turn, exhibit feats of jumping, play the posture-master.

**Vaulted,** *a.* I. Arched, concave.

2. (*Bot.*) Fornicate, fornicated.

**Vaulter,** *n.* Leaper, jumper, tumbler.

**Vaulting,** *a.* Aspiring, eager, impatient, over-eager.

**Vaunt,** *v. n.* Brag, boast.

**Vaunt,** *v. a.* Brag of, boast of, make a display of, make a boast of, show off, display with ostentation.

**Vaunt,** *n.* Boast, brag.

**Vaunter,** *n.* Boaster, braggart, braggadocio, drawcansir, roisterer, huff, vaporer, noisy fellow.

**Vaunt-mure,** *n.* (*Fort.*) Vaimure, vamure, vanmure, vaumure, false wall.

**Vaurien,** *n.* [Fr.] Scapegrace, ne'er-do-well, reprobate, rascal, scamp, rogue.

**Vedette,** *n.* Mounted sentinel, mounted sentry.

**Veer,** *v. n.* Shift, turn, change course, change direction, change about, come round, turn about.

**Veering,** *n.* I. Shifting, turning, change of course.

2. Tergiversation, fickleness, instability, vacillation.

3. Trimming, temporizing, time-serving, shifting.

**Vegetable,** *n.* Plant.

**Vegetate,** *v. n.* I. Shoot, germinate, spring, pullulate, grow (*as a plant*), shoot up, spring up, put forth, swell.

2. Bask, idle, hibernate, do nothing, be inactive.

**Vegetation,** *n.* I. Vegetable growth, process of vegetating.

2. Plants, vegetables, the sum of vegetable life.

**Vehemence,** *n.* I. Impetuosity, violence, impetuous force.

2. Ardor, fervor, fervency, eagerness, earnestness, keenness, warmth, zeal, enthusiasm, passion, heat.

3. Force, might, intensity.

**Vehement,** *a.* I. Impetuous, violent, furious, rampant, passionate, high, hot, high-wrought.

2. Ardent, zealous, eager, keen, earnest, fervid, enthusiastic, sanguine, passionate, burning.
3. Strong, forcible, powerful, mighty, very great.

**Vehicle,** *n.* I. Carriage, conveyance.
2. Medium, instrument.
3. (*Med.*) Excipient.
4. (*Painting.*) Medium.

**Veil,** *n.* I. Screen, shade, curtain, cover.
2. Cover, disguise, mask, visor, blind, cloak, screen.

**Veil,** *v. a.* I. Screen, cover with a veil, throw a veil over.
2. Cover, invest, envelop.
3. Cover, hide, mask, conceal, disguise, screen, cloak, shroud.

**Vein,** *n.* I. Blood-vessel
2. Rib (*of a leaf*), nerve.
3. Seam (*in a mine*), lode.
4. Stripe, streak, wave, variegation.
5. Current, course, thread, train.
6. Bent, humor, disposition, mood.
7. Talent, faculty, genius, quality, strain, turn of mind, peculiar temper.

**Vein,** *v. a.* Stripe, streak.

**Veinous,** *a.* Veined, veiny.

**Vein-stone,** *n.* Gangue.

**Veiny,** *a.* Striped, streaked, veined, variegated, venose.

**Velis et remis.** With sails and oars, under sail and steam, on eagle's wings, with whip and spur, with all possible speed, as fast as one can.

**Vellicate,** *v. a.* Twitch, pluck, stimulate, cause to twitch.

**Vellication,** *n.* I. Twitching, stimulation.
2. (*Med.*) Twitching, tic.

**Velocity,** *n.* I. Swiftness, speed, celerity, fleetness, quickness, rapidity.
2. (*Mech.*) Rate of motion.

**Velutinous,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Soft, velvety, velvet-like, soft to the touch, downy.

**Velvet,** *a.* Soft, smooth, delicate, velvety.

**Velveteen,** *n.* Cotton velvet.

**Velvety,** *a.* See VELVET.

**Venal,** *a.* I. Mercenary, purchasable, hireling, sordid, prostitute, vendible.
2. Venous, contained in the veins.

**Venality,** *n.* Mercenariness.

**Venary,** *a.* Venatical, venatorial.

**Vend,** *v. a.* Sell.

**Vendee,** *n.* [Correlative of *Vendor.*] Purchaser, buyer.

**Vender,** *n.* See VENDOR.

**Vendibility,** *n.* Salableness, vendibleness.

**Vendible,** *a.* Salable, merchantable, that may be sold.

**Vendibleness,** *n.* Vendibility.

**Vendition,** *n.* Sale, selling.

**Vendor,** *n.* [Correlative of *Vendee.*] Seller, vender.

**Vendue,** *n.* Auction, cant, public auction, auction sale, public sale, sale by outcry.

**Vendue-master,** *n.* Auctioneer.

**Veneer,** *v. a.* Overlay, cover thinly, coat.

**Venenate,** *a.* Poisoned, envenomed.

**Venerable,** *a.* I. To be venerated, worthy of veneration, grave.
2. Dread, awful, dreadful.

**Venerate,** *v. a.* Reverence, revere, respect, adore, honor, regard highly.

**Veneration,** *n.* Reverence, high respect, respect mingled with awe.

**Venery,** *n.* Hunting, the chase.

**Venesection,** *n.* Bleeding, phlebotomy, bloodletting.

**Vengeance,** *n.* I. Avengement, retribution.
2. Revenge, retaliation.

**Vengeful,** *a.* Vindictive, revengeful, rancorous.

**Venial,** *a.* I. Excusable, pardonable.
2. Allowed, permitted.

**Venial sin.** (*Rom. Cath. Theol.*) Remissible sin.

**Vennel,** *n.* [Written also *Venall* and *Vinell.*] Alley, lane, small street.

**Venom,** *n.* I. Poison (*naturally secreted by certain animals*), virus.
2. Malignity, maliciousness, malice, spite, spitefulness, gall, rancor, rankling, grudge, bitterness, acerbity, acrimony, malevolence, hate, ill-will, virulence.

**Venomous,** *a.* I. Poisonous, noxious to animal life, virulent.
2. Malignant, malicious, spiteful, mischievous, noxious, envenomed.

**Venose,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Veiny, veined.

**Venous,** *a.* I. Venal
2. (*Bot.*) Reticulated, netted, veiny, venose.

**Vent,** *n.* I. Opening, hole, vent-hole.
2. Spiracle, air-tube, air-pipe, blow-hole.
3. (*Ornith.*) Anus.
4. (*Arch.*) Crenelle, loop-hole.
5. Emission, passage, outlet, escape, effusion.
6. Discharge, utterance.
7. Market, sale, opportunity to sell.

**Vent,** *v. a.* I. Emit, pour forth, let out.
2. Utter, give vent to.

**Venter,** *n.* I. (*Anat.*) Abdomen, belly.
2. Cavity of the body.
3. Uterus, womb, matrix.
4. (*Law.*) Mother.

**Vent-hole,** *n.* Opening, hole, breathing-hole, vent.

**Ventilate,** *v. a.* I. Air.
2. Winnow, fan.
3. [*Now colloquial, but formerly in good use.*] Examine, sift, scrutinize, discuss, canvass.

**Ventilation,** *n.* I. Airing.
2. Winnowing, fanning.
3. Examination, scrutiny, discussion, public exposure.

**Ventose,** *a.* Windy, flatulent.

**Ventral,** *a.* Abdominal.

**Ventricose,** } *a.* (*Bot.*) Distended, bellied, in-
**Ventricous,** } flated.

**Ventriloquism,** *n.* Ventriloquy.

**Ventriloquist,** *n.* Polyphonist.

**Venture,** *n.* I. Hazard, risk, danger, jeopardy, peril.
2. Chance, hap, luck, contingency.
3. Stake, adventure, risk.
4. Speculation.

**Venture,** *v. a.* Hazard, risk, jeopardize, jeopard, expose to hazard.

**Venture,** *v. n.* I. Dare, adventure, hazard one's self.
2. Run the risk, tempt fortune, take one's chance.
3. Presume, make bold, take the liberty, have the presumption.

**Venturesome,** *a.* Adventurous, daring, intrepid, bold, courageous, venturous, enterprising, doughty, fearless.

**Venturous,** *a.* See VENTURESOME.

**Venus,** *n.* I. Aphrodite, Cytherea.
2. (*Astron.*) Lucifer, morning star, Phosphor, Phosphorus.
3. Hesperus, Hesper, Vesper, evening star.

**Venus's-comb,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Shepherd's needle (*Scandix pecten*).

**Venus's-fly-trap,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Carolina catch-fly plant.

**Venus's-fly-catcher,** *n.* *Dionæa muscipula.*

**Veracious,** *a.* I. Truthful, observant of truth,

true, truth-loving, straightforward, trustworthy, reliable.
2. True, credible, reliable, trustworthy, honest.
**Veracity,** *n.* Truthfulness, truth, ingenuousness, honesty, candor, frankness.
**Verbal,** *a.* 1. Oral, spoken, unwritten, parol, nuncupative, expressed in words.
2. As to words, about words, technical.
3. Literal, word for word.
4. Derived from a verb.
**Verbally,** *ad.* 1. Orally, by word of mouth.
2. Word for word, *verbatim.*
**Verbatim,** *ad.* [L.] Literally, word for word, in the same words.
**Verbena,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Vervain.
**Verbiage,** *n.* Wordiness, verboseness, verbosity, prolixity, diffuseness.
**Verbose,** *a.* Wordy, prolix, diffuse.
**Verbosity,** *n.* Wordiness, macrology, prolixity, verboseness, perissology.
**Verbum sapienti.** A word to the wise, hint, suggestion.
**Verdancy,** *n.* 1. Greenness, viridity, verdantness.
2. (*Colloq.*) Inexperience, rawness, liability to be imposed upon.
**Verdant,** *a.* 1. Green, fresh.
2. (*Colloq.*) Raw, inexperienced, green, green in knowledge.
**Verdict,** *n.* 1. (*Law.*) Decision, finding.
2. Decision, judgment, opinion, sentence.
**Verdigris,** *n.* Subacetate of copper, diacetate of copper, bibasic acetate of copper.
**Verdure,** *n.* Greenness, green, viridity, freshness (*of vegetation*).
**Verge,** *n.* 1. Rod, staff, mace.
2. Edge, brink, border, margin, rim, brim, confine, limit, skirt.
3. Eve, brink, edge, point.
4. Arbor (*of a watch-balance*), spindle.
**Verge,** *v. n.* 1. Tend, incline, slope, lean, trend, bear.
2. Border, approach, be near, tend, incline, tend toward.
**Verge-board,** *n.* Barge-board.
**Verification,** *n.* Authentication, attestation, confirmation, corroboration.
**Verify,** *v. a.* 1. Prove to be true, prove to be correct, establish the truth of, confirm, corroborate, attest, substantiate.
2. Authenticate, make good.
**Verily,** *ad.* 1. In a true manner, in truth, in fact, certainly, indeed.
2. Truly, really, absolutely, confidently, positively.
**Verisimilitude,** *n.* Likelihood, probability, appearance of truth.
**Veritable,** *a.* True, real, actual, genuine, positive, absolute.
**Verity,** *n.* 1. Truth, truthfulness, true *or* real nature, reality, consonance to the reality of things.
2. True statement, true assertion, fact, true tenet.
**Vermeil,** *n.* 1. Vermilion.
2. Bright red.
3. Silver-gilt, gilt-bronze.
**Vermeology,** *n.* Adminthology.
**Vermes,** *n. pl.* [L.] Worms.
**Vermicular,** *a.* 1. Sinuous, tortuous, undulating, flexuous, waving, serpentine, meandering, winding, twisting, convoluted, vermiform, worm-like, worm-shaped.
2. Peristaltic.
**Vermiculate,** *v. a.* Inlay.
**Vermiculate,** *a.* 1. Worm-like, worm-shaped.
2. Crawling, creeping, twisting.
3. Creeping, insinuating, sophistical.
**Vermiform,** *a.* Worm-like, worm-shaped, vermiculate.
**Vermifuge,** *n.* Anthelmintic, helminthagogue.
**Vermilion,** *n.* 1. Red sulphuret of mercury (*artificial*).
2. Cochineal.
3. Bright red.
**Vermin,** *n. sing.* and *pl.* 1. Noxious animals (*of small size*).
2. Off-scourings, riff-raff, off-scum, rabble, scum.
**Vermivorous,** *a.* Worm-eating, worm-devouring.
**Vernacular,** *a.* Native, indigenous, mother, vulgar.
**Vernacular,** *n.* Vernacular language, native language, mother tongue.
**Veronica,** *n.* 1. Vernicle.
2. (*Bot.*) Speedwell.
**Verrel,** *n.* Ferrule.
**Verruca,** *n.* Wart.
**Verrucose,** *a.* Warty, knobby.
**Versatile,** *a.* 1. Changeable, variable, capricious, erratic.
2. Inconstant, unsteady, fickle.
3. Varied, many-sided, plastic, ready, Protean.
**Verse,** *n.* 1. Line (*metrically arranged*), line of poetry, stich.
2. Versification, poetry, poesy, metrical composition, metrical language.
3. (*Common, but improper.*) Stanza, stave, staff.
4. Passage (*of Scripture*), text, sentence.
5. (*Poetical.*) Piece of poetry.
**Versed,** *a.* Skilled, skilful, practised, accomplished, conversant, acquainted, qualified, trained, proficient, clever, able, good at, at home in, *au fait.*
**Verseman,** } *n.* Poetaster, manufacturer of po-
**Versemonger,** } etry, writer of verses (*used humorously* or *in contempt*).
**Verses,** *n. pl.* Numbers, poetry, song.
**Versification,** *n.* Verse, metrical composition.
**Versify,** *v. a.* Turn into verse.
**Versify,** *v. n.* Make verses.
**Version,** *n.* 1. Translation, rendering, interpretation, reading, lection.
2. Translation, rendition.
**Versus,** *prep.* (*Law.*) Against.
**Versute,** *a.* Artful, crafty, wily.
**Vertebral column.** Spine.
**Vertebrate,** *n.* Vertebral, back-boned animal.
**Vertex,** *n.* 1. Point.
2. Top, summit, crown.
3. Crown of the head.
4. Zenith.
**Vertical,** *a.* Perpendicular (*to the horizon*), upright, plumb.
**Verticle,** *n.* Axis, hinge, joint.
**Vertiginous,** *a.* 1. Whirling, rotary, rotatory.
2. Dizzy, giddy.
**Vertigo,** *n.* Dizziness, giddiness, swimming of the head.
**Vervain,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Verbena.
**Verve,** *n.* [Fr.] Enthusiasm, rapture, spirit, animation, force, energy, excitement of the imagination.
**Very,** *a.* 1. True, real, actual.
2. Same, self-same.
**Very,** *ad.* Highly, exceedingly, excessively, extremely, remarkably, surpassingly, to a high degree.
**Vesicant,** *n.* See VESICATORY.
**Vesicatory,** *n.* Blister, epispastic, vesicant.
**Vesicle,** *n.* Cell, cyst, utricle, bladder.
**Vesper,** *n.* Hesperus, Hesper, Venus, evening star.

**Vespers,** *n. pl.* Evening service, evening song, evensong (*in the Roman Catholic Church*).
**Vessel,** *n.* 1. Utensil (*for holding anything*).
2. Bottom, sailing craft.
3. Tube, duct, canal.
**Vest,** *n.* 1. Vesture, garment, vestment, robe, dress.
2. Waistcoat (*for men*).
**Vest,** *v. a.* 1. Clothe, dress, surround, robe, enrobe, envelop, cover.
2. Endow, furnish, put in possession.
3. (*Law.*) Clothe with possession.
**Vestal,** *a.* 1. Of Vesta.
2. Pure, chaste, immaculate, stainless.
**Vested,** *a.* Fixed, established.
**Vestibule,** *n.* 1. Porch, entrance-way.
2. Hall, lobby, ante-room, passage.
**Vestige,** *n.* Footprint, footstep, token, sign, mark, record, trace, track.
**Vestiges,** *n. pl.* Remains, relics.
**Vest in.** Descend to, pass to, belong to, be at the disposal of, become the property of.
**Vestment,** *n.* Garment, dress, robe, vest, habilament, garb, vesture.
**Vestry,** *n.* Sacristy, vestry-room.
**Vesture,** *n.* 1. Garment, dress, robe, vestment, vest.
2. Clothes, clothing, apparel, covering, attire, habit, garb, costume, habiliment, raiment, dress.
**Vesuvian,** *n.* (*Min.*) Idocrase.
**Veteran,** *a.* Old (*in experience*), experienced (*especially in war*), long exercised, long practised.
**Veteran,** *n.* 1. Old soldier, old campaigner.
2. Expert, adept, proficient, old stager, old campaigner, old soldier, old hand, practised hand.
**Veterinarian,** *n.* Farrier, horse-doctor, horse-leech, veterinary surgeon.
**Veterinary surgeon.** Farrier, veterinarian.
**Veto,** *n.* 1. Prohibition (*of a legislative act by the Executive*), refusal to sanction.
2. Authoritative prohibition, forbidding.
**Veto,** *v. a.* Prohibit, forbid, negative, withhold assent to.
**Vettura,** *n.* [It.] Travelling carriage, post-chaise.
**Vex,** *v. a.* 1. Tease, torment, plague, harass, worry, harry, hector, distress, annoy, trouble, perplex, persecute, cross, pother, gall, chafe, molest, pester, bother, badger.
2. Fret, irritate, provoke, displease, offend, nettle, try the patience of, affront, enchafe.
3. Disturb, disquiet, agitate, put in commotion.
**Vexation,** *n.* 1. Irritation, chagrin, displeasure, mortification, trouble, disquiet, agitation, affliction, uneasiness, grief, sorrow, distress, discomfort.
2. Torment, plague, trouble, annoyance, nuisance, curse, affliction.
3. Harassing by law, vexing, troubling, damage.
**Vexatious,** *a.* 1. Troublesome, irritating, provoking, annoying, unpleasant, disagreeable, aggravating.
2. Distressing, harassing, troublesome, afflictive, painful, grievous, disturbing.
3. Troubled, anxious, uneasy, distressed, uncomfortable, comfortless, galling, burdensome, irksome.
**Vexed,** *a.* 1. Irritated, plagued, worried, harassed, annoyed, troubled, provoked, disquieted.
2. Disputed, contested, in dispute, causing contention.
**Via,** *ad.* [L.] (*Colloq.*) By way of.
**Vial,** *n.* Small bottle, phial.
**Via Lactea.** (*Astron.*) The Milky Way, the Galaxy.
**Viameter,** *n.* Odometer.
**Viands,** *n. pl.* Food, victuals.
**Vibrant,** *a.* Vibrating, resonant.
**Vibrate,** *v. n.* 1. Oscillate, swing, move to and fro, move backward and forward.
2. Impinge, sound, quiver, produce a vibratory effect.
3. Vacillate, hesitate, waver, fluctuate.
**Vibrate,** *v. a.* 1. Brandish, swing, move to and fro.
2. Cause to quiver, undulate, affect with vibratory motion.
3. Measure by swinging.
**Vibration,** *n.* Oscillation, swinging, nutation.
**Vibratory,** *a.* Vibrating, oscillating, vibrative, vibratile, oscillatory, swinging.
**Vicarious,** *a.* 1. Deputed, delegated, commissioned.
2. Substituted.
**Vice,** *n.* 1. Defect, fault, blemish, imperfection.
2. Wickedness, sin, iniquity, depravity, immorality, laxity, evil, error, corruption, badness.
**Vice.** [L.] Instead of, in place of.
**Vice-consul,** *n.* Deputy-consul, assistant-consul.
**Vicegerent,** *n.* Deputy, lieutenant, representative, agent, vicar.
**Vice-king,** *n.* Viceroy
**Viceroy,** *n.* Vice-king.
**Vice versa.** [L.] Conversely, reversely.
**Vicinage,** *n.* Neighborhood, vicinity.
**Vicinity,** *n.* 1. Nearness, proximity, propinquity.
2. Neighborhood, vicinage.
**Vicious,** *a.* 1. Faulty, defective, imperfect.
2. Wicked, mischievous, depraved, immoral, sinful, corrupt, unprincipled, abandoned, demoralized, bad, worthless, profligate, iniquitous.
3. Foul, bad, impure.
4. Impure, debased, faulty, corrupt.
5. Unruly, refractory, contrary.
**Vicissitude,** *n* 1. Alternation, interchange, regular change, mutual succession.
2. Variation, mutation, revolution, change.
**Victim,** *n.* 1. Sacrifice.
2. Prey, sufferer.
3. (*Colloq.*) Dupe, gull, cull, cully, prey, gudgeon.
**Victimize,** *v. a.* (*Colloq.*) Cheat, dupe, trick, defraud, deceive, swindle, cozen, chouse, gull, overreach, befool, fool, beguile, circumvent, diddle, hoodwink, jockey, impose upon, put upon, practise upon, play upon, take in.
**Victor,** *n.* Conqueror, vanquisher.
**Victorious,** *a.* 1. Triumphant, conquering.
2. Producing conquest, successful.
**Victory,** *n.* Conquest, triumph.
**Victual,** *v. a.* Provide with food, supply with provisions, store with sustenance, supply with victuals.
**Victualler,** *n.* 1. Tavern-keeper, inn-keeper, publican.
2. Provision-ship.
3. [*Scotch.*] Corn-factor.
**Victualling-house,** *n.* Eating-house, *restaurant.*
**Victuals,** *n. pl.* Food, meat, sustenance, provisions, cooked provisions, viands.
**Vide.** [L.] See.
**Videlicet,** *ad.* [L. Usually represented by *viz.*] Namely, to wit, that is, that is to say, to particularize, to be more explicit, in other words.
**Vide ut supra.** [L.] See as above, see the preceding statement.
**Vie,** *v. n.* Contend, compete, strive (*for superiority*).
**Vi et armis.** [L.] By force of arms.
**View,** *v. a.* 1. Survey, scan, eye, see, witness, behold, inspect, explore, contemplate, look on *or* upon, turn the eyes to, have in sight.

2. Consider, regard, study, contemplate, think about, reflect upon, survey intellectually, examine with the mental eye.

**View,** *n.* 1. Sight, survey, inspection, examination by the eye.
2. Mental survey, intellectual examination.
3. Sight, reach of the sight.
4. Prospect, scene, vista, perspective.
5. Sketch, picture.
6. Design, purpose, object, aim, intent, intention, scope, drift.
7. Opinion, judgment, notion, belief, impression, idea, sentiment, conception.
8. Appearance, show, aspect.

**Viewless,** *a.* Invisible, unseen, indiscernible.

**Vigil,** *n.* 1. Watch, sleeplessness, abstinence from sleep.
2. Devotional watching, waking for religious exercises.
3. Wake.

**Vigilance,** *n.* Watchfulness, lookout, circumspection, incessant care, scrupulous attention

**Vigilant,** *a.* Watchful, circumspect, careful, wakeful, on the lookout, wide-awake, on the alert.

**Vigor,** *n.* 1. Strength, force, might, power, physical force.
2. Energy, strength, intellectual force.
3. Health, haleness, soundness, robustness, bloom, elasticity, tone.
4. Thriftiness, flourishing condition.
5. Liveliness, raciness, piquancy.

**Vigorous,** *a.* 1. Strong, powerful, lusty.
2. Strong, powerful, energetic, forcible.
3. Healthy, hale, robust, sturdy, sound, hardy, hearty, in health, in good health.
4. Thrifty, flourishing, growing well.
5. Nervous, robust, spirited, lively, sparkling, racy, pointed, piquant, impassioned.

**Vile,** *a.* 1. Base, mean, low, despicable, paltry, contemptible, beggarly, grovelling, pitiful, ignoble, abject, scurvy, shabby, sorry.
2. Sinful, wicked, bad, base, impure, vicious, iniquitous.
3. Worthless, of poor quality, linsey-woolsey, cheap, valueless, mean, sorry, miserable, wretched.

**Vileness,** *n.* 1. Baseness, meanness, despicableness, foulness, abasement, shabbiness, abjectness, abjection.
2. Wickedness, sinfulness, turpitude, baseness, depravity, badness.
3. Worthlessness, poor quality.

**Vilify,** *v. a.* Defame, traduce, revile, slander, asperse, calumniate, scandalize, malign, abuse, blacken, blemish, slur, vituperate, backbite, lampoon, disparage, berate, run down, speak ill of, accuse falsely, decry.

**Villa,** *n.* Country house, country seat, country residence, rural mansion.

**Village,** *n.* Hamlet, town.

**Villain,** *n.* [Written also *Villan.*] Rascal, knave, scoundrel, rogue, scamp, reprobate, scapegrace, miscreant, caitiff, vile wretch.

**Villanous,** *a.* [Written also *Villainous.*] 1. Base, mean, vile.
2. Wicked, depraved, knavish.
3. Heinous, sinful, nefarious, outrageous, very bad, atrocious.
4. (*In a familiar sense.*) Sorry, mischievous, mean, vile.

**Villany,** *n.* [Written also *Villainy.*] 1. Wickedness, sinfulness, depravity, turpitude, atrocity, criminality, infamy.
2. Depraved discourse, infamous speech.
3. Roguery, rascality, knavery, knavishness, dishonesty, trickery, crime, sin, iniquity.

**Vinaigrette,** *n.* Smelling-bottle.

**Vincible,** *a.* Conquerable, superable.

**Vinculum,** *n.* [L. *pl. Vincula.*] Bond, tie, link, copula, connective, bond of union.

**Vindicable,** *a.* Justifiable, warrantable, fit, defensible, right, proper.

**Vindicate,** *v. a.* 1. Justify, defend, uphold.
2. Assert, maintain, support, stand by, make good, advocate.

**Vindication,** *n.* 1. Justification, defence, excuse, apology.
2. Assertion, maintenance, support.

**Vindicator,** *n.* 1. Assertor, pleader, advocate.
2. Defender, champion, justifier.

**Vindictive,** *a.* Revengeful, unforgiving, unrelenting, implacable, vengeful, rancorous, malevolent, malicious, malignant, spiteful.

**Vine-fretter,** *n.* Aphis, plant-louse, puceron, vine-grub.

**Vinegar,** *n.* Acetic acid (*dilute and impure*).

**Vinegar,** *a.* Sour, acid.

**Vinery,** *n.* Grapery.

**Viola,** *n.* Tenor-viol, alto-viol *bratsche.*

**Violate,** *v. a.* 1. Injure, hurt.
2. Break, infringe, transgress, invade, break through, trench upon, encroach upon, set at naught, disobey.
3. Profane, desecrate, pollute, do violence to.
4. Abuse, outrage, ravish, deflour, debauch, constuprate, defile, commit rape upon, pollute.

**Violation,** *n.* 1. Interruption.
2. Infringement, transgression, breaking, breach, non-observance.
3. Profanation, desecration pollution.
4. Ravishment, ravishing, rape, constupration, defloration, defilement, stupration, pollution, debauchment.

**Violence,** *n.* 1. Vehemence, impetuosity, boisterousness, force.
2. Passion, fury, fierceness, wildness, rage.
3. Outrage, injustice, injury, wrong.
4. Sharpness, acuteness, severity, poignancy, intensity.
5. Ravishment, rape, constupration.

**Violent,** *a.* 1. Boisterous, furious, impetuous, vehement, turbulent, tumultuous, wild.
2. Fierce, fiery, fuming, raging, ungovernable, infuriate, passionate, high, hot.
3. Unnatural, effected by force.
4. Unjust, outrageous.
5. Sharp, severe, acute, poignant, intense, exquisite.

**Violin,** *n.* Fiddle, kit.

**Violoncello,** *n.* Bass-viol.

**Violone,** } *n.* Contra-basso, double-bass.
**Violono,** }

**Viper,** *n.* 1. Poisonous snake.
2. Wretch, reptile, serpent, snake, adder, scorpion.

**Viperous,** *a.* Malignant, poisonous, venomous, viperish.

**Virago,** *n.* 1. Female warrior, amazon.
2. Termagant, vixen, shrew, Tartar, brawler, scold, Xantippe, fury.

**Virescent,** *a.* Greenish, slightly green, viridescent.

**Virgate,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Wand-shaped.

**Virgin,** *n.* Maid, maiden, girl, lass, damsel.

**Virgin,** *a.* 1. Chaste, pure, undefiled, unpolluted, stainless, maidenly.
2. Fresh, unused, untouched, new, maiden.
3. Maidenly, modest.

**Virginity,** *n.* Maidenhood.

**Viridescent,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Greenish, slightly green, virescent.

**Viridity,** *n.* Greenness, verdancy, verdure, viridness.

**Virile,** *a.* 1. Of a man.

2. Manly, masculine, vigorous.

**Virility,** *n.* I. Manhood, maturity.
2. Masculinity, masculineness, male energy.
3. Manliness, manly vigor, masculine force.

**Virtu,** *n.* [It.] I. Taste for curiosities, love of the fine arts, dilettanteism.
2. Curiosities, objects of art *or* of antiquity (*taken collectively*).

**Virtual,** *a.* I. Substantial, constructive, practical, essential, equivalent, implied, implicit, indirect.
2. Potential, in essence *or* effect.

**Virtually,** *ad.* In effect, potentially, substantially, practically, to all intents and purposes.

**Virtue,** *n.* I. Force, efficacy, power, strength, potency, energy, inherent power.
2. Natural excellence, worth, merit, value, desert.
3. Goodness (*that comes from self-discipline*), uprightness, probity, integrity, rectitude, morality, worth, moral excellence.
4. Excellence, good quality.
5. Virginity, purity, female chastity.
6. Efficacy, force, power.

**Virtuoso,** *n.* [It.] I. Connoisseur, amateur, *dilettante*, man devoted to *virtu*, person skilled in the fine arts.
2. Collector of curiosities, *curioso*.

**Virtuous,** *a.* I. Upright, honest, good, righteous, exemplary, worthy, excellent, blameless, morally right, equitable.
2. Chaste, modest, pure.
3. Efficacious, powerful.

**Virulence,** / **Virulency,** *n.* I. Poisonousness, venomousness.
2. Acrimony, malignancy, malignity, bitterness, malevolence.

**Virulent,** *a.* I. Poisonous, venomous, malignant, highly noxious.
2. Malignant, acrimonious, bitter.

**Virus,** *n.* Poison (*of a morbid nature*), venom.

**Visage,** *n.* Face, countenance, physiognomy.

**Viscera,** *n. pl.* [L.] Entrails, intestines, bowels, inwards, guts.

**Viscid,** *a.* Glutinous, viscous, sticky, tenacious, slabby.

**Viscidity,** *n.* I. Glutinousness, stickiness, viscosity, viscousness.
2. Glutinous concretion.

**Viscosity,** *n.* I. Glutinousness, ropiness, tenacity, viscidity.
2. Glutinous substance.

**Viscous,** *a.* Glutinous, clammy, sticky, adhesive, tenacious, viscid, ropy, sizy.

**Viscum,** *n.* [L.] I. Mistletoe.
2. Bird-lime.

**Visibility,** *n.* I. Perceptibility, exposure to view.
2. Conspicuousness.

**Visible,** *a.* I. Perceptible, discernible, in view, in sight, to be seen, perceivable by the eye.
2. Apparent, manifest, evident, open, obvious, conspicuous, clear, plain, palpable, patent, unmistakable, noticeable, observable.

**Vision,** *n.* I. Sight, seeing.
2. Sight, faculty of seeing.
3. Appearance.
4. Apparition, ghost, spectre, phantom, phantasm, chimera, illusion, supernatural appearance.

**Visionary,** *a.* I. Imaginative, romantic, given to revery.
2. Unreal, fanciful, fancied, ideal, fantastic, imaginary, chimerical, illusory, shadowy, wild, dreamy, romantic, unsubstantial, air-built.

**Visionary,** *n.* Dreamer, enthusiast, zealot, castle-builder, fanatic.

**Visit,** *v. a.* I. Go to see, call upon, pay a visit to.
2. Inspect, examine, survey.

**Visitable,** *a.* Subject to be visited (*in order to be inspected*), liable to be inspected.

**Visitant,** *n.* Visitor.

**Visitation,** *n.* I. Dispensation (*especially of retributive evil*), calamity, disaster, affliction, misfortune, trial, blow, stroke, trouble, hardship, ill-luck, ill-fortune, infliction, retribution.
2. (*Law.*) Visiting (*in order to examine*), inspection.

**Visitor,** *n.* I. Guest.
2. Inspector, examiner, censor, critic.

**Visne,** *n.* (*Law.*) Neighborhood, vicinity, venue.

**Vista,** *n.* View (*especially through an avenue*), prospect, perspective.

**Visual,** *a.* Optic, optical, of the eye, of the sight *or* vision.

**Vital,** *a.* I. Essential, indispensable.
2. Necessary to life, life-supporting.
3. Living, alive, having life, animate.
4. Very necessary, highly important, essential, paramount.

**Vitality,** *n.* Life, animation, vital power.

**Vitalize,** *v. a.* Vivify, animate, quicken, make alive, give life to, furnish with vital principle.

**Vitals,** *n. pl.* I. Seat of life, vital organs.
2. Parts essential to life.

**Vitiate,** *v. a.* I. Impair, spoil, deteriorate, debase, deprave, corrupt, pollute, adulterate, injure, contaminate, infect, defile, poison, render defective, make vicious.
2. Make void, destroy, cause to fail of effect.

**Vitiation,** *n.* Deterioration, degeneration, debasement, degradation, degeneracy, depravation, impairment, injury, corruption, perversion, pollution, prostitution, invalidation.

**Vitreous,** *a.* Glassy.

**Vitrescible,** *a.* Vitrifiable.

**Vitriform,** *a.* Hyaloid, transparent, like glass.

**Vitriolated soda.** Sulphate of soda, Glauber's salt.

**Vitriolated tartar.** Sulphate of potash.

**Vitriolic acid.** Sulphuric acid, oil of vitriol.

**Vituperate,** *v. a.* (*Rare.*) Find fault with, scold, censure, overwhelm with abuse, abuse, vilify, revile, reproach, berate, rate, upbraid, rail at, objurgate.

**Vituperation,** *n.* Abuse, blame, reproach, reviling, upbraiding, railing, objurgation, invective, scolding, severe censure.

**Vituperative,** *a.* Abusive, reproachful, scolding, scurrilous, opprobrious, condemnatory, damnatory, contemptuous, insulting.

**Vivacious,** *a.* Lively, sprightly, brisk, animated, spirited, gay, sportive, frolicsome, jocund, merry, cheerful, mirthful, pleasant, full of life, buxom.

**Vivaciousness,** *n.* Vivacity, activity, liveliness.

**Vivacity,** *n.* I. Life, animation, spiritedness.
2. Liveliness, sprightliness, cheerfulness, gayety, cheer, good humor, good spirits, high spirits.

**Viva voce.** [L.] By word of mouth, by living voice.

**Vive.** Live, long live, success.

**Vivid,** *a.* I. Lively, sprightly, vigorous, animated, quick, active, strong.
2. Bright, clear, lucid, lively, brilliant, intense, animated, strong.

**Vivify,** *v. a.* Animate, vitalize, awake, arouse, quicken, make alive, give life to, endue with life.

**Vixen,** *n.* Scold, termagant, shrew, Tartar, brawler, spitfire, Xantippe.

**Viz.,** *ad.* See VIDELICET.

**Vocable,** *n.* Word, term, name.

**Vocabulary,** *n.* Dictionary, glossary, lexicon, word-book, list of words.

**Vocalist,** *n.* I. Singer.
2. Singer, songstress, melodist, warbler, cantatrice.

**Vocation,** *n.* I. Call, summons, citation, injunction.
2. Occupation, employment, calling, business, pursuit, profession, trade, avocation.
**Vociferate,** *v. n.* I. Cry, bawl, roar, cry out, exclaim, cry out with vehemence.
2. Rant, mouth.
**Vociferate,** *v. a.* Cry aloud, roar out, utter loudly *or* vehemently.
**Vociferation,** *n.* Clamor, outcry, loud utterance, hue and cry.
**Vociferous,** *a.* Noisy, clamorous, loud, blatant, stunning, uproarious, obstreperous.
**Vogue,** *n.* Fashion, mode, usage, custom, practice, repute, favor.
**Voice,** *n.* I. Spoken sound, utterance.
2. Sound, noise, notes.
3. Vote, suffrage, choice expressed.
4. Tone, mode of speaking, distinctive character *or* quality of tone.
5. Language, words, expression, signification of feeling.
6. Command, precept.
**Void,** *a.* I. Empty, vacant.
2. Free, destitute, clear, without, wanting, devoid, lacking.
3. Unoccupied, unfilled, unsupplied.
4. Null, invalid, nugatory, ineffectual, of no effect, of no binding force.
5. Unsubstantial, vain, unreal, imaginary.
**Void,** *n.* Vacuum, empty space.
**Void,** *v. a.* I. Suit, leave.
2. Throw out, emit, send out, evacuate, pour out.
3. Vacate, annul, nullify, make null.
**Voiture,** *n.* [Fr.] Carriage.
**Volant,** *a.* I. Flying.
2. Current.
3. Nimble, rapid, quick, light, active.
**Volatile,** *a.* I. Evaporable, vaporizable, vaporable.
2. Airy, gay, lively, jolly, sprightly, vivacious, buoyant, full of spirit, jocund.
3. Fickle, changeable, giddy, inconstant, flighty, reckless, capricious, unsteady, whimsical, humorsome, wild, hare-brained.
**Volatile alkali.** Ammonia, ammoniacal gas.
**Volatility,** *n.* I. Evaporableness, disposition to evaporate.
2. Airiness, liveliness, gayety, vivacity, sprightliness, cheerfulness.
3. Changeableness, fickleness, flightiness, giddiness, inconstancy, levity, frivolity, want of seriousness, mutability.
**Volition,** *n.* I. Will, choice, preference, option, discretion, determination, free-will, free-agency, power of willing, purpose, elective preference.
2. Act of willing, act of determining, exercise of the will.
**Volley,** *n.* I. Flight of shot, salvo.
2. Discharge, emission, burst, explosion, blast, storm, shower.
**Voltaism,** *n.* Galvanism.
**Volta-type,** *n.* Electrotype.
**Voltigeur,** *n.* I. Tumbler, leaper, vaulter.
2. Light-infantry soldier.
**Volubile,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Twining, voluble.
**Volubility,** *n.* I. Fluency, glibness, readiness of speech, command of language, facility of expression.
2. Changeableness, mutability, inconstancy.
**Voluble,** *a.* I. Rolling.
2. Nimble, active.
3. Fluent, glib, loquacious, talkative, of a ready tongue, ready in speech, nimble of speech.
4. (*Bot.*) Twining, volubile.
**Volume,** *n.* I. Convolution, turn, contortion, whirl.
2. Book, tome.
3. Dimensions, bulk, mass, compass, body.
4. (*Geom.*) Solid contents.
5. (*Mus.*) Power, quantity, fulness.
**Voluminous,** *a.* I. Of many volumes.
2. Large, bulky, ample.
3. Copious, diffuse.
**Voluntarily,** *ad.* Spontaneously, freely, of one's own accord.
**Voluntary,** *a.* I. Volitional.
2. Spontaneous, free, unforced, unconstrained, without compulsion, free-will.
3. Willing, from inclination.
4. Designed, intended, intentional, purposed, deliberate.
5. Optional, discretional.
6. (*Law.*) *a.* Free, without compulsion.
*b.* Gratuitous, without consideration.
**Volunteer,** *v. a.* Offer, proffer, tender, present.
**Voluptuary,** *n.* Sensualist, epicure, man of pleasure, Sybarite.
**Voluptuous,** *a.* Luxurious, epicurean, sensual.
**Voluptuousness,** *n.* Sensuality, luxury, luxuriousness, epicurism, pleasure, animal gratification.
**Vomic-nut,** *n.* *Nux vomica.*
**Vomit,** *v. n.* Puke, spew, throw up.
**Vomit,** *v. a.* I. Disgorge, throw up (*from the stomach*), puke up, cast up.
2. Eject, emit, throw forth, belch forth.
**Vomit,** *n.* Emetic, puke, vomitory.
**Vomitive,** *a.* Emetic, vomitory.
**Voracious,** *a.* Ravenous, greedy, rapacious, hungry.
**Voraciousness,** *n.* See VORACITY.
**Voracity,** *n.* Ravenousness, greediness, voraciousness, gluttonous appetite.
**Voraulite,** *n.* (*Min.*) Lazulite.
**Vortex,** *n.* I. Whirl, whirlpool, eddy.
2. Whirlwind, eddy.
3. Whirl, whirlwind, whirlpool, maëlstrom, dizzy round.
**Vortex wheel.** Turbine wheel.
**Vortical,** *a.* Whirling, turning.
**Votary,** *n.* Devotee, votarist.
**Votary,** *a.* Devoted, promised, consecrated by a vow.
**Vote,** *n.* I. Suffrage, voice.
2. Ballot.
**Votive,** *a.* Devoted, given by vow.
**Vouch,** *v. a.* I. Obtest, call to witness.
2. Warrant, declare, affirm, avouch, attest, evidence, maintain by affirmations.
3. Support, back, follow up, confirm.
**Vouch,** *v. n.* Bear witness, give attestation.
**Vouchsafe,** *v. a.* Concede, grant, accord, deign to grant, condescend to grant, allow.
**Vouchsafe,** *v. n.* Condescend, deign, yield, descend, stoop.
**Voussoir,** *n.* [Fr.] Arch-stone.
**Vow,** *n.* I. Promise (*solemnly made*), pledge.
2. Promise of fidelity, pledge of love.
**Vow,** *v. a.* I. Consecrate, dedicate, devote.
2. Assert solemnly, asseverate.
**Vow,** *v. n.* Promise (*solemnly*), pledge one's word.
**Vox populi.** [L.] Voice of the people.
**Voyage,** *n.* Journey by water, passage by sea.
**Voyage,** *v. n.* Cruise, sail, take a voyage, take a cruise, travel by sea, take ship, plough the waves, plough the deep.
**Vraisemblance,** *n.* Appearance of truth, verisimilitude, likelihood, probability.
**Vulgar,** *a.* I. Plebeian, common, ignoble, mean, low-born, base-born.
2. Homespun, rustic, boorish, unrefined, common, uncultivated, coarse.

3. General, common, ordinary, popular.
4. Low, mean, base, gross, coarse, vile, broad, loose.
5. Unauthorized, inelegant, cant.
6. (*Rare*). Vernacular, native, in general use.

**Vulgarism,** *n.* Vulgar expression, vulgar phrase, vulgar idiom.

**Vulgarity,** *n.* Grossness, coarseness, rudeness, vileness, meanness, want of refinement.

**Vulnerability,** *n.* Vulnerableness.

**Vulnerable,** *a.* 1. Capable of being wounded.
2. Assailable, liable to injury, weak.

**Vulnerary,** *a.* Healing.

**Vulpine,** *a.* 1. Of a fox.
2. Cunning, crafty, artful, sly, fox-like, wily, foxy.

**Vulture,** *n.* Bird of prey, harpy.

**Vulturine,** *a.* Rapacious, ravenous.

# W

**Waddle,** *v. n.* Toddle, tottle, waggle.

**Waders,** *n. pl.* (*Ornith.*) Grallæ, grallatores.

**Waft,** *v. a.* Bear (*through a buoyant medium*), convey, transport, carry, transmit.

**Waft,** *v. n.* (*Rare.*) Float, be wafted.

**Wag,** *v. a.* Shake, waggle, shake to and fro.

**Wag,** *v. n.* 1. Vibrate, move to and fro, be shaken to and fro.
2. (*Colloq.*) Move, progress, stir, advance.

**Wag,** *n.* Wit, humorist, joker, jester, droll, humorous fellow, droll fellow.

**Wage,** *v. a.* 1. Bet, stake, pledge, lay, wager, hazard.
2. Undertake (*as war*), carry on, engage in.

**Wager,** *n.* Bet, stake, pledge.

**Wager,** *v. a.* Bet, stake, pledge, lay, wage.

**Wager,** *v. n.* Bet, lay a wager.

**Wages,** *n. pl.* Hire, salary, pay, compensation, remuneration, stipend, allowance, earnings, reward, emolument.

**Waggery,** *n.* Jocularity, facetiousness, drollery, pleasantry, humor, fun, waggishness, mischievous merriment, sport, roguery, jocosity, jocoseness.

**Waggish,** *a.* 1. Mischievous, roguish, frolicsome, gamesome, tricksy.
2. Jocular, jocose, humorous, sportive, merry, facetious, droll, funny, comical.

**Waggishness,** *n.* See WAGGERY.

**Waggle,** *v. n.* Tottle, toddle, waddle.

**Waggle,** *v. a.* Wag, shake, move one way and the other.

**Waggon,** *n.* [Written also *Wagon.*] Wain.

**Wagoner,** } **Waggoner,** } *n.* 1. Wagon-driver, driver.
2. Charles's Wain, the Dipper, the Wain, Ursa Major.

**Wagtail,** *n.* 1. Goosander, dun-diver, dishwasher (*Mergus merganser* or *Mergus castor*).
2. Bird of the genus *Motacilla*.

**Waif,** *n.* Estray.

**Wail,** *v. a.* Lament, moan, bemoan, bewail, deplore, mourn over, grieve for (*audibly*).

**Wail,** *v. n.* Moan, lament, cry, weep.

**Wail,** *n.* Moan, lamentation, complaint, plaint, lament, wailing, cry, loud weeping.

**Wailing,** *n.* Moaning, howling, wail, loud lamentation, audible expression of sorrow.

**Wain,** *n.* 1. Waggon.
2. (*Astron.*) [With *The* prefixed.] Charles's Wain, the Great Bear, the Dipper, the Waggoner, Ursa Major.

**Wainwright,** *n.* Wagon-wright, wagon-maker.

**Waist,** *n.* 1. Middle part (*as of the human body* or *a ship*).
2. *Corsage.*

**Waistcoat,** *n.* Vest, doublet.

**Wait,** *v. n.* 1. Stay, tarry, delay, remain, linger, bide one's time.
2. Watch, look, be expectant.

**Wait,** *v. a.* Await, abide, stay for, wait for, look for.

**Wait,** *n.* Ambush.

**Waiter,** *n.* 1. Attendant, servant, servitor, lackey, valet.
2. Tray, salver.

**Waiting,** *n.* 1. Staying, delaying, tarrying.
2. Expectation, abeyance.

**Wait on.** } **Wait upon.** } 1. Attend (*as a servant*), perform services for, attend to, serve.
2. Attend, go to see, visit, call upon, pay attendance.
3. Follow (*as a consequence*), await.
4. Attend to, perform.
5. Accompany, escort, squire.

**Waits,** *n. pl.* Serenaders.

**Waive,** *v. a.* 1. Relinquish, renounce, surrender, remit, give up, forego, give up claim to.
2. Throw away, cast off, reject, desert.
3. (*Law.*) Throw away, relinquish voluntarily.

**Wake,** *v. n.* 1. Watch, be awake, continue awake.
2. Awake, waken, be awakened, be roused from sleep, cease from sleep.
3. Revel, carouse, feast, sit up late for festive purposes.
4. Be excited, be roused up, be active.

**Wake,** *v. a.* 1. Awaken, waken, rouse from sleep.
2. Arouse, rouse, excite, kindle, stimulate, provoke, stir up, put in motion, animate, put in action, summon up.
3. Reanimate, revive, bring to life again.
4. Watch, attend in the night.

**Wake,** *n.* 1. Vigil, watching.
2. Track (*of a vessel*), trail.

**Wakeful,** *a.* 1. Sleepless, indisposed to sleep, awake.
2. Watchful, vigilant, observant, wary.

**Wakefulness,** *n.* 1. Sleeplessness, want of sleep, indisposition to sleep, *insomnia*.
2. Watchfulness, vigilance, wariness

**Waken,** *v. n.* See WAKE.

**Waken,** *v. a.* 1. Wake, awake, awaken, rouse from sleep, arouse.
2. Excite to action, put in motion, arouse.
3. Excite, stir up, rouse to action, call forth.

**Wake-robin,** *n.* Nodding trillium (*Trillium cernuum*).

**Wale,** *n.* 1. [Written also *Weal* and *Wheal.*] Ridge (*made by stripes on the skin*), whelk, stripe, streak, mark of the lash.
2. Ridge, streak.

**Walk,** *v. n.* 1. Go on foot, advance by steps.
2. Take one's exercise.
3. Be stirring, be abroad, go about.
4. Depart, move off.
5. Behave, conduct one's self, pursue a course of life, act, demean one's self.

**Walk,** *v. a.* I. Perambulate.
2. Cause to walk.
**Walk,** *n.* I. Step, gait, carriage, manner of walking.
2. Sphere, beat, career, course, frequented track, habitual place of action, field.
3. Conduct, behavior, course of action.
4. Avenue, path, alley, way, footpath, pathway, range.
5. Promenade, stroll.
6. Region.
**Walk after the flesh.** Live in sin, indulge sensual appetites.
**Walk after the Spirit.** Live a holy life.
**Walk by faith.** Follow the guidance of faith.
**Walk in.** Go in, enter.
**Walk in darkness.** Live in error, live in sin, live without comfort.
**Walking-stick,** *n.* Cane, staff, walking-staff.
**Walk in the flesh.** Live this natural life, subject to infirmities and calamities.
**Walk in the light.** Live in the practice of religion.
**Walk on.** Tread.
**Walk with God.** Live in obedience to God's commands.
**Wallet,** *n.* I. Bag, sack, knapsack, pouch.
2. Pocket-book.
3. Pouch.
4. Pedler's pack.
**Wallow,** *v. n.* I. Flounder, roll, welter.
2. Grovel, live in filth.
**Wallower,** *n.* Trundle, lantern-wheel.
**Wall-paper,** *n.* Paper-hangings.
**Wall-pepper,** *n.* Acrid stone-crop, mossy stone-crop (*Sedum acre*).
**Wall-wort,** *n.* Dwarf elder, danewort.
**Walrus,** *n.* Morse, sea-horse, sea-cow (*Trichechus rosmarus*).
**Wampum,** *n.* Wompompeage, wampeage.
**Wan,** *a.* Pale, pallid, cadaverous, ashen, colorless, of a sickly hue, haggard.
**Wan,** *v. n.* Turn pale, grow pale.
**Wand,** *n.* I. Rod, stick.
2. *Bâton*, mace, truncheon, staff of authority.
3. Divining-rod.
**Wander,** *v. n.* I. Ramble, roam, rove, stroll, range, range about, gad about, straggle.
2. Deviate, swerve, stray, digress, turn aside, go astray, straggle.
3. Be delirious, be crazed, rave, ramble.
**Wanderer,** *n.* Rambler, rover, stroller, landloper, nomad, traveller, vagrant, straggler.
**Wandering,** *n.* I. Roving, rambling, travelling, travel, peregrination, excursion, range, roaming.
2. Aberration, deviation from rectitude, mistaken way.
3. Aberration of mind, delirium, raving, rambling of the mind.
**Wander over.** Traverse, pass, travel over.
**Wane,** *v. n.* I. Decrease, diminish, grow less.
2. Decline, fail, sink.
**Wane,** *n.* I. Diminution, decrease, lessening.
2. Decline, declension, decay, failure, falling off, decrease.
**Want,** *n.* I. Deficiency, absence, lack, dearth, default, defect.
2. Inadequacy, scarcity, scarceness, scantiness, meagreness, shortness, defectiveness, failure, insufficiency, deficiency, paucity, poverty.
3. Need, necessity, requirement, desideratum.
4. Desire, wish, craving, longing.
5. Poverty, indigence, penury, need, necessity, destitution, distress, straits, privation.
**Want,** *v. a.* I. Lack, be without, be destitute of, be in need of.
2. Require, need, have need of, have occasion for, stand in need of, cannot do without, cannot dispense with.
3. Desire, wish, crave, wish for, long for.
4. Fall short in, lack, be lacking in respect of.
**Want,** *v. n.* I. Lack, fail, be deficient, fall short, come short, be lacking.
2. Be missed, not to be present.
3. Omit, neglect, fail.
**Wanting,** *a.* I. Deficient, defective, lacking, absent.
2. Slack, deficient, backward, lacking.
**Wanton,** *a.* I. Wandering, loose, unrestrained, unchecked, free.
2. Luxuriant, exuberant, abounding, rank, rampant, overgrown.
3. Sportive, frolicsome, playful, gay, frisky, coltish, airy, skittish.
4. Dissolute, licentious, irregular, loose.
5. Incontinent, prurient, lustful, lewd, lascivious, lecherous, carnal, salacious, libidinous, concupiscent, lickerish, unchaste, loose.
6. Reckless, heedless, careless, inconsiderate, needless, groundless, gratuitous, wilful.
**Wanton,** *n.* Lewd person.
**Wanton,** *v. n.* I. Revel, frolic, sport, play, disport, frisk, romp, caper.
2. Luxuriate, live luxuriously, live in clover.
3. Toy, trifle, play, sport, dally amorously.
**Wapiti,** *n.* American elk, gray moose (*Cervus Canadensis*).
**War,** *n.* I. Enmity, hostility, state of opposition, strife, contention.
2. Declared hostilities, fighting, warfare, arbitrament of the sword, contest of nations, armed conflict of powers, the last argument of kings, *ultima ratio regum*.
3. Art of war, profession of arms.
**War,** *v. n.* I. Make war, carry on war.
2. Contend, fight, strive.
**Warble,** *v. a.* I. Sing (*with turns* or *trills like a bird*), trill.
2. Hymn, carol, chant, hum, utter musically, modulate.
3. Cause to quaver, vibrate.
**Warbler,** *n.* Singer, songster.
**War-cry,** *n.* Whoop, war-whoop, battle-cry, slogan.
**Ward,** *v. a.* I. Watch, guard.
2. Defend, protect.
**Ward,** *v. n.* Parry, act on the defensive.
**Ward,** *n.* I. Watch, guard, guardianship.
2. Warden, keeper, defender, guardian.
3. Custody, confinement.
4. Defence, protection, garrison, defender, protector, means of guarding.
5. (*Law.*) Pupil, minor (*under guardianship*).
6. Division, district, quarter (*of a town*).
7. Division, apartment.
8. Guard (*of a lock*).
**Warden,** *n.* Keeper, guardian, warder, custodian, curator, superintendent.
**Warder,** *n.* I. Keeper, guardian, warden, guard.
2. Truncheon, mace, staff of command.
**Ward off.** Fend off, repel, turn aside, parry, avert, forefend, keep off.
**Wardrobe,** *n.* I. Portable closet (*for clothes*).
2. Apparel, raiment, clothes, clothing, dresses, garments, vestments, habiliments, attire.
**Wardship,** *n.* I. Guardianship, right of guardianship.
2. Pupilage, minority, pupilarity.
**Warehouse,** *n.* Store, storehouse, magazine, repository, depot.
**Wares,** *n. pl.* Goods, commodities, merchandise, movables.
**Warfare,** *n.* I. Hostilities, war, state of war.

2. Contest, struggle, strife, discord.
**War-horse,** *n.* Charger.
**Warily,** *ad.* Cautiously, carefully, heedfully, circumspectly, watchfully, vigilantly, charily.
**Wariness,** *n.* Caution, cautiousness, care, circumspection, watchfulness, forethought, vigilance, foresight, scrupulousness.
**Warlike,** *a.* 1. Fit for war.
2. Military, martial, stratonic, bellicose.
3. Inimical, unfriendly, hostile, disposed for war, belligerent.
**Warm,** *a.* 1. Not cold, thermal.
2. Sunny, mild, genial, pleasant.
3. Close, muggy, oppressive.
4. Zealous, ardent, fervent, earnest, fervid, glowing, enthusiastic, hearty, cordial, eager.
5. Excited, lively, vehement, passionate, furious, violent, fiery, keen.
6. (*Colloq.*) Rich, wealthy, forehanded, well-off, in good circumstances.
**Warm,** *v. a.* 1. Heat (*moderately*), make warm.
2. Animate, excite, rouse, waken, stir up.
**Warm,** *v. n.* 1. Become warm.
2. Become ardent, become animated.
**Warm-hearted,** *a.* Kind, affectionate, hearty, cordial, tender, kind-hearted.
**Warmth,** *n.* 1. Glow, moderate heat.
2. Ardor, zeal, fervor, fervency.
3. Enthusiasm, earnestness, eagerness, heat, animation, excitement, vehemence, fervency, passion, intensity, spirit, cordiality.
**Warn,** *v. a.* 1. Caution (*against danger*), premonish, forewarn, exhort to take heed, put on one's guard.
2. Admonish (*with respect to some duty*), advise.
3. Inform, notify, apprise, disclose to, mention to, communicate to, make aware, make acquainted, give notice to, give warning.
4. Summon, bid, call.
**Warning,** *n.* 1. Caution (*against danger*).
2. Admonition, advice, monition.
3. Notice, notification.
4. Omen, presage, portent, prognostic, augury, sign.
**Warning,** *a.* Admonitory, monitory.
**War of words.** Contention, controversy, dispute, wrangle, altercation, discussion, debate, disputation.
**Warp,** *v. n.* 1. Twist *or* be twisted out of shape (*by drying*), spring, bend.
2. Deviate, swerve, turn.
3. Wind along.
**Warp,** *v. a.* 1. Twist out of shape (*by drying*).
2. Pervert, distort, bend, bias, turn aside, cause to swerve, twist.
**Warrant,** *v. a.* 1. Guarantee, secure, answer for, make secure.
2. Assure, vouch, avouch, declare, affirm, attest, give assurance to.
3. Maintain, support, sanction, authorize, justify, support by authority *or* proof.
4. (*Law.*) Secure to.
**Warrant,** *n.* 1. Guarantee, security, surety, pledge, warranty.
2. Authority, commission.
3. Permit, order, writ.
4. Voucher.
**Warrantable,** *a.* Justifiable, allowable, permissible, admissible, lawful, proper, defensible, vindicable, right.
**Warranty,** *n.* 1. Stipulation, agreement.
2. Guaranty, security, surety, pledge, warrant.
**Warrior,** *n.* Soldier, captain, military man, man at arms, fighting man.
**Wart,** *n.* Morbid excrescence, fungous growth.
**Warted,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Verrucose.
**War-whoop,** *n.* Indian war-cry.
**Wary,** *a.* Cautious, heedful, careful, watchful, vigilant, circumspect, prudent, discreet, guarded, scrupulous, chary.
**Wash,** *v. a.* 1. Cleanse by ablution.
2. Wet, moisten, fall on and moisten.
3. Wet, moisten, bathe, lave.
4. Overflow, fall on, dash against.
5. Waste, abrade, wash away.
6. Stain, tint, color.
7. Overlay (*with a thin coat of metal*), cover.
**Wash,** *v. n.* 1. Perform ablution.
2. Cleanse clothes in water.
3. (*Colloq.*) Bear washing.
**Wash,** *n.* 1. Ablution, lavation, washing, bathing, cleansing.
2. Bog, marsh, fen, quagmire, slough, morass, swamp.
3. Lotion.
4. Thin coating.
**Wash away.** Purify, cleanse.
**Wash away.** / **Wash off.** / **Wash out.** } Remove by washing, take away by the action of water, drag off, draw off, carry off.
**Washboard,** *n.* 1. Skirting-board, mop-board, base-board, surbase.
2. (*Naut.*) Wasteboard.
**Washerwoman,** *n.* Laundress.
**Washing,** *n.* Ablution, lavation, bathing.
**Wash one's hands of.** Exonerate one's self from, clear one's skirts from.
**Washy,** *a.* 1. Watery, damp, moist, ooxy, wet, sloppy.
2. Weak, thin, dilute, watery.
3. Vapid, trashy, spiritless, pointless, feeble, poor, unmeaning, trumpery, worthless, jejune, wishy-washy (*colloq.*).
**Waspish,** *a.* 1. Irritable, irascible, petulant, snappish, pettish, snarly, peevish, captious, testy, fretful, splenetic, touchy, choleric.
2. Slender, small-waisted, slim.
**Wassail,** *n.* Carousal, revelry, revels, saturnalia, debauch, orgies, potation, compotation, convivial entertainment, jollification, drunken bout.
**Waste,** *v. a.* 1. Decrease, diminish, wear, corrode, use up, prey upon, wear away, consume, wear out, impair gradually, diminish by constant loss.
2. Consume (*foolishly*), spend, expend, squander, dissipate, lose, misspend, misuse, fool away, fritter away, muddle away, use prodigally.
3. Spend in vain, expend uselessly, lavish, squander, dissipate.
4. Destroy, desolate, ravage, pillage, plunder, strip, ruin, spoil, devastate, sack, devour.
5. (*Law.*) Damage, impair, injure.
**Waste,** *v. n.* 1. Dwindle, wither, pine, perish, decay, be diminished, waste away.
2. Swale, melt (*as a candle*), sweal, consume.
**Waste,** *a.* 1. Destroyed, ruined, ravaged, spoiled, devastated, desolated, stripped, bare.
2. Dreary, dismal, forlorn.
3. Wild, uncultivated, bare, untilled, unoccupied, unimproved.
4. Worthless, refuse, valueless, useless.
5. Superfluous, exuberant.
**Waste,** *n.* 1. Consumption, loss, diminution, decrement, expenditure, wasting, dissipation, wear and tear.
2. Squandering, prodigality, wanton destruction, loss.
3. Devastation, ravage, ruin, rapine, destruction, desolation, pillage, havoc.
4. Refuse, worthless matter, rubbish.
5. Wild, wilderness, desert, solitude, lonely place, deserted region.
6. Dreary void, expanse.

**Wasteboard,** *n.* (*Naut.*) Washboard.
**Wasteful,** *a.* 1. Destructive, ruinous.
2. Lavish, prodigal, profuse, extravagant, thriftless, unthrifty, too free, too liberal, improvident.
**Waster,** *n.* Squanderer, prodigal, spendthrift.
**Wasting,** *n.* Decay, decline, consumption, marasmus, emaciation, atrophy, *tabes*, phthisis.
**Watch,** *n* 1. Vigil, watching, wakefulness, watchfulness, outlook.
2. Inspection, observation, attention.
3. Guard, sentry, watchman.
4. Pocket timepiece.
**Watch,** *v. n.* 1. Wake, be awake, keep awake, not be asleep, keep vigil.
2. Keep guard, keep watch and ward, stand guard, be on guard, be on the watch, act as sentinel, be on the lookout, look sharp, keep a sharp lookout, have all one's eyes about one.
3. Wait, look, be expectant, seek opportunity.
**Watch,** *v. a.* 1. Guard, tend, attend, have in keeping.
2. Mark, observe, eye, keep the eye on, keep an eye upon, keep in view, not lose sight of.
**Watchful,** *a.* Vigilant, attentive, observant, awake, alive, heedful, careful, wary, cautious, circumspect, guarded, on one's guard, on the alert, with the eyes open, wide-awake, on the lookout, wakeful
**Watch-house,** *n.* 1. Guard-house.
2. Lock-up, police-station.
**Watching,** *n.* 1. Attention.
2. Sleeplessness, vigilance.
**Watchman,** *n.* Guard, sentinel, picket, sentry, guardsman.
**Watch over.** Be cautiously observant of, inspect, superintend, guard from danger.
**Watch-pocket,** *n* Fob.
**Watchword,** *n.* Countersign, password.
**Water,** *v a.* 1. Irrigate, moisten, wet.
2. Supply with water (*for drink*), furnish with water, give water to.
3. Sprinkle and calender (*as cloth, to give it an undulating* or *wavy appearance*).
**Water,** *v. n.* 1. Shed water.
2. Take in water, get water.
**Water-bearer,** *n.* Aquarius.
**Water-beech,** *n.* Sycamore, buttonwood, plane-tree, button-ball-tree, water-birch (*Platanus occidentalis*).
**Water-bellows,** *n. sing.* and *pl.* Tromp.
**Water-board,** *n.* (*Naut.*) Weather-board.
**Water-boatman,** *n.* (*Ent.*) Boat-fly.
**Water-brash,** *n.* Water-qualm, *pyrosis*.
**Water-clock,** *n.* Clepsydra.
**Water-closet,** *n.* Privy, backhouse, necessary, jakes.
**Water-course,** *n.* 1. Stream, brook, river.
2. Canal, drain, trench, ditch, channel, fosse, moat, sewer, leat.
**Water-crake,** *n.* See WATER-OUSEL.
**Water-crow,** *n.* See WATER-OUSEL.
**Water-cure,** *n.* Hydropathy.
**Water-doctor,** *n.* Hydropathist.
**Watered silk.** Tabby.
**Water-elder,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Guelder-rose, snowball-tree (*Viburnum opulis*).
**Water-elephant,** *n.* Hippopotamus.
**Waterfall,** *n.* Cataract, cascade, fall.
**Water-hen,** *n.* Gallinule, spotted crake (*Crex porzana* or *Gallinula chloropus*).
**Water-hog,** *n.* Capibara, cabiai (*Hydrochærus capybara*).
**Waterish,** *a.* 1. Aqueous, moist, wet, watery.
2. Thin, diluted, weak, like water, watery.
**Waterman,** *n.* Boatman, ferryman.
**Water-mole,** *n.* 1. Shrew-mole (*Scalops aquaticus*).
2. Duck-bill, ornithorynchus, platypus, mullangong, tambreet (*Ornithorynchus paradoxus*).
**Water-nymph,** *n.* Naiad.
**Water-oats,** *n. pl.* (*Bot.*) Canada-rice, Indian-rice (*Zizania aquatica*).
**Water-ousel,** } *n.* Dipper, water-crake, water-
**Water-ouzel,** } crow (*Cinclus aquaticus*).
**Water-pepper,** *n.* Smart-weed (*Polygonum hydropiper*).
**Water-pimpernel,** *n.* Brookweed.
**Water-poise,** *n.* Hydrometer, areometer.
**Water-pox,** *n.* (*Med.*) *Varicella*.
**Water-qualm,** *n.* Water-brash, *pyrosis*.
**Water-ram,** *n.* Hydraulic-ram.
**Water-rat,** *n.* 1. Musk-rat, musquash (*Ondatra zibethicus*).
2. Pirate.
**Water-ret,** *v. a.* Water-rot.
**Water-rice,** *n.* Indian-rice, Canada-rice, water-oats (*Zizania aquatica*).
**Water-rot,** *v. a.* Water-ret.
**Water-screw,** *n.* Propeller.
**Water-soldier,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Water-aloe (*Stratiotes aloides*).
**Water-sparrow,** *n.* Chuck, reed-sparrow, reed-bunting, king-bird (*Emberiza schœniclus*).
**Water-spider,** *n.* Water-tick.
**Water-trefoil,** *n.* (*Bot.*) Marsh trefoil, bog-bean, buck-bean (*Menyanthes trifoliata*).
**Water-violet,** *n.* Featherfoil.
**Watery,** *a.* 1. Aqueous.
2. Thin, weak, diluted, waterish, like water.
3. Tasteless, insipid, vapid, spiritless.
4. Wet, moist.
5. Of water.
**Watling-street,** *n.* Verlam-street.
**Wattle,** *n.* Hurdle (*of twigs*).
**Wave,** *n.* 1. Undulation, billow, breaker, surge, swell, ripple.
2. Wave of vibration.
3. Water.
4. Unevenness, inequality of surface.
**Wave,** *v. n.* 1. Undulate, float, play loosely, play to and fro.
2. Be moved (*as a signal*).
**Wave,** *v. a.* 1. Brandish, flourish.
2. Beckon, signal.
3. Put off, cast off, cast away, reject.
4. Relinquish.
**Waveless,** *a.* Smooth, calm, placid, undisturbed.
**Wavelike,** *a.* Undulating.
**Waver,** *v. n.* 1. Wave, undulate, float, flicker.
2. Totter, reel, be in danger of falling.
3. Vacillate, hesitate, fluctuate, be in suspense, be undetermined, be unsettled, be in doubt.
**Wavering,** *n.* 1. Vacillation, fluctuation.
2. Indecision, indetermination, hesitancy, uncertainty, irresolution, vacillation, fluctuation.
**Wavering,** *a* Unsettled, vacillating, fickle, unsteady, unstable, changeable, fluctuating.
**Waveson,** *n.* (*Eng. Law.*) Flotsam.
**Wavy,** *a.* Undulating, waving, playing to and fro.
**Wax,** *v. a.* Cere, smear with wax.
**Wax,** *v. n.* 1. Increase (*as the moon*), become larger, become fuller.
2. Grow, become, come to be, get to be.
**Waxen,** *a.* 1. Wax-like, waxy.
2. Soft, yielding, tender.
3. Wax-covered.
4. Of wax.
**Wax-moth,** *n.* Bee-moth.
**Wax-myrtle,** *n.* Bayberry, candleberry-tree (*Myrica cerifera*).
**Wax-painting,** *n.* Encaustic.

**Wax-wing,** *n.* [*U. S.*] Cedar-bird (*Ampelis Carolinensis*).
**Wax-work,** *n.* 1. Wax figures.
2. Climbing bitter-sweet (*Celastrus scandens*).
**Waxy,** *a.* 1. Viscid, adhesive, tenacious.
2. Yielding, pliable.
**Way,** *n.* 1. Passage, march, advance, progression.
2. Road, path, route, course, track, street, highway, highroad, room for passing, opportunity to pass, passage.
3. Method, mode, manner, fashion.
4. Space, distance, interval.
5. Custom, usage, habit, habitude, practice, wont, second nature, regular course, habitual method, plan of conduct, mode of dealing.
6. Scheme, device, means by which anything is reached.
7. Course, direction of motion, tendency of action.
8. Determined course, resolved mode of action.
9. (*Naut.*) Progress.
**Wayfarer,** *n.* Traveller, passenger, pilgrim, itinerant.
**Wayfaring,** *a.* Travelling, passing.
**Waylay,** *v. a.* Lie in wait for (*with evil intent*), lie in ambush for.
**Wayless,** *a.* Pathless, trackless.
**Ways and means.** 1. Methods, resources, facilities.
2. (*Legislation.*) Means for raising money, resources for revenue.
**Ways of God.** His providential government.
**Wayward,** *a.* Perverse, froward, wilful, obstinate, headstrong, stubborn, intractable, unruly, cross-grained, refractory, capricious, self-willed, contrary, captious.
**Waywiser,** *n.* Pedometer, odometer, perambulator
**Wayworn,** *a* Wearied by travelling, travel-stained, footsore, weary, fatigued.
**Weak,** *a.* 1. Feeble, languid, weakly.
2. Sickly, debilitated, unhealthy, unsound, infirm, tender, valetudinary, valetudinarian, invalid, frail, delicate, fragile.
3. Defenceless, unguarded, exposed, unprotected.
4. Soft, pliant.
5. Pliable, pusillanimous, easily influenced, without any backbone, irresolute.
6. Shallow, simple, silly, senseless, witless, stupid, foolish, childish, imbecile.
7. Unwise, injudicious.
8. Indiscreet, erring, peccable, foolish, imprudent.
9. Feeble.
10. Low, faint, small, feeble, piping, womanish.
11. Thin, watery, diluted, waterish, insipid, tasteless.
12. Sleazy, flimsy, slight, poor, trifling, feeble, frivolous.
13. Poor, inconclusive, unconvincing, unsatisfactory, lame, illogical, vague.
14. Accessible, assailable, vulnerable.
15. Unsustained, unsupported.
16. Ineffective, inefficient, inefficacious.
17. Unsound, unsafe, untrustworthy, frail, unsubstantial.
18. Infirm, unstable, unsteady, undecided, wavering, unsettled.
19. Ineffectual.
20. Powerless.
21. Delicate, frail, fragile.
22. Small, slight, slender, inconsiderable.
**Weaken,** *v. a.* 1. Enfeeble, enervate, debilitate, unnerve, make weak.
2. Invalidate, make of less effect.
3. Reduce, depress, debase, lower, impair.
**Weaker vessel.** Woman.
**Weak-fish,** *n.* Squeteague (*Labrus squeteague* or *Onolithus regalis*).
**Weak-headed,** *a.* See WEAK-MINDED.
**Weakly,** *a.* Feeble, weak, infirm.
**Weak-minded,** *a.* Shallow, weak, soft, sappy, feeble-minded, short-witted, half-witted, weak-headed.
**Weakness,** *n.* See WEAK, under its various senses.
**Weal,** *n.* Welfare, prosperity, good, advantage, happiness, interest, utility, profit.
**Wealth,** *n.* Affluence, opulence, abundance, fortune, independence, competence, riches, mammon, pelf, money, treasure, funds, cash, property.
**Wealthy,** *a.* Affluent, opulent, rich, moneyed, flush, well-off, well-to-do.
**Wean,** *v. a.* 1. Put from the breast.
2. Withdraw, disengage, alienate, detach, reconcile to the loss of anything.
**Wean,** *n.* Weanling.
**Weaponless,** *a.* Unarmed.
**Weapons,** *n. pl.* Arms.
**Wear,** *v. a.* 1. Carry (*upon the person*), bear, have on.
2. Bear, have an appearance of, exhibit in appearance.
3. Use up by having upon one.
4. Impair (*by use*), waste, consume by use, use up, wear away, wear out.
5. Impair, waste, diminish, consume gradually, spend, cause to disappear.
6. Cause by friction, occasion by wasting.
7. Affect by degrees, bring about gradually.
8. (*Naut.*) [Written also *Ware*] Veer.
**Wear,** *v. n.* 1. Be wasted, wear away.
2. Endure use, last under employment.
3. Suffer injury by use, be wasted, be consumed, be diminished by use.
4. Be tedlously spent, be consumed by slow degrees.
**Wear away.** 1. (*Active.*) Waste, consume, impair, diminish, destroy by gradual attrition, wear.
2. Consume, spend tediously, use up.
**Wear away.** (*Neuter.*) Be consumed, be wasted.
**Wearied,** *a.* Tired, fatigued, jaded, fagged, exhausted, weary.
**Weariness,** *n.* Fatigue, lassitude, exhaustion, prostration, languor, languidness.
**Wearisome,** *a.* Tedious, tiresome, fatiguing, annoying, weary, vexatious, trying, humdrum, prosy, monotonous, uninteresting, irksome.
**Wear off.** (*Active.*) 1. Obliterate, rub off.
2. Diminish by attrition, rub off
**Wear off.** (*Neuter.*) Pass off by degrees *or* gradually.
**Wear out.** 1. Consume, render useless, waste.
2. Consume tediously.
3. Harass, tire.
4. Waste the strength of.
**Weary,** *a.* 1. Fatigued, tired, exhausted, wearied.
2. Tiresome, irksome, wearisome.
**Weary,** *v. a.* 1. Fatigue, tire, jade, fag, exhaust tire out, wear out.
2. Make impatient by continuance.
3. Harass, irk, dispirit.
**Weary out.** Subdue by fatigue, exhaust completely.
**Weasand,** *n.* Windpipe, trachea, throttle, throat.
**Weasel-coot,** *n.* Red-headed smew (*Mergus minutus*).
**Weather,** *v. a.* 1. (*Naut.*) Pass to windward of, pass between the wind and.
2. Endure, sustain, bear, stand, bear up

against, get the better of, resist, encounter and sustain.

**Weather a point.** I. Gain a point toward the wind

2. Gain *or* accomplish anything against opposition.

**Weather-cock,** *n.* I. Vane, weather-vane.

2. Trimmer, time-server, fickle person, chameleon.

**Weather out.** Encounter successfully, though with difficulty; endure.

**Weave,** *v. a.* I. Interlace (*as the threads of a fabric*), intwine, plait, plat, braid, mat.

2. Unite intimately, unite by close connection *or* intermixture.

3. Compose, form into a fabric.

**Weave,** *v. n.* Work a loom, practise weaving.

**Weazen,** *a.* Thin, sharp, lean, withered, shrunken, dried, shrivelled, wizened.

**Web,** *n.* I. Texture, tissue, structure, textile fabric.

2. Suffusion (*of the eye*), film.

3. Cobweb.

4. Membrane (*as in the feet of swimming birds*).

**Web-footed,** *a.* Palmiped.

**Wed,** *v. a.* I. Marry, espouse.

2. Join in marriage, give in wedlock.

3. Attach firmly, unite closely in affection.

4. Unite forever, connect indissolubly.

**Wed,** *v. n.* Marry, contract matrimony.

**Wedding,** *n.* Marriage, nuptials, espousals, bridal, marriage ceremony, nuptial rites.

**Wedge-shaped,** *a.* Cuneiform.

**Wedlock,** *n.* Matrimony, nuptial state, marriage.

**Wee,** *a.* Little, small, diminutive, tiny, minikin, pygmy, pygmean, Liliputian.

**Weed,** *v. a.* I. Rid of weeds, free from noxious plants.

2. Root out, extirpate, take away, remove, eradicate

3. Free, rid

**Weeds,** *n. pl.* Mourning, symbol of sorrow.

**Week-day,** *n.* Work-day.

**Weekly,** *a.* Hebdomadal, hebdomadary.

**Ween,** *v. n.* (*Poetical.*) Fancy, imagine, think, suppose.

**Weep,** *v. n.* I. Cry, sob, shed tears.

2. Lament, complain.

3. Flow in drops, run in drops.

4. Drip, drop water.

5. Droop, be pendent.

**Weep,** *v. a.* I. Lament, bewail, bemoan.

2. Shed, pour forth, drop, shed drop by drop.

**Weft,** *n.* Woof.

**Weigh,** *v. a.* I. Bear up, raise, swing up, lift so that it hangs in the air.

2. Try in the balance, find the weight of, determine the heaviness of

3. Counterbalance, be equivalent to in weight, have the heaviness of.

4. Pay, allot, take by weight.

5. Examine, ponder, balance in the mind, meditate upon, estimate deliberately, balance.

6. Regard, esteem as worthy of notice.

**Weigh,** *v. n.* I. Gravitate, be heavy.

2. Bear, press, bear heavily, press hard.

**Weigh down.** I. (*Active.*) Overbalance.

2. Oppress, overburden, depress

**Weigh down.** (*Neuter.*) Sink by its own weight.

**Weight,** *n.* I. Heaviness, gravity, ponderousness, ponderosity.

2. Pressure, burden, load.

3. Importance, influence, power, efficacy, consequence, moment, significance, import, pith.

4. Scale, mode of estimating weight, measure, system of weighing.

**Weight,** *v. a.* Load, make heavy, load down.

**Weightily,** *ad.* I. Heavily, ponderously.

2. Forcibly, impressively, significantly.

**Weightiness,** *n.* I. Ponderousness, gravity, heaviness.

2. Solidity, force, impressiveness.

3. Importance, gravity, consequence, moment.

**Weighty,** *a.* I. Heavy (*intrinsically*), ponderous, onerous.

2. Important, influential, efficacious, forcible, momentous, grave, serious, of consequence.

**Weir,** *n.* [Written also *Wear*, *Wier*, and *Were*.] Dam.

**Weird,** *n.* I. Fate, destiny.

2. Spell, charm.

3. Prediction.

**Weird,** *a.* I. Skilled in witchcraft.

2. Supernatural, unearthly, wild.

**Weird Sisters.** [*Scotch.*] The Fates, the Sisters three, *Parcæ*.

**Welcome,** *n.* I. Greeting, salutation.

2. Kind reception.

**Welcome,** *v. a.* Greet, receive, bid welcome.

**Welcome,** *a.* I. Gladly received *or* entertained, admitted with pleasure.

2. Acceptable, pleasing, agreeable, pleasant, grateful, gratifying.

3. Free to have, free to enjoy gratuitously.

**Welcome,** *interj.* You are welcome.

**Weld,** *n.* [Written also *Wold*, *Woad*, *Woald*, and *Would*.] Dyer's weed (*Reseda luteola*).

**Welfare,** *n.* Prosperity, happiness, success, weal, well-being, advantage, benefit, profit.

**Welkin,** *n.* (*Poetical*). Sky, empyrean, firmament, heaven, the heavens, canopy of heaven, vault of heaven, starry heavens.

**Well,** *n.* I. Spring, fountain, well-head, well-spring.

2. Source, origin.

**Well,** *v. n.* Issue, spring, flow.

**Well,** *ad.* I. Rightly, justly, in a proper manner.

2. Properly, suitably, correctly, accurately, thoroughly, skilfully, not amiss.

3. Sufficiently, abundantly, amply, fully, thoroughly, adequately.

4. Favorably, commendably, with praise.

5. Highly, very much.

6. Far, considerably, not a little.

7. Conveniently, easily.

**Well,** *a.* I. Healthy, hale, hearty, in health, sound, in good health.

2. Fortunate, happy.

3. Profitable, convenient, beneficial, expedient, good, useful, advantageous, for one's advantage, for one's interest.

4. Favored, fortunate, being in favor.

**Well-a-day,** *interj.* Alas, lackaday.

**Well-appointed,** *a.* Fully furnished, well-equipped.

**Well-authenticated,** *a.* Supported by good authority, trustworthy, well-founded.

**Well-behaved,** *a.* Courteous, civil, polite, well-bred, well-mannered, polished, of good manners.

**Well-being,** *n.* See WELFARE.

**Well-born,** *a.* Gentle, high-born, of good descent, of a good stock

**Well-bred,** *a.* Refined, polished, polite, courteous, cultivated.

**Well-doing,** *n.* Right conduct, good actions, upright deeds.

**Well enough.** Tolerably, sufficiently well, so as to give satisfaction, moderately well.

**Well-favored,** *a.* Good-looking, comely, personable, pleasing to the eye.

**Well-founded,** *a.* I. Authentic.

2. Well-grounded

**Well-grounded,** *a.* I. Well-founded.

2. Well-prepared, well-instructed, well-informed, well-read, well-taught.
**Well-head,** *n.* Spring, fountain, well, well-spring, source.
**Well-informed,** *a.* Correctly informed, provided with information, intelligent, well furnished with knowledge.
**Well-intentioned,** *a.* Well-meaning.
**Well-known,** *a.* Widely known, fully known, generally known.
**Well-mannered,** *a.* See WELL-BEHAVED.
**Well-meaning,** *a.* Well-intentioned.
**Well-meant,** *a.* Friendly, kind, rightly intended.
**Well-nigh,** *ad* Almost, nearly.
**Well-off,** *a.* Prosperous, thriving, flourishing, forehanded, beforehand, in easy circumstances, well-to-do, possessed of a competence, in good condition.
**Well-read,** *a.* Erudite, learned, lettered, literary, book-learned
**Well read in.** Deeply versed in.
**Well-spring,** *n.* Spring, fountain, well, well-head, source of continual supply.
**Well-timed,** *a.* Opportune, seasonable, timely, happy, felicitous, all in good time.
**Well-to-do,** *a.* Well-off.
**Well-wisher,** *n.* Friend, favorer, encourager.
**Welter,** *v. n.* I. Wallow, tumble about, roll.
2. Rise and fall (*as waves*), tumble over (*as billows*).
**Wench,** *n.* I. Strumpet.
2. [*U. S.*] Negress, colored woman.
**Wend,** *v. n.* Go, pass, betake one's self
**Wend,** *v. a.* Direct, betake
**Wend one's way.** Go, travel, journey, pass.
**Were-wolf,** *n.* [Written also *Wehr-wolf.*] Man-wolf.
**Wesleyanism,** *n.* Methodism.
**West,** *n.* Occident.
**West,** *a.* Western, westerly, occidental.
**Westerly,** *a.* Western, west.
**Westerly,** *ad.* I. Westward, toward the west.
2. From the west.
**Western,** *a.* I. West, occidental.
2. Westerly, toward the west, westward.
**Westward,** *ad.* Westerly, toward the west.
**Wet,** *a.* I. Damp, moist, humid, dank.
2. Rainy, showery, very damp.
**Wet,** *n.* I. Humidity, moisture, dampness, wetness.
2. Rainy weather, foggy *or* misty weather.
**Wet,** *v. a.* Moisten, damp, dampen, sprinkle, soak.
**Wetness,** *n.* I. Moisture, humidity.
2. Fogginess, mistiness, wet.
**Whale-bone,** *n* Baleen, whale-fin.
**Whale-oil,** *n.* Train-oil.
**Whame,** *n.* Burrel-fly, ox-fly, gad-fly.
**Wharf,** *n.* Quay.
**What,** *pron* I. That which
2. The sort of, the kind of.
3. Which (*out of many*, or *of many kinds*).
4. How, how great, how remarkable.
5. In part, partly.
6. Whatever, whatsoever, what thing soever.
**Whatever,** *pron.* I. Anything, be it what it may, anything soever, whatsoever.
2. All that, the whole that.
**What if.** What will it matter if, what will happen, *or* be the result if.
**Whatsoever,** *pron.* Whatever.
**What though.** What matters it that, allowing that, supposing that, even granting that, notwithstanding.
***What time.*** At the time when.
***What to do with.*** How to use, how to employ, *how to dispose of.*
**What with.** Partly, in part.
**Wheat-bird,** *n.* Night-jar, goat-sucker.
**Wheat-ear,** *n.* Fallow-finch, white-ear (*Saxicola œnanthe*)
**Wheat-fly,** *n.* Hessian-fly (*Cecidomyia destructor*).
**Wheat-grass,** *n.* Twitch-grass, couch-grass, dog's-grass, dog-wheat, knot-grass (*Triticum repens*).
**Wheat-moth,** *n.* I. Grain-moth, corn-moth (*Tinea granella*).
2. Angumois moth (*Anacampsis cerealella*).
**Wheedle,** *v. a.* I. Flatter, cajole.
2. Inveigle, humor, court, fawn upon, coax, pay court to.
**Wheedler,** *n.* I. Flatterer, coaxer.
2. Sycophant, parasite, fawner, toady, flunky, spaniel, lick-spittle, pick-thank, toad-eater, time-server, hanger-on, mean flatterer.
**Wheel,** *v. n.* I. Move on wheels, roll.
2. Revolve, rotate, turn, roll, turn on an axis.
3. Gyrate, turn round, move round.
4. Revolve, move round, move in a circle, turn.
5. Fetch a compass.
6. Deviate, deflect, diverge, turn aside, alter one's course.
7. Move forward, roll forward.
**Wheel,** *v a.* I. Whirl, twirl, spin, put into a rotatory motion.
2. Move on wheels, convey on wheels.
**Wheel-horse,** *n.* Wheeler.
**Wheel-house,** *n.* (*Naut.*) Paddle-box.
**Wheeze,** *v. n.* Breathe hard, breathe audibly.
**Whelk,** *n.* I. Protuberance, pustule.
2. Stripe, streak, mark, wale.
**Whelm,** *v. a.* I. Overwhelm.
2. Cover completely, immerse deeply, overwhelm, overburden
**Whelp,** *n.* I. Cub, young beast.
2. Puppy, pup, young dog.
3. Youth, young man (*jocosely* or *in contempt*).
**When,** *ad.* I. At the time, at the time that.
2. Whenever, at what time.
3. While, whereas.
4. Which time, then
**Whence,** *ad* I. From what place.
2. From what cause, from what source, how.
**Whenever,** *ad.* At whatever time, whensoever.
**Whensoever,** *ad.* See WHENEVER.
**Where,** *ad.* I. At which place, in which place.
2. At what place, in what place
3. Whither, to what, to which place (*recent*).
**Whereabouts,** *ad.* Near what place, about where, near what.
**Whereabouts,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Residence, location.
**Whereas,** *conj.* I. Since, considering that, it being the case that.
2. When in fact, while on the contrary.
**Whereby,** *ad.* By which.
**Wherefore,** *ad.* and *conj.* I. Why, for what cause *or* reason, on what account.
2. Why, for what reason.
3. For which reason.
**Wherein,** *ad.* I. In which.
2. In what.
**Whereof,** *ad.* I. Of which.
2. Of what.
**Wheresoever,** *ad.* In what place soever, in whatever place, wherever.
**Whereto,** *ad* I. To which.
2. To what, to what end.
**Whereupon,** *ad.* Upon which, in consequence of which.
**Wherever,** *ad.* In whatever place.
**Wherewith,** *ad.* I. With which, wherewithal.

2. With what.
**Wherewithal,** *ad.* See WHEREWITH.
**Wherewithal,** *n.* (*Colloq., used with* The *prefixed.*) The means (*with which to accomplish any purpose*).
**Whet,** *v. a.* 1. Sharpen (*by rubbing*).
2. Stimulate, excite, arouse, rouse.
3. Stir up, excite, provoke, make angry.
4. Animate, warm, kindle, quicken.
**Whet forward.** } Urge on, urge forward, instigate.
**Whet on.** }
**Whet-slate,** *n.* (*Min.*) Novaculite, whetstone-slate, Turkey-stone, oil-stone, whetstone.
**Which,** *pron.* 1. What one.
2. That.
**Whiff,** *n.* Puff, blast, sudden gust.
**Whiff,** *v. a.* Puff.
**Whiffle,** *v. n.* Veer (*as by change of wind*), turn about, waver, shake, shift, turn, prevaricate, be fickle, be unsteady.
**Whiffle-tree,** *n.* Whipple-tree.
**While,** *n.* Time, season, space of time.
**While,** *ad.* 1. During the time that.
2. As long as.
3. At the same time that.
4. Under which circumstances, in which case, though.
**While away.** Pass away (*as time*), spend pleasantly.
**Whim,** *n.* Freak, fancy, vagary, humor, caprice, crotchet, quirk, whimsey, kink, wrinkle (*colloq.*).
**Whimper,** *v. n.* Cry (*in low and broken tones*), whine.
**Whimsey,** *n.* Caprice, whim.
**Whimsical,** *a.* 1. Capricious, freakish, odd, singular, strange, fanciful, fantastical, notional, crotchety, queer, quaint.
2. Singular, curious, odd, fantastic, grotesque, quaint.
**Whimsicality,** *n.* 1. Whimsicalness, singularity, freakishness, odd disposition.
2. Oddity, whim, caprice, freak.
**Whine,** *v. n.* 1. Cry (*plaintively*), moan (*in a childish way*).
2. Complain meanly, grumble.
**Whine,** *n.* 1. Plaintive tone.
2. Mean *or* affected complaint.
**Whinny,** *v. n.* Neigh.
**Whip,** *v. n.* (*Ludicrous.*) Move nimbly.
**Whip,** *v. a.* 1. Lash, strike (*with a cord*), beat.
2. Drive with lashes, cause to rotate, spin.
3. Flog, beat, punish with the whip, flagellate, scourge, lash.
4. Lash, hurt, sting.
5. Strike, thrash, beat out (*as grain*).
6. Stitch, baste, sew lightly, overcast.
7. Wrap, inwrap, overlay with cord.
8. Snatch, jerk, whisk, take by a sudden motion.
**Whip and spur.** With the utmost haste, with sail and steam, *velis et remis.*
**Whip-hand,** *n.* Advantage, upper-hand, better.
**Whip in.** 1. Drive in, keep from scattering.
2. Collect in, keep together.
**Whipping,** *n.* Flogging, beating, castigation, thrashing.
**Whipple-tree,** *n.* Whiffle-tree.
**Whip-staff,** *n.* Tiller.
**Whip-stock,** *n.* Whip-stalk, whip-stick.
**Whirl,** *v. n.* Twirl, revolve, rotate, spin.
**Whirl,** *v. a.* Twirl spin, wheel, turn round.
**Whirl,** *n.* Gyration, rotation.
**Whirl-bone,** *n.* Patella, knee-pan.
**Whirling,** *n.* Twirl, circular motion.
**Whirlpool,** *n.* Vortex, eddy.
**Whirlwind,** *n.* Cyclone.
**Whirring,** *n.* Whiz, buzzing noise.
**Whisk,** *v. n.* 1. Trip, speed, hasten, hie, post, scud, brush, move nimbly, push on, dash on, cut along.
2. Brush.
**Whisper,** *v. n.* Speak under the breath, speak softly.
**Whisper,** *v. a.* Breathe, utter softly.
**Whisper,** *n.* 1. Whispering, *susurrus.*
2. Low, soft voice, gentle utterance.
3. Murmur, sibilant sound (*as of the wind*).
4. Hint, intimation, inkling.
**Whist,** *interj.* Hush, silence, be still, be silent, keep quiet, make no noise.
**Whistle-fish,** *n.* Rockling, sea-louch (*Motella vulgaris*).
**Whit,** *n.* Iota, jot, tittle, particle, bit, atom, grain, scrap, mite, ace, scintilla.
**White,** *a.* 1. Of a white color, snowy, frosty, hoary, hoar.
2. Pale, wan, destitute of color, pallid.
3. Pure, clean, spotless, unblemished.
4. Gray.
5. Happy, fortunate, innocent.
**White-ant,** *n.* Termite, termes.
**White-bear,** *n.* Polar-bear (*Thalarctos maritimus*).
**White bismuth.** Sub-nitrate of bismuth.
**White-brant,** *n.* Snow-goose (*Anser hyperboreus*).
**White-cedar,** *n.* Arbor vitæ (*Thuja occidentalis*).
**White-copper,** *n.* Packfong, German silver.
**White-copperas,** *n.* Coquimbite.
**White-ear,** *n.* Fallow-finch, wheat-ear (*Saxicola œnanthe*).
**White-lead,** *n.* Ceruse, carbonate of lead.
**Whiten,** *v. a.* 1. Bleach, blanch, etiolate, make white.
2. Cover with white, make white
**Whiten,** *v. n.* Bleach, blanch, etiolate, become *or* grow white.
**White-nun,** *n.* Smew (*Mergus albellus*).
**White-poplar,** *n.* Abele-tree (*Populus alba*)
**White-smith,** *n.* Tin-smith.
**White-thorn,** *n.* Hawthorn (*Cratægus oxyacantha*).
**White-vitriol,** *n.* Sulphate of zinc.
**White-weed,** *n.* White daisy, ox-eye daisy (*Leucanthemum vulgare*).
**White-wood,** *n.* Tulip-tree (*Liriodendron tulipifera*).
**Whither,** *ad.* 1. To what place.
2. To which place.
**Whiting,** *n.* 1. Spanish white.
2. (*Ich.*) Merling (*Gadus merlangus*).
**Whitish,** *a.* Somewhat white.
**Whitlow,** *n.* (*Med.*) Felon.
**Whit-Sunday,** *n.* See WHITSUNTIDE.
**Whitsuntide,** *n.* Whit-Sunday, Pentecost.
**Whiz,** *v. n.* Buzz, whir.
**Whiz,** *n.* Whirring, buzzing, buzzing noise.
**Whole,** *a.* 1. All, total.
2. Entire, undivided, integral, complete.
3. Uninjured, unimpaired, unbroken, perfect, faultless, good, firm, strong.
4. Sound, well, healthy.
**Whole,** *n.* All, total, totality, aggregate, gross, amount, sum, sum total.
**Wholesome,** *a.* 1. Healthy, healthful, salubrious, salutary, salutiferous, helpful, nourishing, nutritious, strengthening, invigorating, roborant.
2. Beneficial, salutary, helpful, improving, good.
3. Sound, healthy, uncorrupt, fresh.
**Wholly,** *ad.* 1. Totally, altogether, utterly.
2. Entirely, completely, fully, perfectly.
**Whoop,** *n.* Shout, halloo, hooh, yell.

**Whoop,** *v. n.* Shout, halloo, hollo, holla, yell, cry out.
**Whooping-cough,** *n.* [Written also *Hooping-cough.*] Chin-cough.
**Whopper,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Falsehood, lie, bounce, bouncer.
**Whore,** *n.* Harlot, prostitute, strumpet, courtesan, bawd, punk, drab, demirep, street-walker, night-walker, Cyprian, woman of the town, woman of ill fame.
**Why,** *ad.* I. Wherefore, for what cause *or* reason, on what account.
2. For what purpose, with what intent, to what end.
**Wicked,** *a.* I. Sinful, vicious, depraved, unprincipled, immoral, impious, irreligious, unrighteous, ungodly, godless, profane, irreverent, worthless, graceless, vile, abandoned, corrupt.
2. Bad, evil, unjust, ill, atrocious, iniquitous, heinous, flagitious, nefarious, criminal, outrageous, monstrous, villanous.
**Wickedness,** *n.* I. Sin, evil, depravity, vice, immorality, unrighteousness, sinfulness, crime, criminality, villany.
2. Atrocity, iniquity, enormity, flagitiousness.
**Wicker,** *n.* Twig, osier, withe.
**Wide,** *a.* I. Broad.
2. Spacious. vast, large, ample, extensive, expanded.
3. Remote, distant.
**Wide-awake,** *a.* Watchful, vigilant, attentive, observant, heedful, careful, wary, cautious, circumspect, on the alert, with the eyes open.
**Width,** *n.* Breadth, broadness, wideness.
**Wield,** *v. a.* I. Handle, brandish.
2. Manage, use, control, make use of.
**Wife,** *n.* Married woman, matron, helpmate, consort, spouse, mate, partner, better half, wife of one's bosom, gray mare.
**Wig,** *n.* Peruke, periwig, scratch.
**Wight,** *n.* [*In irony* or *burlesque.*] Creature, being, person.
**Wigwam,** *n.* Hut (*of an American Indian*), cabin, tepee.
**Wild,** *a.* I. Undomesticated, untamed.
2. Uncultivated, native.
3. Uncivilized, savage, rude, ferocious, barbarous, unrefined, untamed.
4. Impetuous, turbulent, irregular, violent, ungoverned, unrestrained, disorderly, furious, frantic, frenzied, outrageous.
5. Giddy, reckless, thoughtless, hare-brained, inconsiderate, heedless, light-headed, harum-scarum (*colloq.*).
6. Fanciful, imaginary, extravagant, visionary, crazy, grotesque, strange, *bizarre.*
**Wild,** *n.* Desert. See WILDERNESS.
**Wild-bean,** *n.* Ground-nut (*Apios tuberosa*).
**Wild-briar,** *n.* Dog-rose, hep-tree (*Rosa canina*).
**Wilderness,** *n.* Wild, desert, waste.
**Wild ginger.** Canada snake-root.
**Wild-goose chase.** Foolish pursuit, foolish enterprise, wool-gathering.
**Wile,** *n.* Trick, stratagem, cheat, fraud, chicane, chicanery, artifice, chouse, imposture, deceit, imposition, deception, ruse, dodge, fetch, manœuvre, cunning contrivance, crafty device.
**Wilful,** *a.* [Written also *Willful.*] I. Obstinate, stubborn, perverse, contumacious, refractory, headstrong, unruly, intractable, mulish, dogged, inflexible, heady, self-willed, pig-headed, obdurate, cantankerous.
2. Self-willed, arbitrary, capricious.
**Will,** *n.* I. Power of determination, power of choosing, faculty of volition, volition.
2. *Resolution,* resoluteness, determination, *decision, self-reliance,* force of will.
3. Wish, desire, inclination, disposition, pleasure.
4. Command, behest, order, direction.
5. Testament, last will and testament.
**Will,** *v. a.* I. Determine, decree, enjoin, command, direct
2. Bequeath, devise, demise, leave, give by will.
**Will,** *v. n.* I. Exercise volition.
2. Desire, choose, elect, be disposed, be inclined, be pleased, have a mind.
**Willing,** *a.* Inclined, disposed, desirous, minded, ready, of a mind, nothing loath, not averse.
**Willing,** *n.* Volition, resolution, resolving, determining, determination.
**Willingly,** *ad.* I. Cheerfully, readily, gladly, with all one's heart.
2. Voluntarily, of one's own accord, spontaneously
**Will-o'-the-wisp,** *n.* Friar's lantern, Jack-with-a-lantern, Jack-o'-lantern, *ignis fatuus.*
**Willow,** *n.* Osier.
**Wilt,** *v. n.* [*Common in U. S., local in Eng.*] Droop, wither.
**Wily,** *a.* Insidious, artful, cunning, sly, crafty, subtle, arch, designing, deceitful, treacherous, trickish, tricky, intriguing, politic, foxy, snaky, crooked, diplomatic, Machiavelian.
**Win,** *v. a.* I. Get (*by mastery* or *in competition*), gain, obtain, procure, acquire, earn, achieve, catch.
2. Bring over, gain over, get the compliance of.
**Win,** *v. n.* I. Succeed, be successful, gain the victory.
2. [*Archaic* or *poetical.*] Reach, get, arrive.
**Wince,** *v. n.* Flinch, shrink, startle, start back.
**Wind,** *n.* I. Air (*in motion*), draught, breeze, zephyr, puff of air, breath of air.
2. Breath, respiration.
3. Flatulence.
**Wind,** *v. a.* I. Coil, twine, twist, wreathe.
2. Turn in and out.
**Wind,** *v. n.* I. Twine, coil, twist, turn and twist, take a spiral course.
2. Meander, turn in and out, bend, curve, be devious, be tortuous.
**Windfall,** *n.* Godsend, unexpected gift, stroke of luck *or* good fortune, good luck, run of luck, piece of good fortune, piece of good luck.
**Wind-flower,** *n.* Anemone.
**Windhover,** *n.* Castrel, kestrel, stannel (*Falco tinnunculus*).
**Winding,** *n.* Flexure, turning, meandering, twisting, twist, convolution, contortion, sinuosity, curvature, tortuosity, bend, crook, kink, crookedness.
**Winding,** *a.* Flexuous. sinuous, meandering, serpentine, bending, curving.
**Winding up.** End, conclusion, catastrophe, *dénouement,* issue.
**Wind off.** Unwind, uncoil.
**Windpipe,** *n.* Trachea, weasand, throttle, throat.
**Wind-thrush,** *n.* Redwing, swine-pipe, red-sided thrush (*Turdus iliacus*).
**Wind up.** I. Wind into a ball, coil, coil up, roll up.
2. Settle, close, close up, bring to a close *or* conclusion.
**Windy,** *a.* I. Breezy, gusty, squally, stormy, tempestuous, blustering, boisterous.
2. Empty, airy, hollow, inflated.
3. Flatulent.
**Wine-bibber,** *n.* Toper, tippler, drunkard, dram-drinker, hard drinker, intemperate man.
**Wine-stone,** *n.* Argol, tartar (*crude*), bi-tartrate of potash.
**Wing,** *n.* I. Pennon, pinion.

2. Side-piece.
3. (*Mil.*) Flank.

**Wing-case,** *n.* (*Ent.*) Sheath.

**Winged,** *a.* 1. With wings, having wings.
2. Swift, rapid, fleet, fast, speedy, nimble, agile, flying.

**Win golden opinions.** Be liked, be in favor, gain commendation, get great praise.

**Wink,** *v. n.* Blink, nictate.

**Wink at.** Connive at, overlook, pretend not to see, shut one's eyes to.

**Winker,** *n.* Blinder (*for a horse*).

**Winking,** *n.* Nictation.

**Winning,** *a.* Attractive, alluring, pleasing, charming, bewitching, engaging, captivating, fascinating, prepossessing, enchanting, delightful, lovely.

**Winnow,** *v. a.* 1. Fan, clear of chaff.
2. Separate, part, divide, sift.

**Winsome,** *a.* [*Scotland and North of England.*] Cheerful, merry, gay, lively, sportive, blithe, blithesome, buoyant, jocund, light-hearted, debonair.

**Winter,** *v. n.* Hibernate.

**Winter-clover,** *n.* Checkerberry, partridge-berry, squaw-vine (*Mitchella repens*).

**Winter-green,** *n.* 1. Boxberry, teaberry, partridge-berry, mountain-tea (*Gaultheria procumbens*).
2. Pipsissewa (*Chimaphila umbellata*).

**Wintery,** } *a.* Hyemal, brumal, cold, icy, frosty.
**Wintry,** }

**Wipe,** *v. a.* Rub (*as with a cloth, in order to clean* or *dry*).

**Wipe,** *n.* 1. Wiping.
2. (*Colloq.*) Blow, stroke, hit.
3. Sneer, gibe, taunt, sarcasm.
4. (*Ornith.*) Pewit, lapwing (*Vanellus cristatus*).

**Wipe out.** Efface, obliterate, erase, expunge, cancel, raze, scratch out, rub out.

**Wire,** *n.* Metallic thread.

**Wire,** *v. a.* 1. Put upon a wire.
2. Bind with wire.
3. Ensnare by wires.
4. (*Recent.*) Telegraph, convey by electric telegraph, report by telegram.

**Wire-grass,** *n.* Crab-grass, dog's-tail grass (*Eleusine Indica*).

**Wire-puller,** *n.* Tactician, manœuvrer, diplomatist, adroit manager, pipe-layer.

**Wisdom,** *n.* 1. Sense, understanding, sagacity, judgment, judiciousness, prescience, insight, discernment, depth, profundity, solidity, good sense, enlarged views, reach *or* compass of thought, good judgment, prudence, foresight, knowledge how to live, judgment of ends.
2. Knowledge, erudition, learning, attainment, information, enlightenment.
3. Reasonableness, reason, right *or* just view.

**Wise,** *a.* 1. Sensible, sage, judicious, sagacious, penetrating, deep, profound, discerning, reasonable, rational, intelligent, enlightened, sound, solid, philosophical, of good judgment.
2. Erudite, learned.
3. Subtle, cunning, crafty, sly, foxy, wily, politic, knowing, designing, long-headed.

**Wise,** *n.* Manner, way, mode, fashion.

**Wiseacre,** *n.* Witling, ignoramus, pretender to wisdom. See DUNCE.

**Wish,** *v. n.* Desire, long, hanker, list.

**Wish,** *v. a.* 1. Bid, direct, want, desire, intend, mean.
2. Desire, want, long for, hanker after, set one's heart upon.

**Wish,** *n.* 1. Desire, want, will, pleasure, behest, hest (*poetical*), mind, intention.
2. Longing, want, desire, hankering, liking.

**Wish-bone,** } *n.* Merry-thought.
**Wishing-bone,** }

**Wishful,** *a.* Desirous, longing, eager, hankering, wistful.

**Wish-wash,** *n.* 1. Thin drink.
2. Trash, stuff, balderdash, palaver, moonshine, fudge, nonsense, jargon, prate, prattle, drivel, gibberish, gabble, gibble-gabble, platitude, flummery, inanity, senseless prate, frothy discourse, idle talk.

**Wishy-washy,** *a.* (*Colloq.*) Thin, feeble, weak, watery, flat.

**Wistful,** *a.* 1. Contemplative, meditative, reflective, musing, thoughtful, pensive.
2. Longing, eager. See WISHFUL.

**Wit,** *n.* 1. Intellect, understanding, mind, sense, reason, genius, mental power, intellectual faculties, thinking principle, mother-wit.
2. Quick perception (*as of partial resemblance in things mostly unlike*), keen discernment, acumen, penetration, discernment, insight.
3. Facetiousness, humor, fun, drollery, waggery, waggishness, jocularity, sparkle, readiness, quickness at repartee, Attic salt.
4. Humorist, wag, bright man, bright woman, bright person.

**Witch,** *n.* Sorceress, enchantress.

**Witch,** *v. a.* Charm, enchant, fascinate, enamour, captivate, ravish, bewitch.

**Witchcraft,** *n.* Sorcery, necromancy, magic, witchery, thaumaturgy, theurgy, wonder-working, enchantment, incantation, conjuration, charm, spell, the black art.

**Witchery,** *n.* 1. Sorcery. See WITCHCRAFT.
2. Fascination, spell, entrancement, enchantment, ravishment, enravishment.

**Witch-hazel,** *n.* Striped alder, hamamelis.

**With,** *prep.* 1. Through (*as the immediate agent* or *instrument*), by *or* with the help of, by the agency of, by means of. See BY.
2. Attending, accompanying, in company with, along with.
3. In the opinion of, in the estimation of, according to.
4. By the side of, in contrast with.
5. Upon, immediately after.

**With child.** Pregnant, *enceinte*, gone, sped, on the increase, in the family way.

**Withdraw,** *v. a.* 1. Remove, subduct, subduce, subtract, take away, draw out, draw back.
2. Wean, disengage, draw off.
3. Retract, recall, recant, disavow, revoke, abjure, take back.

**Withdraw,** *v. n.* Retire, retreat, secede, depart, decamp, go away, be off, go off.

**Withdrawal,** *n.* 1. Abduction, withdrawing, removal, subduction, subtraction, withdrawment.
2. Departure, exit, retirement, leave, going away.

**Withdrawment,** *n.* See WITHDRAWAL.

**Withe,** *n.* Twig, osier, wicker.

**Wither,** *v. n.* 1. Shrivel, dry, wilt, dry up, lose freshness.
2. Waste, decay, droop, languish, pine, pine away, waste away.

**Withhold,** *v. a.* 1. Restrain, suppress, repress, keep in, rein in.
2. Retain, suppress, keep back.

**Within,** *prep.* 1. In the inside of, inside of, inside.
2. In the compass of, in the limits of, not beyond, not above, not more than.
3. In the reach *or* influence of.

**Within,** *ad.* 1. Inwardly, internally, in the mind *or* heart.
2. Indoors, in the house, at home.

**With one consent.** Unanimously, with one accord, by common consent, to a man, as one man, one and all, on all hands, in chorus, without a dissenting voice, *nem. con.*

**Without,** *prep.* 1. Out of, on the outside of, outside of.

2. In the absence of, independently of, exclusively of.

3. Destitute of, lacking.

4. Free from *or* of, unburdened *or* unharmed by.

**Without book.** 1. By memory, from memory, without notes, without reading.

2. Without warrant, without authority.

**Withstand,** *v. a.* Resist, oppose, face, confront, strive against, stand against, make a stand against.

**Witless,** *a.* Silly, foolish, stupid, dull, shallow, senseless, obtuse, daft (*Scotch*), unintelligent, feeble-witted, short-witted, half-witted, dull-witted, muddy-headed, muddy-brained, slow of apprehension, fat-witted.

**Witling,** *n.* Wiseacre, Gothamite, blunderer, pretender to wisdom, man of small wit. See DUNCE.

**Witness,** *n.* 1. Testimony, evidence, attestation, corroboration, proof, confirmation.

2. Deponent, corroborator, eye-witness.

**Witness,** *v. a.* 1. Attest, be a witness of, bear witness to, testify to, confirm, corroborate.

2. Observe, see, mark, note, notice, take cognizance of.

**Witticism,** *n.* Joke (*made by one who affects wit*), jest, conceit, quip, quirk, crank.

**Witty,** *a.* 1. Facetious, humorous, jocular, jocose, waggish, droll, funny, pleasant.

2. Sprightly, sparkling, alert, quick, penetrating, apt at repartee.

**Witwall,** *n.* 1. Loriot, golden oriole (*of Europe; Oriolus galbula*).

2. Great spotted wood-pecker (*Picus major*).

**Wizard,** *n.* Conjurer, enchanter, sorcerer, magician, soothsayer, necromancer, charmer, diviner, seer, wonder-worker.

**Wizened,** *a.* Dried, shrivelled, shrunken, thin, sharp, lean, weazen.

**Woad,** *n.* Weld, dyer's weed, woad-waxen, wood-waxen, wood-wax, dyer's broom (*Genista tinctoria*).

**Woad-waxen,** *n.* See WOAD.

**Woe,** *n.* Sorrow, grief, distress, tribulation, affliction, anguish, agony, torture, bitterness, misery, wretchedness, unhappiness, trouble, dole, disconsolateness, melancholy, depression, heart-ache, heavy heart, bleeding heart, broken heart, mental suffering, pain of mind.

**Woe-begone,** *a.* Wretched, miserable, pitiable, disconsolate, comfortless, sad, forlorn, sorrowful, melancholy, downcast, desponding, cheerless, crestfallen, chapfallen, cast down.

**Woful,** *a.* [Written also *Woeful.*] 1. Sorrowful, distressed, sad, afflicted, unhappy, grieved, anguished, agonized, miserable, piteous, wretched, melancholy, disconsolate, troubled, burdened. See WOE-BEGONE.

2. Grievous, distressing, afflicting, afflictive, disastrous, calamitous, dreadful, tragical, deplorable, piteous, pitiable, depressing, sorrowful, saddening.

3. Wretched, paltry, mean, pitiful.

**Wolfsbane,** *n.* Aconite, monkshood.

**Wolverene,** } *n.* Glutton (*Gulo luscus*).
**Wolverine,** }

**Woman-hater,** *n.* Misogynist.

**Womanhood,** *n.* 1. Womanliness, high feminine quality.

2. Maturity (*in the human female*), ripeness, adult age, muliebrity.

3. Muliebrity, feminality, femineity, feminine sexual quality.

4. Women (*collectively*), womankind.

**Womanish,** *a.* Feminine (*in a bad sense*), effeminate.

**Womanly,** *a.* Feminine (*in a good sense*), becoming a woman.

**Womb,** *n.* 1. Uterus, matrix, *venter.*

2. Hollow, interior recess, depth, deep, abyss, arcanum, cavern.

**Wombat,** *n.* Phascolome (*Phascolomys ursinus*).

**Wonder,** *n.* 1. Astonishment, awe, amazement, surprise, bewilderment. See ADMIRATION.

2. Curiosity, curious awe, inquiring surprise, awed curiosity.

3. Prodigy, marvel, miracle, portent.

4. Curiosity, phenomenon, spectacle, rarity, sight.

**Wonder,** *v. n.* 1. Marvel, be surprised, be amazed, be astonished *or* astounded, be wonder-struck, be struck with wonder, be taken aback, stand agog, look blank, open one's eyes, open one's mouth.

2. Ponder, meditate, conjecture, speculate, question, be curiously doubtful.

**Wonderful,** *a.* Astonishing, astounding, surprising, amazing, startling, awe-inspiring, awful, awesome, marvellous, wondrous, miraculous, portentous, prodigious, extraordinary, very strange.

**Wonder-worker,** *n.* Conjurer. See WIZARD.

**Wonder-working,** *n.* Thaumaturgy, magic, sorcery. See WITCHCRAFT.

**Wondrous,** *a.* See WONDERFUL.

**Wont,** *n.* Custom, habit, use, practice.

**Wonted,** *a.* Accustomed, usual, habitual, customary, conventional, familiar, common, frequent, regular, ordinary, every-day.

**Woo,** *v. a.* Court, solicit in love, make love to, pay one's addresses to.

**Woo,** *v. n.* Court, make love.

**Wood,** *n.* 1. Forest, grove, copse, thicket, woodland, forest-land, timber-land.

2. Timber.

**Woodbine,** *n.* 1. Eglantine, honeysuckle (*Caprifolium periclymenum*).

2. Virginia creeper.

**Woodchuck,** *n.* Ground-hog (*Arctomys monax*).

**Wood-coal,** *n.* Charcoal.

**Wood-cut,** *n.* Wood-engraving, cut.

**Wooded,** *a.* Timbered, covered with woods, forest-covered, forest-crowned.

**Wooden,** *a.* 1. Made of wood.

2. Woody, ligneous.

3. Awkward, clumsy, ungainly, stiff, rigid, hard, unpliant, unpliable, unplastic.

**Wood-engraver,** *n.* Xylographer.

**Wood-engraving,** *n.* 1. Xylography.

2. Wood-cut, cut.

**Wood-grass,** *n.* Indian grass (*Sorghum nutans*).

**Woodland,** *n.* Woods, forest, grove, forest-land, timber-land.

**Wood-naphtha,** *n.* Methylic alcohol. See WOOD-SPIRIT.

**Wood-nymph,** *n.* Hamadryad, dryad, nymph of the woods.

**Wood-pigeon,** *n.* Ring-dove (*Columba palumbus*).

**Wood-shock,** *n.* Pecan, fisher (*Mustela Canadensis*).

**Wood-spirit,** *n.* Pyroxylic acid, pyroxylic spirit, wood-naphtha, methylic alcohol, pyroligneous spirit.

**Wood-wax,** } *n.* Weld, woad, dyer's weed,
**Wood-waxen,** } dyer's broom, woad-waxen (*Genista tinctoria*).

**Woody,** *a.* 1. Ligneous, wooden.

2. Wooded, timbered, forest-covered, forest-crowned, covered with woods.
3. Sylvan, shady, bosky, umbrageous, leafy, bowery.

**Woody-nightshade,** *n.* Bitter-sweet (*Solanum dulcamara*).

**Wooer,** *n.* Lover, suitor, gallant.

**Woof,** *n.* Weft.

**Wooing,** *n.* Suit, courtship, addresses.

**Wool-gathering,** *n.* Vagary, idle fancy, foolish enterprise, useless pursuit, wild-goose chase.

**Woollen,** *a.* [Written also *Woolen.*] Made of wool, of wool.

**Woollen,** *n.* Cloth of wool, woollen cloth.

**Woollens,** *n. pl.* Woollen goods.

**Woolly,** *a.* 1. Downy, like wool.
2. Downy, covered with wool, nappy.
3. (*Bot.*) Lanuginous, downy.

**Word,** *n.* 1. Vocable, expression. See TERM.
2. Report, tidings, account, advice, intelligence, information.
3. Statement, affirmation, declaration, assertion, averment.
4. Promise, pledge, assurance, engagement.
5. Order, command, signal.
6. Scripture, Word of God.
7. [With *The* prefixed.] Messiah. See CHRIST.

**Word-book,** *n.* Vocabulary, dictionary, lexicon, glossary.

**Word for word.** Literally, *verbatim*, exactly, in the exact words.

**Words,** *n. pl.* 1. Language, accents, tongues, talk, discourse.
2. Dispute, wrangling, bickering, altercation, logomachy, war of words.

**Wordy,** *a.* Verbose, prolix, diffuse, tedious, lengthened, inflated, windy, long-winded.

**Work,** *v. n.* 1. Act, operate, be in action.
2. Labor, toil, moil, drudge, be *or* keep at work, be diligent, be industrious.
3. Move, perform, succeed, get on.
4. Strive, endeavor, aim, attempt, try, exert one's self.
5. Ferment, effervesce.
6. Heave, be tossed, be agitated.

**Work,** *v. a.* 1. Labor upon, operate upon.
2. Produce, originate, accomplish, effect, cause, engender, beget, lead to, bring about.
3. Keep at work, keep employed.
4. Exert, strain.
5. Embroider, broider, stitch, decorate with the needle.

**Work,** *n.* 1. Toil, labor (*that fatigues*), exertion, drudgery.
2. Occupation, employment, business.
3. Product (*of labor*), performance, production, fruit, achievement, deed, action, feat.
4. Fabric, structure, manufacture.
5. Composition, book, literary production.
6. Management, treatment.

**Work against.** Resist, oppose, antagonize, try to thwart.

**Work-bag,** *n.* Reticule.

**Work-day,** *n.* Week-day, secular day.

**Worker,** *n.* 1. Laborer, workman, operative, artificer, craftsman, handicraftsman, artisan.
2. Doer, performer.
3. Working-bee.

**Work-house,** *n.* 1. Manufactory.
2. Penitentiary, jail, prison, bridewell, house of correction.
3. Poor-house.

**Working,** *a.* 1. Laboring.
2. Moving, operating, acting, in operation *or* action.
3. On duty, at work.
4. Fermenting.

**Working,** *n.* Motion, operation, action.

**Working-bee,** *n.* Worker.

**Workman,** *n.* 1. Laborer, operative, worker, journeyman.
2. Artisan, mechanic, craftsman, handicraftsman, artificer.
3. Skilful artificer, master in his art, skilled workman.

**Workmanlike,** *a.* Skilful, workmanly.

**Workmanly,** *a.* See WORKMANLIKE.

**Workmanship,** *n.* Handiwork, handicraft, manipulation, execution.

**Work out.** Accomplish, effect, perform, realize, bring to pass.

**Work through.** Get through.

**World,** *n.* 1. Universe, cosmos, creation, nature.
2. Earth, globe, terraqueous globe *or* ball.
3. Planet, heavenly body.
4. Life, things, human affairs, secular affairs, affairs of life, social life, ways of men, course of things, stream of time.
5. Public, society, people, men, mankind, human race.
6. Natural order, unspiritualized order, natural man, unregenerate man *or* order.

**Worldly,** *a.* 1. Earthly, mundane, terrestrial, terrene, sublunary, human, common.
2. Secular, temporal.
3. Sordid, grovelling, selfish, ambitious, proud, anxious for power, place, *or* wealth, worldly-minded, earth-born, irreligious.

**Worm,** *v. a.* Work slowly, secretly, and gradually (*like a worm*), writhe, wriggle, crawl, creep.

**Worm in.** Obtrude, thrust in, press in, foist in.

**Worm-like,** *a.* Worm-shaped, vermicular, vermiform.

**Worm one's self.** Insinuate one's self, intrude one's self secretly, work one's way intrusively.

**Worm out.** Find out (*as a secret*)

**Worm-shaped,** *a.* Worm-like, vermicular, vermiform.

**Worn,** *a.* Impaired (*by use*), wasted, abraded, consumed, decayed, threadbare, worn out, used up, worn to a thread, worse for wear.

**Worn out.** 1. Impaired. See WORN.
2. Trite, common, stale, hackneyed, beaten, threadbare, commonplace.

**Worry,** *v. a.* Tease, vex, plague, pain, harass, annoy, trouble, torment, pester, bother, bore, persecute, molest, harry, irritate, badger, fret, chafe, hector, infest, beset, gall, disturb, disquiet.

**Worry,** *v. n.* (*Colloq.*) Fret, chafe, fidget, be vexed, be troubled, worry one's self.

**Worry,** *n.* Anxiety, vexation, trouble, annoyance, perplexity, solicitude, care, disquiet, concern, uneasiness, fear, apprehension, misgiving.

**Worship,** *n.* Adoration, homage, reverence.

**Worship,** *v. a.* 1. Adore, venerate (*with religious rites*), revere, reverence.
2. Idolize, deify.

**Worshipful,** *a.* Venerable, reverend, honorable, worthy of honor.

**Worst,** *v. a.* Defeat, conquer, foil, overcome, overpower, overthrow, subdue, subjugate, vanquish, beat, rout, discomfit, crush, choke, quell, master, get the better of, put down.

**Worth,** *n.* 1. Merit, desert, worthiness, excellence, virtue, credit, character, integrity.
2. Value, price, cost.

**Worthiness,** *n.* Merit. See WORTH.

**Worthless,** *a.* 1. Useless, valueless, nugatory, unserviceable, futile, miserable, poor, wretched, of no account *or* value, good-for-nothing, of no use.
2. Base, vile, unworthy, ignoble, abject,

depraved, profligate, abandoned, graceless, good-for-nothing.
3. Refuse, waste.
4. Tinsel, showy, glittering, gaudy, superficial, trashy, trumpery, flimsy.
5. Trifling, trivial, paltry, frivolous, slight, piddling, of no moment, of small importance.

**Worthy,** *a.* I. Deserving, meritorious.
2. Estimable, excellent, good, virtuous, exemplary, honest, righteous, upright.

**Would-be,** *a.* Self-styled, pretended, *soi-disant.*

**Wound,** *n.* I. Hurt, injury (*for example, a cut, stab, bruise, etc.*).
2. Injury, hurt, damage, detriment, harm.
3. Pain (*of the mind* or *feelings*), pang, torture, grief, anguish.

**Wound,** *v. a.* I. Hurt, injure, damage, harm (*with some weapon* or *such agency*).
2. Pain, irritate, gall, lacerate, prick.
3. Annoy, mortify, offend, pain, give pain to, hurt the feelings of.

**Wraith,** *n.* [*Scotch.*] Apparition, vision, spectre, ghost, unreal image.

**Wrangle,** *v. n.* Quarrel, bicker, spar, spat, jangle, jar, squabble, tiff, have words, fall out, be at variance, have an altercation.

**Wrangle,** *n.* Quarrel, squabble, jangle, brawl, altercation, jar, bickering, contest, contention, controversy, wrangling, angry dispute.

**Wrangler,** *n.* I. Disputant, controversialist, jangler, quarrelsome fellow.
2. [*Cambridge University, Eng.*] Honor man, superior scholar (*especially in mathematics*).

**Wrangling,** *n.* Altercation. See WRANGLE, *n.*

**Wrap,** *v. a.* I. Fold, lap, roll together, wrap up.
2. Envelop, cover (*by winding* or *folding*), infold, muffle.

**Wrapper,** *n.* I. Envelope, cover, covering.
2. Dressing-gown, loose gown.

**Wrap up.** Wrap, fold, bundle up.

**Wrath,** *n.* Anger, ire, indignation, exasperation, irritation, rage, fury, choler, passion, heat, resentment, offence.

**Wrathful,** *a.* Angry, mad, furious, infuriate, raging, rageful, wroth, indignant, passionate, resentful, exasperated, provoked, incensed, irritated, hot, irate, ireful, in a passion, out of temper, out of tune.

**Wreak,** *v. a.* Inflict (*as wrath* or *vengeance*), work, execute, exercise, indulge, give rein to.

**Wreath,** *n.* I. Curl.
2. Garland, chaplet, festoon, crown, bays.

**Wreathe,** *v. a.* I. Twist, interweave, intwine, twine.
2. Encircle, surround, infold.

**Wreck,** *n.* I. Destruction, perdition, undoing, prostration, ruin, desolation, shipwreck.
2. Stranded vessel, shipwrecked vessel.

**Wreck,** *v. a.* I. Strand, founder, shipwreck, cast away.
2. Ruin, destroy, shipwreck, break, shatter, blight, blast.

**Wrench,** *v. a.* I. Wrest, wring, twist.
2. Sprain, strain, distort.

**Wrench,** *n.* I. Twist, wring.
2. Sprain, strain.
3. Screw-key.

**Wrest,** *v. a.* I. Twist. See WRENCH, *v. a.*
2. Pervert, strain, turn out of its true meaning, put a violent construction on.

**Wrestle,** *v. n.* Contend, strive, struggle.

**Wrestling,** *n.* Struggle, contention.

**Wretch,** *n.* I. Pilgarlic, pariah, vagabond, outcast, troglodyte, miserable being, unhappy being.
2. Miscreant, villain, knave, rogue, rascal, scoundrel, scapegrace, caitiff, ruffian, criminal.

**Wretched,** *a.* I. Unhappy (*on account of outward condition*), forlorn, comfortless, woebegone, afflicted, distressed. See MISERABLE.
2. Calamitous, afflictive, afflicting, deplorable, shocking, depressing, saddening, sad, sorrowful.
3. Bad, poor, vile, sorry, shabby, pitiful, worthless, paltry, contemptible, mean.

**Wretchedness,** *n.* Unhappiness, distress, misery, affliction. See WOE.

**Wriggle,** *v. n.* Squirm, writhe.

**Wriggle out of.** Get out of (*by adroit management*), work out of, work one's way out of.

**Wring,** *v. a.* I. Twist (*violently*), wrench.
2. Force, extort, wrest.
3. Harass, distress, torture, anguish, torment, pain.

**Wrinkle,** *n.* I. Furrow, crease, fold, plait, gather, pucker, rumple, corrugation, rimple.
2. (*Colloq.*) Notion, whim, fancy, whimsey, caprice, crotchet, vagary, freak, quirk, maggot.

**Wrinkle,** *v. a.* Corrugate, crease, rumple, cockle, pucker, crumple.

**Wrinkled,** *a.* Rugose, rugous.

**Wrist,** *n.* (*Anat.*) Carpus.

**Writ,** *n.* I. Writing, scripture.
2. (*Law.*) Decree, order, written order.

**Write,** *v. a.* I. Inscribe, pen, scrawl, scribble, scratch.
2. Compose, indite, produce, frame, draw up.
3. Set down, set down in writing, set down in black and white, jot down, commit to paper *or* writing, put on paper.

**Write,** *v. n.* I. Compose, invent (*in a literary way*), make books, practise authorship.
2. Write a letter, send a letter.
3. Tell (*in writing*), give account.
4. Use the pen, have a hand.

**Writer,** *n.* I. Penman.
2. Scribe, scribbler, clerk, secretary, amanuensis, quill-driver, scrivener.
3. Author, composer.

**Writhe,** *v. a.* Twist, distort, contort, make awry.

**Writhe,** *v. n.* Wriggle, squirm, be distorted.

**Writing,** *n.* I. Chirography, caligraphy, penmanship, handwriting, hand.
2. Document, instrument.
3. Book, work, publication, piece, literary production.
4. Inscription, title.

**Writing-desk,** *n.* Secretary, *escritoire.*

**Wrong,** *a.* I. Unjust, inequitable, unfair, wrongful.
2. Bad, wicked, evil, improper, immoral, sinful, iniquitous, blameworthy, guilty, vicious.
3. Unfit, inapposite, inappropriate, unsuitable, improper.
4. Incorrect, inaccurate, erroneous, mistaken, false, untrue, wide of the mark.

**Wrong,** *n.* I. Injustice, unfairness, injury, trespass, grievance, foul play, violation of right, tort (*law*).
2. Sin, wickedness, evil, immorality, vice, iniquity, blame, guilt, misdoing, misdeed.
3. Error.

**Wrong,** *ad.* Erroneously, incorrectly, inaccurately, falsely, amiss, improperly, wrongly, faultily.

**Wrong,** *v. a.* Injure, abuse, maltreat, oppress, treat unjustly, do a wrong to, do an injury to.

**Wrong-doer,** *n.* Delinquent, offender, sinner, culprit, evil-doer, criminal.

**Wrongful,** *a.* Unjust, unfair. See WRONG, *a.* I.

**Wrong-headed,** *a.* Perverse, stubborn, obstinate, intractable, crotchety, mulish, headstrong, cross-grained, dogged, wayward, pig-headed.

**Wrongly,** *ad.* Erroneously, amiss. See WRONG, *ad.*
**Wroth,** *a.* Angry. See WRATHFUL.
**Wrought.** (*Imperfect and participle of work.*) Performed, done, worked, effected.
**Wrought up.** Maddened, excited, fired, worked up, beside one's self.
**Wry,** *a.* Distorted, twisted, crooked, askew, awry, on one side, turned to one side.
**Wry face.** Grimace, distortion of countenance.

# X

**Xanthic,** *a.* Yellowish, tending to yellow, fulvous, fulvid.
**Xanthic acid.** Ethyldisulphocarbonic acid.
**Xanthic oxide.** Uric oxide, xanthin(e).
**Xanthin,** *n.* [Written also *Xanthine.*] Uric oxide, xanthic oxide.
**Xanthite,** *n.* Yellow vesuvian, yellow idocrase, yellow pyramidal garnet.
**Xanthium,** *n.* Bur-weed.
**Xanthocarpous,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Yellow-fruited, bearing yellow fruit.
**Xanthocon,** *n.* [Written also *Xanthocone.*] Arsenio-sulphide of silver.
**Xanthopicrin,** *n.* Berberine, xanthopicrite.
**Xanthopicrite,** *n.* Berberine, xanthopicrin.
**Xanthopous,** *a.* (*Bot.*) Yellow-stemmed, having a yellow stem, with yellow stems.
**Xanthous,** *a.* 1. Fair, blond (e), light-complexioned, fair-complexioned.
2. Fair-haired, blond-haired, yellow-haired.
**Xeres,** *n.* Sherry.
**Xiphias,** *n.* (*Ich.*) Sword-fish.
**Xiphoid,** *a.* (*Anat.*) Ensiform, sword-shaped, sword-like.
**Xiphosura,** *n.* King-crab, limulus.
**Xylanthrax,** *n.* Wood-coal, bovey-coal.
**Xylite,** *n.* Rock-wood, mountain-wood, ligniform asbestos.
**Xylocopa,** *n.* Carpenter-bee.
**Xylograph,** *n.* Wood-cut, wood-engraving, cut, engraving on wood.
**Xylographer,** *n.* Wood-engraver.
**Xylography,** *n.* 1. Wood-engraving, wood-graver's art, wood-cutting, engraving on wood.
2. Decorative printing on wood, printed wood-decoration.
**Xylophagous,** *a.* Wood-eating, living on wood, feeding on wood, wood-nourished.

# Y

**Yak,** *n.* Sarlyk, bubul, grunting-ox (*Poëphagus grunniens*).
**Yap,** *v. n.* See YAUP.
**Yard,** *n.* 1. Enclosure, compound.
2. Three feet, thirty-six inches.
**Yarn,** *n.* 1. Woollen thread.
2. (*Colloq.*) Story, tale.
**Yarrow,** *n.* Millefoil (*Achillea millefolium*).
**Yaup,** *v. n.* Yelp, yap, cry (*as a child* or *a bird*).
**Yawn,** *v. n.* 1. Gape, oscitate.
2. Open wide, gape, threaten to engulf.
**Yea,** *ad.* Yes, ay, aye.
**Yean,** *v n.* Lamb, bring forth a lamb.
**Yearly,** *a.* Annual. See ANNIVERSARY, *a.*
**Yearly,** *ad.* 1. Annually, once a year, every year.
2. By the year, per annum.
**Yearn,** *v. n.* Long, be eager, feel a strong desire, long fondly, long pityingly.
**Yeast,** *n.* Barm, ferment, rising, leaven.
**Yeasty,** *a* Barmy, fermenting.
**Yell,** *v. n.* Screech, shriek, scream, bawl, squeal, howl, roar, cry out (*as with pain* or *horror*).
**Yell,** *n.* Screech, shriek, scream, outcry.
**Yellow,** *a.* Golden, fulvous, fulvid, gold-colored.
**Yellow-bunting,** *n.* Yellow-hammer (*Emberiza citrinella*).
**Yellow-eyed,** *a.* Jaundiced, jealous, green-eyed.
**Yellow-flag,** *n.* Fleur-de-lis, flower-de-luce (*Iris pseudacorus*).
**Yellow-hammer,** *n.* Yellow-bunting (*Emberiza citrinella*).
**Yellow orpiment.** King's-yellow, yellow sulphuret of arsenic.
**Yellows,** *n. pl.* Jaundice (*in horses, cattle, and sheep*).
**Yelp,** *v. n.* Yaup, bark, cry (*as a dog*).
**Yeoman,** *n.* Freeholder, commoner, farmer.
**Yeomanry,** *n.* Body of yeomen, yeomen.
**Yerk,** *v. a.* Jerk, twitch, pull suddenly.
**Yerk,** *n.* Jerk, twitch.
**Yea,** *ad.* Yea, ay, aye.
**Yet,** *conj.* Nevertheless, notwithstanding, however, still, at the same time.
**Yet,** *ad.* 1. Besides, further, in addition, over and above.
2. Still, to this time, now, even now.
3. Hitherto, thus far, up to the present time.
**Yield,** *v. a.* 1. Produce, bear, furnish, supply, afford, impart, render, bestow, confer, communicate.
2. Permit, grant, allow, give, accord, concede.
3. Relinquish, surrender, abandon, cede, resign, abdicate, forego, waive, deliver up, give up, part with, make over, let go.
**Yield,** *v. n.* 1. Submit, surrender, succumb, give in, give up, resign one's self.
2. Bend, relax, bow, be pliant, give way.
3. Assent, comply, acquiesce, give consent.
4. Give place, give way, make way.
**Yield,** *n.* Product, crop.
**Yielding,** *a.* 1. Submissive, complying, compliant, accommodating, unresisting, facile, complaisant, affable, easy, manageable.
2. Pliable, pliant, supple, flexible, flexile, plastic.
**Yoke,** *n.* 1. Bond, chain, link, tie, ligature.
2. Bondage, servitude, service, dependence, subjection, thraldom, vassalage.
**Yoke,** *v. a.* Join, couple, link, interlink, conjoin, connect, associate.
**Yoke-fellow,** *n.* Companion, associate, partner, mate, co-laborer, coadjutor.

**Yonder,** *ad.* I. At a distance (*within view*).
2. There.
**Young,** *a.* Youthful, juvenile, not old, in one's teens.
**Younger,** *a.* Junior.
**Youngster,** *n.* (*Colloq.*) Youth, boy, lad, stripling, school-boy, younker, young man.
**Younker,** *n.* See YOUNGSTER.
**Youth,** *n.* I. Juvenility, adolescence, juniority, minority, teens, bloom, nonage, youthfulness, prime of life, flower of life.
2. Boy, stripling, school-boy, lad, youngster.
3. Young men, young women, young persons, the rising generation.
**Youthful,** *a.* I. Young, in one's teens.
2. Childish, juvenile, boyish, puerile.
**Youthfulness,** *n.* Juvenility, youth.
**Yucca,** *n.* Spanish-bayonet, bear-grass, Adam's needle.
**Yule,** *n.* I. Christmas, yule-tide.
2. Lammas, Lammas-tide.
**Yule-tide,** *n.* Christmas. See YULE.

# Z

**Zany,** *n.* Buffoon, clown, jester, droll, merry-andrew, harlequin, punch, punchinello, scaramouch, fool, jack-pudding, pickle-herring.
**Zanyism,** *n.* Buffoonery, clownishness, drollery, harlequinism, foolery.
**Zeal,** *n.* Ardor, eagerness, engagedness, fervor, fervency, warmth, glow, feeling, energy, earnestness, devotedness, devotion, intentness, intensity, heartiness, cordiality, enthusiasm, passion, soul, spirit.
**Zealot,** *n.* I. Fanatic, bigot.
2. Enthusiast, visionary, dreamer.
**Zealous,** *a.* Ardent, eager, keen, earnest, fervent, fervid, warm, glowing, burning, fiery, passionate, enthusiastic, devoted, swift, prompt, ready, forward.
**Zenith,** *n.* Summit, top, apex, pinnacle, acme, utmost height, highest point, culminating point.
**Zephyr,** *n.* I. West wind.
2. (*Poetical.*) Gentle, mild, *or* soft breeze; light wind.
**Zero,** *n.* Naught (*or* nought), nothing, cipher.
**Zest,** *n.* I. Relish, gust, gusto, appetite.
2. Relish, flavor, savor, taste, smack, twang.
3. Relish, appetizer, sauce.
**Zinc,** *n.* Spelter.
**Zinc-blende,** *n.* Blende, sulphuret of zinc, false galena, mock-lead, black-jack.
**Zincite,** *n.* Red zinc ore, red oxide of zinc.
**Zinc-vitriol,** *n.* White-vitriol, sulphate of zinc.
**Zone,** *n.* I. (*Poetical.*) Belt, girdle, cincture, girth, baldric, band.
2. Region, clime, climate.
3. (*Geom.*) Surface bounded by parallel circles (*on a sphere*), belt.
**Zoöphyte,** *n.* Phytozoön.
**Zoril,** *n.* Mariput (*Viverra zorilla*).
**Zygoma,** *n.* (*Anat.*) Cheek-bone.
**Zymotic,** *a.* Infectious (*as if by the action of a ferment*), germinating, diffused by germs, originating from decomposition.

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